

Poem for the month of December:

Santa's Watching

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Christmas time is coming,
It's time we must be good,
For Santa's watching everyday,
And we forgot we should.

Clean our room and wash the car,
Help mom with every chore,
For presents we are after,
And a good one we must score.

No time to chat, no time to play,

There's dishes to be done.

There will be time later,

For us to have some fun!

Pome is due December 19th

Calendar for the month of December: Dec. 7th Sunnyslope band in Prescott for the parade, Dec. 13th Family movie night at the school 6:30, Dec. 14th Light parade in Sunnyslope, Dec. Christmas program 1:00 and 6:00, Dec. 20th half day and Christmas party, No school December 23-January 3.

Mrs. Young

5th/6th Grade

Week of December 9th

Spelling. Students have 30 spelling words, with a pretest on Thursdays and a final test on Fridays. **Words for this week:** occur, phrase, process, product,

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Phonograms. Oral and written phonogram practice occurs daily. Students will take a practice test on Thursday, and a final assessment on Friday. Thirty focus phonograms will be chosen each week and listed on the newsletter.

Phonograms for this week: a, e, i, o, u, y, Ed, ur, ti, ph, ou, rh, sc, qu, ie, ie, ey, ow, ough, eigh, aigh, f, si, ci, sh, er, ir, ear, wor, p

Writing. 6 traits of writing, Journal entries and writing in our Native American packets.

Math. Instruction will be focused on the Arizona Academic Standards.

5th grade

Adding three or more fractions, writing mixed numbers as improper fractions and subtracting mixed numbers with regrouping.

6th grade

Area of a parallelogram and angles of a parallelogram, classifying triangles, and symbols of functions.

Social Studies "The First Americans" **Reading Homework:**

Monday-Read "Dorthy's Journey to the Center of the Earth" pgs. 466-480 and answer questions 1-4 on p. 480

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Wednesday-Read "Dangers Underground" pgs.482-491 and answer questions 1-4 p.491

Thursday- Read "Dangers Underground" pgs.482-491 and answer questions 1-5 p. 491

"It isn't what you have in your pocket that makes you thankful, but what you have in your heart." Unknown