



# A Peek at Our Week

## 3rd Grade - Mrs. S. Panthaky

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Dear Parents,

Welcome back to school! My name is Sandy Panthaky. I am so excited to be your child's 3rd grade teacher. This is my fifth year at Franklin Phonetic Primary school. It's going to be a great year full of new adventures, and discoveries! Let's make this an incredible year!

I love to have conversations with parents throughout the year. Please feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns. I want to partner with you in order to best support your child! ☺

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Reading is an important part of the student's H.W and success. Encourage your child to sound out difficult words using their phonograms. Our goal is 20 minutes of reading every night. Math, spelling and phonograms HomeWork will be done in school. Reading HomeWork and Book Report needs to be done at home and all the HW needs to be signed by the parents.

- School dismissal is at 3:30 PM for all classes.

Warmly,  
Ms. Panthaky

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### Important Dates

12/19/23	Holiday Show @ 1 and 6 PM
12/21/23	Early Release Day @ 1 PM
12/22/23 – 1/4/24	Winter Break

### Recurring Reminder

**Birthdays:** If your child has a birthday, you can send in a 'Nut Free' treat for the class of 15 students.

**Newsletter** - Please read the newsletter each week to keep up with weekly curriculum, projects, tests/quizzes, needed supplies, or special events and dates.

**Absence** - If you know your child is going to be absent, please call the school (6028706674) or email me ([sandy.panthaky@fppsphoenix.net](mailto:sandy.panthaky@fppsphoenix.net)) AND the School Registrar, ([nidia.luna@fppsphoenix.net](mailto:nidia.luna@fppsphoenix.net)).

## This Week's Focus (18)

### Phonogram List

Monday: Or, ee, ow, oo, oy, oi, ay, ai, er, ar, ur, ch, th, wh, ui, ew, ei, ie, ey, ea,  
 Tuesday: ge, ce, di, our, gi, cu, sc, gh, eau, eo, augh, aigh, sci, pn  
 Wednesday: ge, ce, di, our, gi, cu, sc, gh, eau, eo, augh, aigh, sci, pn  
 Thursday: **Review ALL**  
 Friday - **MID YEAR ASSESSMENT**

### Spelling list

Monday: copy, act, be, been, yesterday, among, quest, question, doctor, size, there December, dozen, tax, number.  
 Tuesday: October, reason, fifth, bake, baking, bowl, cheap, echo, cheerful, chicken, drive, driving, echoes, fairy, knock.  
 Wednesday: Write sentences with: October, reason, fifth, bake, baking, bowl, cheap, echo, cheerful, chicken, drive, driving, echoes, fairy, knock.  
 Thursday: **Review ALL**  
 Friday: **ASSESSMENT**

### Language:

Descriptive sentences, similes, descriptive sentences, Subject Verb Agreement

### Penmanship:

Cursive writing – go, ad, j, i

### Writing:

Organization of Writing – Persuasive Writing Prompt 12

### Comprehension:

Passages – Read with understanding and answer the questions, and AASA Practice Lesson 15 – Rice Krispy Cakes

### Math:

Monday: MID YEAR Assessment  
 Tuesday: MID YEAR Assessment  
 Wednesday: MID YEAR Assessment  
 Thursday: MID YEAR Assessment  
 Friday: MID YEAR Assessment

### Social Studies:

Pacific Region of USA  
 Exploring Arizona  
 Bill of Rights

### Science:

Light  
 Prickly Pear

- **Discovery Streaming and short video clips are used to enhance our curriculum.**