



# THE TELEPO TIMES

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Dear Families,

**Math:** Next week students will continue to work on addition and subtraction skills. They will practice solving parts-and-total number stories, reading a thermometer, explore reading temperatures, finding total value of a group of coins, and classifying geometric shapes.

Students will also participate in Math Centers as extensions to the concepts covered.

### **Writer's Workshop:**

In writer's workshop next week we will continue to focus on using the writing process to create a piece of fantasy writing.

**Daily 5:** Next week students will continue to learn about fantasy and practice using the literacy elements to

retell the stories.

Students will also participate in a variety of activities to practice this skill and review previously taught skills.

**Grammar:** Next week we will discuss and learn about action verbs and present tense verbs.

**Social Studies:** Next week students will continue to learn about land and water forms. They will finish creating their land and water form book as well as begin creating a second grade land and water form mural.

**Science** We will begin our next unit, Changes. Students will learn about the three states of matter; solid, liquid, and gas. other important information is on my website. You can access my page through the Polk websi

### **Conferences:**

*I am looking forward to seeing you all at conferences. Please be sure to send the confirmation slip back to school if you haven't yet. There are several that I have not received back. Conferences are Tuesday, November 19th and Wednesday, November 20th.*

**Weather:** As you know, it is getting much colder now. Please make sure to send your child with appropriate winter gear. Also, it would be a good idea to put their names on EVERYTHING. :)

### **REMINDERS:**

~Late Start: Monday, 11/17

~ 1/2 Day: Wednesday, 11/26 and Thursday, 11/27.

Dismissal is at 11:25 a.m.

~ PT Conferences: Tuesday, 11/18

~ PT Conferences: Wednesday, 11/19

~ 1/2 Day: Wednesday, 11/26 and Thursday, 11/27.

Dismissal is at 11:25 a.m.

~ No School, Thanksgiving: Thursday, 11/27

### **Student of the Week:**

*Week of:*

*November 17th:*

*Brooklyn Riddle*

If you ever have any questions please feel free to write me a note, leave me a voice message, or email me at [telepola@dhsd7.net](mailto:telepola@dhsd7.net).

Have a great weekend,  
Mrs. Telepo