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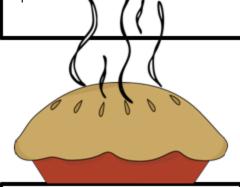


Collaboration

There is an exciting collaborative project happening here in the library. Marla and I have been working with her students on a great service project that ties into several areas of our curriculums. Students have completed basic research on the issue of homeless animals in our country using a nonfiction article. They organized their facts, then wrote a persuasive letter to Mr. Hafner requesting permission to complete a service project here at school for a local animal shelter. The students are now in the process of organizing and planning a donation drive for Animals in Distress located on Limeport Pike.

I know it sounds like a lot, but we accomplished all of that learning in **only three 30 minute sessions**. Working as a team, Marla and I have covered over 10 Common Core 2nd grade standards and and just as many standards in my curriculum.

As always, if you have an interest in working together on a project to support your curriculum please let melknow. I have open times in my schedule that are perfect for collaboration.



November 24th-30th is National Game and Puzzle Week. Students will receive Thanksgiving puzzles here in the library to keep them busy over Thanksgiving break.

Book Fair

It is time to think about Book Fair! Students will be shopping at their library classes during the week of November 17th.

I will be reviewing all Book Fair information with them

prior to their shopping day to help reduce confusion.

There will be no morning or recess shopping. Students can shop at their library class or with parents during open book fair hours.

Happy Thanksgiving

Our Thanksgiving books are quickly getting checked out! Below is a list of a few great read alouds. There are plenty here ready for you!

- 1. The Pilgrims of Plymouth
- 2. 'Twas the Night Before Thanksgiving

More Thanksgiving

- 3. | Know an Old Lady Who Swallowed a Pie
- 4. The Ugly Pumpkin
- 5. Milly and the Macy's Parade
- 6. Thanksgiving Is by Gail Gibbons
- 7. The Perfect Thanksgiving
- 8. Run Turkey Run!

There are too many to list plus we have

several good
Thanksgiving DVDs.

Let me know if you need any materials!