MR. WILLS' AND MRS. CHIUMENTO'S WISE WORDS OF THE WEEK

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IMPORTANT DATES

9/21/17 - Family Night @ NGES

9/22/17 - Madison vs. WMHS Football @ WMHS

10/6/17 - Fall Pictures

PARENT CONFERENCES

September 28, 2017

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October 3, 2017

4:00 - 7:30 p.m.

HERE'S A LOOK AT WHAT WE'RE LEARNING!

Math

Students will begin learning about place value. Students will need to know vocabulary like digit, units, rods, and flats. Students also need to know the value of each digit in a number from 0 to 999.
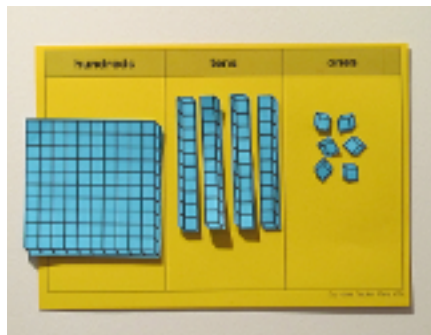
units = ones

rods = tens

flats = hundreds

Units

Students will learn about famous American symbols this week. Students will also learn about ten Famous Americans over the next month. A study guide will come home later.

Literacy

Students will use story elements when reading fiction books. They will need to know characters, setting, problem, and solution. They will also need to know question words such as Who?, What?, When?, Where?, Why?, and How?

Students will using context clues to figure out the meaning of unknown words that they are reading. Students need to use the following when figuring out words:

Definition Clues – the word's meaning is explained in the sentence

Example Clues – an example of the word is given following the sentence or within the sentence ·

Inference Clues – a word's definition is not explained; you need to look for clues before or after the sentence(s)

Synonym Clues – other words are used in the sentence that have similar meanings

Antonym Clues – the word is clarified by giving the opposite meaning