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**December 8th ~ Books Alive**

Dinner starts at 5:30

If you are not coming for dinner but will be participating in Books Alive fourth graders need to be in the cafeteria at 6:00.

 Fourth grade presentation will be at 6:15.

**What are we learning this week?**

**Reading: Lesson 18 (Journeys) Hercules Quest (Greek Mythology)**

**Spelling:** unused, refresh, dislike, replace, unpaid, redo, disorder, unplanned, distrust, rewind, untrue, unload, recall, displease, uneven, rebuild, restart, uncover, untidy, discolor

**Vocabulary**: acquire, unfortunate, coerce, boasted, beamed, glared, ceased, declared, devised, resourceful

**Grammar:**

Greek and Latin roots

Root: aud, audi

Prefixes: (opposite) dis- anti- de- counter- contra-

Prepositions and Prepositional Phrases

adages and proverbs

**Writing:** informational text (HOT TEA POT)

**Math: TOPIC 10**

 **In Class Homework from Workbook**

 **Monday**  Topic 11.0  **Topic 11.1**

 **Tuesday** Topic 11.2  **Topic 11.2**

 **Wednesday** Topic 11.3 **Topic 11.3**

 **Thursday**  Topic 11.4  **Topic 11.4**

 **Friday**  Topic 11.5 **None**

**Please practice multiplication facts nightly.**

**Social Studies:** Unit 2: Exploration and Colonization of Florida

Identify explorers who came to Florida and the motivations for their expeditions. Describe the causes and effects of European colonization on the Native American tribes of Florida. Identify the significance of St. Augustine as the oldest permanent European settlement in the US. Identify the effects of Spanish rule in Florida.

**Science: Earth/Space Science**

**Natural Resources: Renewable and Nonrenewable resources**

**Important Dates:**

**Dec. 13 ~ St. Augustine Field Trip**

**Dec. 15 ~ ISP Due**

**Dec. 20 ~ Ugly Christmas Sweater**

**Dec. 22 – Jan. 6 ~ Winter Break**

**Science Fair Due Dates**

**November 7th ~ Question**

**November 14th ~ Research**

**November 21st ~ Hypothesis**

**November 28th ~ Materials/Procedures**

**December 5th ~ Data/Results**

**December 12th ~ Conclusion/Summary**

**December 19th ~ Complete Display**

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Homework and any unfinished work from class is due the following day.

**Week of December 5, 2016**

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