

## Mrs. Phillips' Weekly Focus May 6th - 10th, 2019



This week our our field trip will be on May 10th. **Please have the kids wear their Central shirts and comfortable walking shoes (not boots or flip flops).** We will go rain or shine, so make sure kids dress for the weather. We welcome visitors at lunch time in Robe Ann Park (around 11:45).

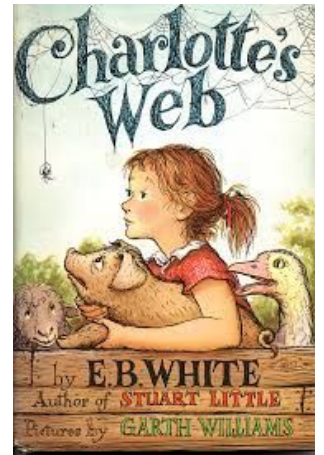
This week will be the final I Learn Testing for the year. On Monday and Tuesday we will test Math first thing in the morning. Help your child succeed by getting a good night's rest and a healthy breakfast.

**Reading:** (Standards 3.RF.5, 3.RI.2, 2.RL.3, 3.RL.4, 3.RV.2, 3.RV.3, 3.W.6)

This week we will finish our unit on the novel *Charlotte's Web*. **Don't forget end of the book projects are due on Monday, May 6th. There will be an end of the book quiz on Wednesday.**

Please encourage students not to watch the movies (there are three versions), as they do not follow the book and could negatively affect how they answer comprehension questions.

**Vocabulary:** Chapter 1-3 *runt, injustice, blissful, discarded, commotion*  
Chapters 4-5 *marmalade, objectionable, salutations, inheritance, innocent*  
Chapters 6-9 *lair, hoisted, neglected, conspiracy, hysterics, delectable, vaguely*  
Chapters 10-12 *gullible, miracle, distinct, miraculous, destiny*  
Chapters 13-15 *monotonous, versatile, triumphant, inconvenient, foundation*  
Chapters 16-17 *genuine, paradise, scampered, resist, crouched*  
Chapters 18-20 *masterpiece, languishing, fetching, pompous, embraced*  
Chapters 20-21 *aeronauts, trifle, sentiments, desolation, forlorn, tranquil*



**English:** (LA Standard 3.W.6.1)

The Grammar rule this week is about abbreviations.

**Spelling:** (LA Standard 3.W.6.2)

### Abbreviations

An abbreviation is a shortened form of a word. Many abbreviations begin with a capital letter and end with a period.

• Some titles used for names of people are abbreviations.

For example:

Dr. is the abbreviation for Doctor. The title Miss is not abbreviated.  
Mr. Mark Elton Lewis Ms. Susan Wong Mrs. Carmen Mendoza

• An initial is the first letter of a name. It is written with a capital letter and is followed by a period.

Mr. Mark E. Lewis S. B. Weng C. M. Mendoza

• The names of days and months can be abbreviated. May, June, and July are not abbreviated.

Days of the Week: Sun, Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri, Sat.

Months of the Year: Jan, Feb, Mar, Apr, Aug, Sept, Oct, Nov, Dec.

There is no spelling this week.

**Math:** The weekly test will be over **multiplying one digit by two digits.**

Monday - I Learn Math part 1

Tuesday - I Learn Math part 2

Wednesday- Review and work on skills for fourth grade

Thursday - Review and work on skills for fourth grade,  
**Weekly Quiz** multiplying one digit by two digits

Friday - **Field Trip**



**Science: Science:** (Standards 3.LS.1, .3.LS.2, 3.LS.3)

We will finish up studying plants. This week we will focus on flowers and seeds

Vocabulary: nutrients, roots, stem, leaf, flower, seed, reproduce, life cycle