

Shiflett Social

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Frosty Learning FUN!

Report Cards —Report cards were sent home with students today. Please take time to review the report card and let me know if you have any questions. The report card is yours to keep. However, I do need to you to sign and return the report card envelope confirming you have received your child's report card.

FRENCH EXPLORER- Yesterday, we had a French Voyager, Genot, come to speak to the class. He was very engaging! He told great stories about the life of a Voyager. Ask your child about the assembly.

Social Studies— This week we started our next Social Studies unit. We will continue to learn about Michigan's history and how Michigan became a state.

Book Order: January book orders were sent last week. They are due January 24th. Please remember if you are turning in orders to me at school you must pay with a check. Checks should be made to "Scholastic Book Clubs."

WRITING: In class we began discussing a new type of writing called realistic fiction stories. Ask your child what realistic fiction is. (A story that could happen in real life but has made up characters.) Students have now picked their story topic. Talk with them about it at home. Their story must have a problem and a solution.

COMPLETE SENTENCES: We have been talking in class about making sure we are writing in complete sentences. This is something students should be doing on any of their written work. Please stress to your child the importance of writing complete sentences.





Ask Your Child:

- Where is your report card?
- What was your favorite part of the voyager assembly yesterday?
- What is your realistic fiction story topic? What is the problem in your story?



- Popcorn Friday January 27
- Early Release February 8th @ 1:43

Please make sure to send your child with a hat, gloves, and winter coat to school each day. We will go outside for recess if it is above zero. It is cold out there!



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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2	3	4	5	6
9	10	11	12	13 Popcorn Friday
16 No School	17	18	19	20 Rm. 22 Pajama day
23	24 Book Order Due	25	26	27 Popcorn Friday
30	31			