

Shiflett Social

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HAPPY NEW YEAR!





I hope everyone enjoyed some extra time off this week!

Social Studies - Our Social Studies test over Europeans will be on Tuesday. Students completed and brought home study guides today. Please take some time to study together over the weekend.

Pajama Day - Our class earned a pajama day for bringing in cans for Cool to Care. Our class can wear pajamas to school next Friday, January 20th. Please make sure to have appropriate shoes for gym and recess. No slippers please.

Book Order: January book orders were sent home today. 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.) Today students picked their story idea. 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 Childs

- What is realistic fiction? (a made up story that could happen in real life)
- What is your realistic fiction story topic? What is the problem in your story?
 - Where is your Europeans Study Guide?



- Tuesday Europeans Social Studies Test
- Pajama day Friday
- Popcorn Friday January 13 & 27
- End of Marking Period January 13th
- No School January 16th

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			