# Mr. Thomas Classroom News



2023

### THIS WEEK: 8/21-8/25

This week we learned about our classroom and building expectations, we also had many opportunities to practice. Parents can help students by reminding them their job is to come to school to learn. To be good learners they should use their active listening ears and to have safe bodies. We began reviewing many sounds from last year that help us learn to write words. Ask your child to read to you the stories about Kate's adventures, these are stories we read during the week.

#### **IMPORTANT NOTES FROM MS. THOMAS**

- Please leave all home snacks at home, East school will be providing snack here at school.
- Our classroom can sometimes be cool, please send a jacket with your student's name in it to be left here in our classroom.
- Talk with your child about following building expectations: walking safe and quietly in the hall and listening in class.
- After talking with several families last week I am sending home information to connect to class dojo. This will be an easy way to connect with me and our class. I will post pictures and classroom happenings here.

#### CONTACT ME

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Plan time: 12:45-1:35

# SUGGESTED READ ALOUDS

The stories below are suggested to reinforce concepts covered in this week's CKLA lessons:

- Grimm's Fairy Tales by Jacob Grimm and Wilhelm Grimm
- Beauty and the Beast retold and illustrated by Jan Brett
- The Emperor's New Clothes: by Hans Christian Andersen
- Ain't Nothing But a Man: My Quest to Find John Henry by Scott Reynolds Nelson
- The Bunyans by Audrey Wood and Illustrated by David Shannon

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

- Aug 2l First day of school
- Sept 4 Labor Day-No school
- Sept 22 No school
- Oct 9 No school
- Nov 20-24 No School

