## Miss Iseler's Classroom News

October 31, 2014

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Spelling Words

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Unit 3 Week 2

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It was a great full week back at school and we got back into the swing of things with our regular routine.

Weekly Update

We have a new reading goal set for the month of November. Please be sure to encourage your child to read for at least 20 minutes each night. As they are reading, please feel free to sit and listen to them, even if it is for only a short time. It would also be beneficial to ask your child to tell you about the text they are reading. This is a great way to help your child make sure they are understanding the text they are reading. During reading block this week, our focus has been on sequence of events. We have used our Journeys' stories to practice identifying the sequence of events in text we read. This

can be easily practiced at home by asking your child to give you a set of directions for how to complete a specific task, whether that be brushing their teeth, making their bed, or even helping to make meals!

Our math block continued to focus on division. We are moving from a basic division fact focus to application of division within word problems! Please be sure that your child is practicing their math flash cards each night, even if they seem to have them mastered, it will not harm them to practice each night! These facts are specific to each child and are the facts they need the most practice with!

November Reading Goal: 320

minutes

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## Important Dates/Events

November 7 - Staff Development (No school for students) November 14 - Picture Retake Day November 20 - WDA Blood Drive @ 12:30-6:00 November 26-November 28 -Thanksgiving Break; No School!