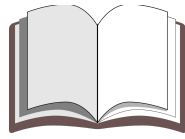


Mrs. Palmer's Reading News

October 4, 2019

(for the Homeroom Students of Mrs. Hatcher & Mrs. Kashen)



Reading

Last week students worked on an Informational Text in our *Journeys* Book called, My Librarian Is A Camel. Students learned the various ways that children throughout the world get books. We focused on the specific country, how they get the books and why children get their books this way. Students were able to choose their groups to work in and created a slideshow presentation on their specific country of choice. Although students did fairly well on this task, they need to make some improvements in learning how to communicate as a team more efficiently. They did well for their first time this year though!

We read a tall tale called Stormalong this week. Students enjoyed talking about hyperboles from the story and examples that we use often in our daily lives. We discussed character traits and dictionary skills.

Next week we hope to focus on creating our own tall tales using the characters of Stormalong and Paul Bunyan. This will be an exciting adventure for us so we will probably not have a test at the end of the week. We will focus on vocabulary and writing quality stories.



Homework

Again, please assist your child nightly in making sure that homework is complete and put back into their Yellow Folder and into their book bag. Some students are struggling in this area. Everyone should be in a good routine by now.

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