



October 11, 2019

Dear Parents,

In Language Arts this week, our focus was on applying Close Reading strategies to various narrative non-fiction texts about Newton's Laws of Motion. While reading and discussing these selections, students identified the causes and effects of several real world situations. In Grammar, students practiced identifying and writing complex sentences accurately.

In Math, students continued to practice solving multistep real-world story problems using tape diagrams and standard addition and subtraction algorithms, as well as, assessing the reasonableness of an answer by estimating sums and differences applying rounding strategies. At the end of the week, we wrapped up this Unit with an End of Module Assessment.

In Social Studies, we analyzed a political map of the middle western states and a historical map representing events of the Revolutionary War: Battle of Trenton. As a class, we answered questions together using the information provided by these maps. Next week, we will continue drawing conclusions and making inferences about the resources and industries found in each region of the United States based on the products identified in each state on a product map.

In Science, we continued examining energy transfer and electric current through various videos and Stemscoptes articles.

Please feel free to contact me throughout the year with any questions or concerns at jalviano@cpsed.net.

Have a great long weekend!
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