The Star Report

Ms. Vaughan’s Third Grade Team

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***Thank you, thank you, thank you! I appreciate all the cards, flowers, candy, and other gifts for Teacher Appreciation Week. It is my pleasure to teach your children!***

**Field Day Take Two: Friday, May 8, is Field Day!! Please make sure your child wears sneakers and dresses appropriately for the weather. Your child should bring a water bottle and a towel—they may also want to wear a hat. We will be outside most of the day, so lather them up with sunscreen before school!**

***Curriculum: In reading, students will find the main idea and supporting details in informational text. In writing, students have taken notes on their research topic and will begin to write their drafts. In math, students continue to learn a variety of strategies to compare fractions. In science, we made our compost bags—complete with worms—and planted our seeds. Students will learn the properties of sand, clay, and humus this week.***

**Home Connection:**

* Please have your child read every night. Ask them to give you a summary of the key ideas.
* Students may work on Kidbiz3000 lessons or read a book from Big Universe ([www.biguniverse.com](http://www.biguniverse.com); username is WCPstudent#; password is student #; group is wcpss)
* Please practice multiplication facts with your child every day!

***Request for Supplies: We are in need of tissues (allergy season!) and lined notebook paper (wide rule). Thank you!***

**Contact Information!**

* Go to <http://vaughansc.wikispaces.com/home>to access my weekly newsletter, homework, class schedule, websites, and other important information.
* Please feel free to contact me anytime at **kvaughan1@wcpss.net**

## Curriculum Connections:

## Look what we are learning!

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**Upcoming Events**

* **May 8: Field Day**
* **May 16: Snow Make-up Half Day**
* **May 25: Memorial Day Holiday**
* **May 30: Snow Make-up Full Day**
* **June 10-11: EOG Testing**

**Curriculum Connections:**

**Look What We Are Learning!**

* **Math**: 3.NF.1/3.NF.3 Fractions
* **Reading:** RI3.3 Research/ Finding Information
* **Writing**: W3.2/3.7 Research Report
* **Science:** 3L2 Plants