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Spelling

Please see your child's weekly list. ☺

Vocabulary Words

Gulped (To swallow a whole mouthful) **fierce** (Intense or wild) **clenched** (To grasp or close firmly) **spectators** (People who watch or observe; audience) **frantically** (Desperate or wild with fear) **peddlers** (A person who sells from door to door) **wares** (Articles of merchandise, goods) **clearing** (Land that contains no trees or bushes) **grandeur** (Impressive in size or appearance) **dinky** (small) **shabby** (Worn; run down) **compose** (To create or write) **hauled** (To pull or draw with force) **weeping** (Expressing sorrow by shedding tears)

Vocabulary Skill

Word Roots

A word part from which other words are formed.
Ex. Struct = to build, photo = light, port = to carry, mand = to order, & com = together

Reading: Dragon of the Red Dawn

In Reading, we will continue reading the engaging text, Dragon of the Red Dawn. In these next few chapters, students will learn about customs and traditions of Japan & how these customs are still practiced today. In addition, we will focus on Compare & Contrast, as well as author's Word Choice.

Math: Fractions

Due to the snow day, we will continue reviewing comparing fractions this week, and take a short quiz on Wednesday.

Throughout the rest of the week, students will learn about equivalent fractions, or various fractions that are the same size.



Science: Japan

This week, we will continue connecting what we are learning in reading about ancient Japan to present-day Japan. This week we will focus on Culture and Economy.



Happy Birthday,
March!



7 - Isaias
31 - Jerrame

Save the Date!

D.E.A.R. Day!

March 23rd
Today, we will drop everything and read! ☺



Drama Club Production

March 23rd

NYS ELA Test

March 28-30

