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Dear Parents,

In language arts and reading we worked on the long "a" vowel sound that has vowel pairs like ai, ay. Some words were sail and clay. Our class story this week was "Red-Eyed Tree Frog". This was a non-fiction story about a red-eyed tree frog that lives in the Amazon rain forest. The story goes through the evening and night of a tree frog, surviving from being eaten by a boa and iguana. Finally, the frog had a moth for dinner and went to sleep before morning time. They really enjoyed the story. We also went over parts of the body and even sang the song, "Head, Shoulder, Knees and Toes". Next week we will begin a new theme and our vowel sound will be the long "o" with vowel pairs oa and ow. Parents, next week I will begin sending a book report home on Fridays to be done at home over the weekend. This will help students with reading and reading comprehension.

In Math we completed Chapter 7. This week the students worked on putting numbers from 0-100 in order from least to greatest and from greatest to least. Then on Tuesday and Wednesday, it was our review days where we practiced using the greater than and less than symbol, putting numbers in specific orders, and playing the greater less than game. On Friday was our Chapter 7 test. Next week we will begin Chapter 8.

In Science our new topic is, "Quick Changes to Earth's Surface". The students learned that things such as earthquakes, landslides, and volcanoes can make quick changes to our surface. For our experiment, the students made a model, a sandcastle with trees, and a building made of foam blocks to see what would happen if we shook it as an earthquake happened. They discovered that everything broke apart and fell down. Next week we will continue working on this topic.

"You are amazing just the way you are"- Anonymous

Have a beautiful weekend!

Ms.Sammy