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Dear Parents of Silver Door,

In Language Arts and Reading, our spelling words consisted of words that had vowel +r sound /ar/. Some words were arm, dark, start, far, and yarn. Our class story was titled Fireflies For Nathan. Before we read the story we learned about some of our story vocabulary words such as beacon, monarch, and warns. The story was about a boy who went to his grandparent's house. While he was there, he learned that his dad was his age when he caught fireflies, so he wanted to do it too. In the end, he caught many fireflies and would release them. We also went over describing words to tell how things feel, taste, and smell. Some words that we said were: sweet, sour, spicy, smooth, soft, and salty.

Parents, I will continue sending a book report home on Fridays to be done at home over the weekend. This will help students with practicing reading and reading comprehension. As mentioned before this will be a grade and your child will be marked down if they did not complete it on time. Next week we will be finishing theme 10.

In Math, we started Chapter 12. Chapter 12 is all about Length, Weight, and Capacity. This week the students learned the words shorter, longer, shortest, longest, heavier, and lighter. The students got to use counting cubes and paper clips to measure real objects. The students also got to use a scale to see which objects were heavier or lighter. Next week we will be finishing the chapter.

In Science, we started a new topic: Plants and Animals Needs. The students learned that plants and animals need different things in order to survive. They also learned that both plants and animals need water and nutrients. For our experiment, we have two plants. One will stay outside and one will stay in a dark room for seven days. We will see which one grows the most. Next week we will be finishing this topic.

"Life is a journey to be experienced, not a problem to be solved." — Pooh, Winnie the Pooh

Have a splendid weekend!!

Ms. Sammy