



Mrs. Lazarchick's Newsletter

Week of November 25th:

(Please visit the Assessments Calendar tab on my class website as well as your student's Google Calendar as changes may occur)

- *There will be no formal assessments this week for any of the mathematics classes*
- **Monday, 11/25 and Tuesday, 11/26 are $\frac{1}{2}$ days for students due to parent-teacher conferences**
- ***Wednesday, 11/27, is a $\frac{1}{2}$ day for the day before Thanksgiving***

Have a very Happy and Healthy Thanksgiving with your loved ones!

This Week in Room 202:

Homeroom students worked collaboratively to come up with an idea/theme for the school-wide meeting next Wednesday. All of the classes were asked to design a "float" for the AES Thanksgiving Parade. The 6th grade class came up with a great theme (which I will share next week), and they began working on it, using balloons, this week. The students separated into two different groups to complete their tasks, and will be ready to show case their "float" next week. Great job 6th grade, I cannot wait for you to display the finished product!

6th Grade Math students continued learning about algebraic expressions by evaluating. The students learned that to evaluate they must not only substitute the value for the variable, but they must also apply their order of operations (PEMDAS) to simplify the expression. In addition, the students learned how to find equivalent expressions by using the Distributive Property and the Reverse of the Distributive Property. The students spent time learning about equivalent expressions as well as time practicing in different groups to master the skill. Great job 6th grade, keep working hard!

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