



The Podravik Post

October 10th – 14th

<p style="text-align: center;">Teacher Notes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A permission slip to use KidBlog will be coming home from Mrs. Podraza's class. Please return the slip by Friday, October 14th so that your child can participate. (Mrs. Podraza didn't send these out until the 6th. Oops!) <p>Questions/Comments: Mrs. Podraza - cpodraza@lisle202.org Ms. Gurss - agurss@lisle202.org</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Important Dates</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Monday, October 10th - No School Columbus Day Red Ribbon Week - Oct. 17-21 Thursday, October 27th - Robert Crown Field Trip Monday, October 31st - Early Dismissal
<p style="text-align: center;">Mrs. Podraza – Language Arts</p> <p>The students will be continuing to learn about text structure this week. They will also be learning about Main Idea vs. Supporting Details. The students will begin their letters to their new pen pals in Kenya this week. There is no letter to Mrs. Podraza this week about students' independent books. There is also no spelling this week. We will be having the Gauntlet on Friday. This week the genre is mystery.</p> <p>4 AR - Friday, October 14th 5 AR - Tuesday, October 25th 6 AR - Wednesday, November 2nd 7 AR - Thursday, November 10th</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Mrs. Vavrik-Language Arts</p> <p>The students continue to work on their fine arts unit. Students will look at books by Ian Falconer, like Olivia, and write Bloom's Taxonomy questions as they examine the artwork involved in these books. Students also will learn about the artists Degas and Pollack as well learn about the Paris Opera House and The Met. We will also be participating in Kenya Connect service learning and fundraising project. Students also will be finishing their pen pal letters and typing their persuasive essays. This week, students will continue to work on analogies and the different type of analogies out there. This will help us as we prepare to complete in Word Masters! Please continue to have your child read every night at home! 5 AR - Wednesday, October 14th</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Mrs. Podraza – Math</p> <p>The students will continue learning about decimals in Unit 2. They will be learning to multiply decimals. Mrs. Hurt will be coming in on Tuesday to work on Hands-On Equations.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Mrs. Vavrik - Math</p> <p>The students will start work on Topic 5 which is division with two digit divisors. Please continue reviewing their basic multiplication and division facts!</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Social Studies</p> <p>The students will be learning about the mysterious colony of Roanoke and creating a timeline with their group. They will also be going to some new websites about the Jamestown colony. Links to these sites can be found on Mrs. Podraza's webpage.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Science</p> <p>The students will be conducting experiments as part of our "Variables" unit. They will be learning the importance of having only one variable when testing experiments.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Wall of Fame</p> <p>Podraza (Math) A's - Emily W., Ian,</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Character Counts Corner</p>

Elia, McKenzie, Joseph, Katie, Faith,
Patrick, Emily M., Evan, Alexa, Trevor,
Jay, J.J., Tarun, Chloe

Podraza (Vocabulary Quiz) A's - Eva,
Jay, Izzy, Zach, Nick, Caitlyn, Theo,
Jahmar, Abby, Lydia,

Podraza (Spelling Test) 100% - Levi,
Izzy, Zach, Jay, Nick, Lydia, Caitlyn

Vavrik Homeroom-(S.S. Tests) A's-
Levi, Angelo, Jahmar, Armani, Izzy,
Faith M, Emily, Nick, Ian, J.J. Faith R,
Katie, and Evan, Jay

Vavrik Math (Long Division Tests) A's-
Angelo, Faith R, Matthew

Tristan – He helped to clean up the
classroom. (citizenship)

Bella – She helped bring up a classroom
backpack that was our class'.(citizenship)

Chloe- She let another student borrow her
pencil when they didn't have one. (Caring)

Max- He helped another student pick up
their stuff. (Caring)

Weekly Vocabulary (Podraza)

magnate despite climate