

# Welcome to 37d; GRADE Spelling

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## Mrs. Kasarda

- Hi everyone, I am Mrs. Kasarda and I am so excited for Spelling Class!
- Spelling in Third Grade helps to reinforce foundational skills, like phonics and word recognition.
- Spelling also challenge us with word meaning, and helps to improve reading comprehension.



### Our Mission

In our classroom we will work hard to create a quiet, happy learning environment. We will achieve our goals, we will be successful, and we will try our best every day.



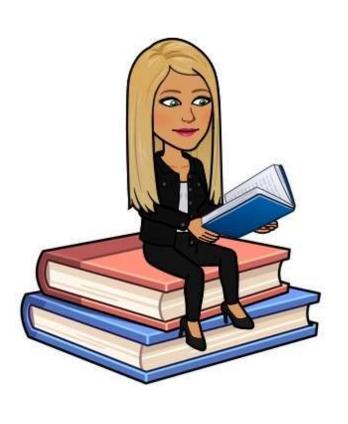
### Our Website



### **Microsoft Teams:**

- We will use Microsoft Teams to navigate through our day, from one class to the next.
- Through Microsoft Teams our daily meetings will be held, we will complete assignments together and on our own, and take quizzes and tests.
- You will find all documents, assignments, agendas, conversations and my announcements on Microsoft Teams.
- MICROSOFT TEAMS is OUR CLASSROOM!

# Spelling



- Spelling Homework for the week will be assigned on Mondays and will be due that Friday.
- Please check your Spelling Team/Class on Microsoft Teams each week on Monday to see that weeks work.
- Our Spelling Class is scheduled for every Wednesday. We will
  come together for Spelling Class and review our words and
  review the pages that will be due that Friday for homework.
- On Fridays, I will request a quick Spelling Meeting from our Spelling Team so we can do our Spelling Test.
- Homework will be assigned on Microsoft Teams and you will use your Spelling book to complete the assigned pages.
- Tests will be given through the Assignments tab on Microsoft Teams.

# Homework

- Homework will be assigned through Microsoft Teams and will be completed in your Spelling Book.
- Homework is ALWAYS assigned on Mondays Tuesday if no school on Monday.
- Homework is due EVERY FRIDAY, Thursday if that Friday is marked as School Closed.
- If school closes due to weather Spelling homework and the test will be due and given the next time we return.



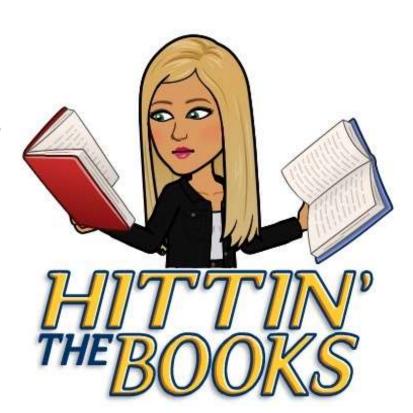
### Classwork

There is rarely any Spelling Classwork just continue to **PRACTICE** your words **EVERY DAY!** 



### Tests

- Spelling tests will be assigned through the Assignments tab on Microsoft Teams.
- Spelling tests will be every Friday, Monday if there is no school on Friday.
- Graded material will be scored according to the following policy:
  - A 100-93
  - B 92-85
  - C 84-77
  - D 76-70
  - F >70



### Grading



**Spelling:** Spelling grades are based on homework and tests.

### Classwork, Homework, Tests, and Quizzes

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### Late Work Policy



- When a student has not completed classwork/homework by the given due date it will be accepted up to (2) school days past the original due date.
- After the 2nd day, the work will no longer be accepted and a score of a (0) for the given assignment will be reflected in the student's grade average.
- It is the students responsibility to hand the work in. I will not chase after it.
- Students <u>will not</u> be allowed to complete extra credit at the end of a marking period in order to raise their earned grades.

## Make Up Work



- When a student is absent from school they may have two school days for every one day of absence in order to make up the missed assignments.
  - Example: If your child is absent on Wednesday an returns on Thursday he/she will have until Monday to hand in the missed work.
    - Day 1-Thursday: Work on make-up work.
    - Day 2-Friday: Work on make-up work.
    - Day 3-Monday: Hand in work.
- If the student is unable to complete the work within the two days, the student will receive a (0) for those assignments.

# Rules

- 1. Be on time.
- 2. Be ready and listening.
- 3. Raise my hand to speak.
- 4. Complete and turn in assignments on time.
- 5. Respect all adults and students.



### As Your Teacher



### I will.....

- make sure each and every one of you feels safe, comfortable, and respected in our classroom.
- make sure all concepts are clearly taught.
- be here for support and help.
- teach you and help you to be as organized as possible, but ultimately it is your responsibility.
- maintain open lines of communication.
- make certain that each of us learn and are successful!

### As the Parent



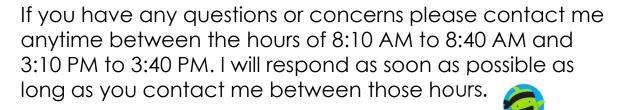
- Support each other.
- Keep your child's best interest in mind.
- Help with homework.
- Communicate openly.
- Work together with your child and teacher.
- Have patience.
- Remember, we are all in this together!

### Communication

ATTENTION
- PARENTS/GUARDIANS



### I am here for you!



Invites have been sent out to parents for my ClassDojo!! If you did not receive one please contact me.

You can contact me at my email address: <a href="mailto:kasardaj02@hasdk12.org">kasardaj02@hasdk12.org</a>



- During the next couple of days I want both the student and parent/guardian to:
  - 1. accept my class dojo invite or let me know if you did not get one.
  - 2. look through all of the classes, postings, and files on Microsoft Teams and start to become familiar with using Microsoft Teams.
  - look over the class schedule.
  - 4. think of any questions or concerns you may have and reach out to me. I am here for you!
  - 5. stay calm and positive! We will succeed!

