

HURRICANE DECK PASS NEWS FOR NOVEMBER

Classroom Activities

First Grade – The first grade class continues to work on improving reading, math, and writing skills. Each day, we practice phonics and spelling using the Making Words curriculum. The students read each day from the books in their book bags. We have started practicing writing sentences. We use games to learn math concepts, and we have focused on counting, understanding numbers, and addition. We enjoyed meeting parents at the PASS Family Night and the Lights On Afterschool Celebration, and I'm we are enjoying working with your children!





<u>Second Grade</u> – We will continue to work on improving our reading skills. This month students will read books about animals, fiction and nonfiction, and then research how animals adapt in winter. In math they will be practicing two important skills of telling time and counting money.

Third and Fourth Grades — Positive leadership is a very important part of PASS and the regular school day. Each day students share one thing they have done to show their commitment to being good leaders in their home, school, and community. Some students have written about being an attentive listener and setting a good example for others in the room. Students have also written about helping a classmate or family member in a positive way. Good, positive leadership is becoming a way of life for PASS students as they celebrate their role in making positive changes in their world.

<u>Science</u> – PASS students finished the Fossil Unit with a DINO PARTY!!! Students from all grades came together to see the dinosaur and fossil creations they made. Students shared their experiences and what they learned from the different projects. The Dino Party ended with Dino Bingo.

<u>Calendar</u> – Please keep a copy of your November PASS calendar on your refrigerator so you know what important events are coming up and what days we do not have the afterschool program. You can also find an up to date calendar on the school website under the "Programs" tab.

Lights On Afterschool was a great success! Thank you for your participation at this event!