LINDALL'S LEARNERS

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What We're Studying

- *Understanding multiplication (not just memorizing facts)
- *Understanding the relationship between multiplication and division
- *Mental math strategies (double-digit adding/subtracting)

*Writing our true stories

*Creating our best learning environment

*Paul Revere

- **CONVERSATION STARTERS**
- What is the relationship between division and multiplication?
- ✓ What are factors?
- ✓ What are some ways I can represent factors?
- What are some mental math strategies I can use to solve problems?
- ✓ How can I find things to write about?
- ✓ What role did Paul Revere have in our nation's history?
- ✓ What are some of his character traits?

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✓ Who do you know that has some of the same traits?

REMINDERS

- If your child still needs an agenda, please send in \$10 as soon as possible
- All students need 4 or 5 composition books or spiral notebooks
- Fundraiser due Wed., Aug. 19
- Spirit Night @ Blue Agave, Tues., Aug.18 5:00-10:00

I HAVE STARTED WRITING BEHAVIOR NOTES HOME IN THE AGENDAS, AND STUDENTS WILL ALSO BE WRITING IMPORTANT REMINDERS. PLEASE REVIEW AND <u>SIGN</u> YOUR CHILD'S AGENDA EVERY EVENING. THANK YOU

CLASS NEEDS

- Chart paper, rolls of printing paper, any large pieces of white paper, etc. (used daily)
- ✓ Composition books or spiral notebooks
- ✓ Scissors (student)
- Small baskets, buckets (for storing glue sticks, scissors, etc.)
- Playground equipment (jump ropes, balls, sidewalk chalk, etc.)

- The newsletter will be sent home every Monday for the next month or so. Then, it will be sent every other Monday.
- A Math homework sheet will be sent home every Monday and will be due the *following* Monday. It's purpose is to provide a continuous, spiral review/preview of skills. *Please*, **do not** do the homework for your child. It will be checked for accuracy, but not given as a grade. I will use it to help guide my instruction based on your child's needs. So, I need for them to attempt all problems, even though we may not have studied the skill yet. Thank you for your understanding.
- Students should read each evening for at least 25 minutes. Media check-outs will begin soon.

Website: http://brighten3rd.weebly.com

Congratulations to **MIAH ARDIS**...our 1st Student of the Week! ©

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Please download and sign-up for our class app so you can see your child's learning in action through live updates!

Bloomz.net class code: 103LR2

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