



Room 204 News

August 25th - August 29th

Reminder: School gets out at 1:40 on Mondays

Please send in your kiddos 5.00 scholastic money if you haven't done so. We want to make sure each child gets a magazine ☺

**Winners of the drawings: Sophia Blue and Camden
Kaleb Roberts Won the Marble Guess Jar for all of first grade!**

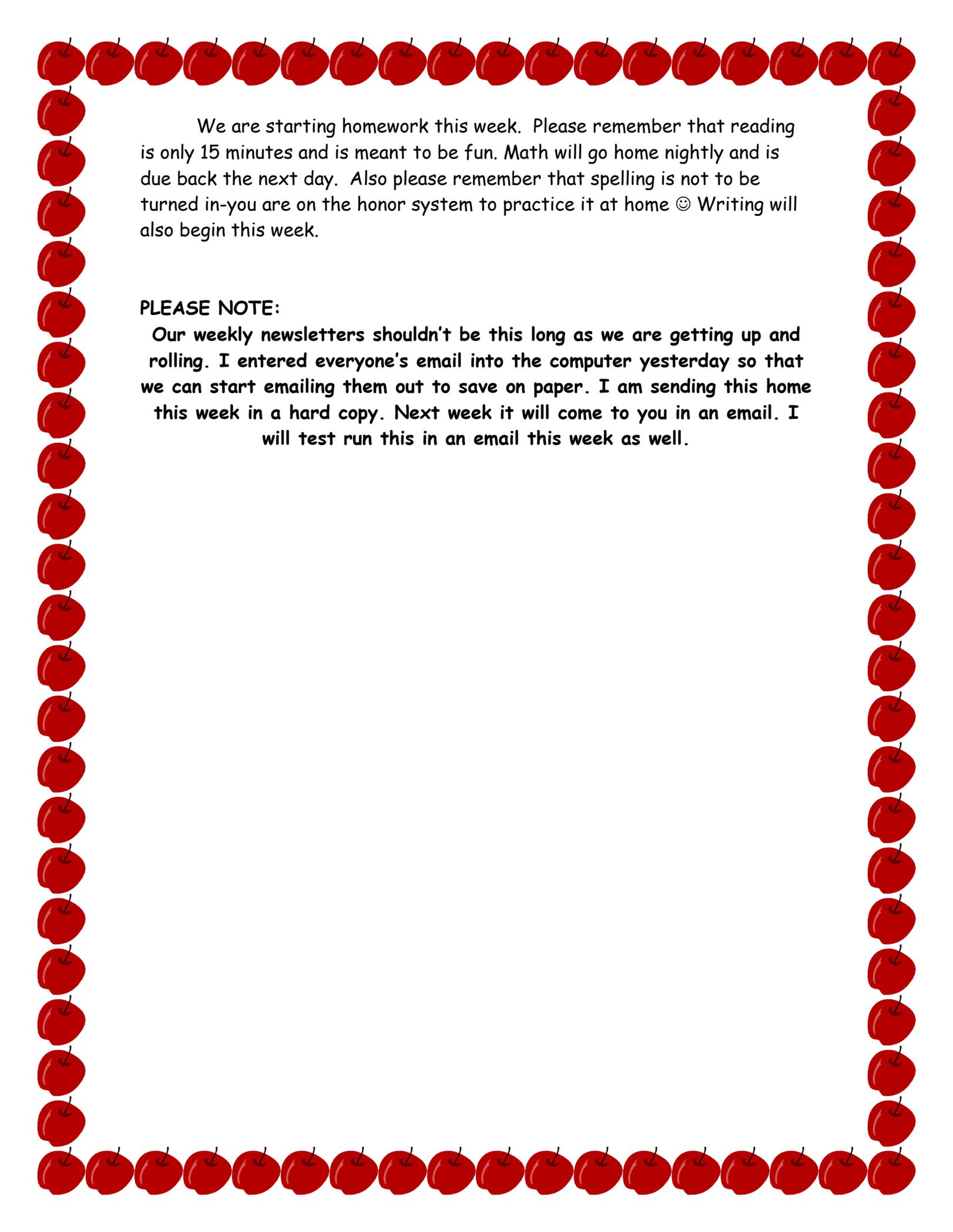
I had another great week getting to know your students and continuing to learn about our classroom. One of the things that we started this week was literacy assessments with each student. This will help me determine which reading group they are in during centers and then later for WIN What I Need reading group within all of first in September.

I would like to thank all of the parents that took the time to attend our Back to School Night on Thursday. ☺ I have already received some of the things on our wish list. Thank you to those of you who were able to help out with donations. Some of the things that we are still in need of are: extra snacks for children who do not have one, black Krylon spray paint semi gloss indoor/outdoor, roll of tickets (Walmart 3.00), and baby wipes.

For those of you who were unable to attend, you should have gotten a blue folder of information sent home today. It is everything that we covered at Back to School Night. Please keep that blue folder handy in your kitchen-it has most of the information you will need to help your child this year. If you didn't receive one please let me know and I will send one home.

If you are interested in volunteering in our classroom please let us know. We like to have parents help us run centers such as AR and the Phonics Game. It is only about a 1-1 ½ hour commitment and your child would love to see you in the classroom helping out. Our centers are going to be Tuesday through Thursday mornings from 8:30-10:00. I will be contacting parents next week to assign them volunteer days. We will have a short training on how to do the Phonics Game with our kiddos and the time is next Friday from 1:40-2:10 in Mrs. Parsley's room.

If you have not joined PTA please try to do so. Also, if you did not get a white PTA envelope and would like to join, the cost is \$7 per member. We have extra envelopes if you need one. The money goes to fund all of the great PTA sponsored events that we have at Rail Ranch every year. ☺



We are starting homework this week. Please remember that reading is only 15 minutes and is meant to be fun. Math will go home nightly and is due back the next day. Also please remember that spelling is not to be turned in-you are on the honor system to practice it at home 😊 Writing will also begin this week.

PLEASE NOTE:

Our weekly newsletters shouldn't be this long as we are getting up and rolling. I entered everyone's email into the computer yesterday so that we can start emailing them out to save on paper. I am sending this home this week in a hard copy. Next week it will come to you in an email. I will test run this in an email this week as well.