



St. Francis School
West Des Moines

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Issue 6

The Third Grade Classroom Newsletter

FYI/Upcoming Events:

- ITBS testing the week of Oct. 3 - 7. Students may bring a healthy, "safe" snack and a bottle of water each day. Great snack suggestions include: dry cereal, cheese sticks, fruit, vegetable sticks, pretzels, and crackers. Candy and chips are not allowed.

Religion

- FBC trait of Responsibility
- Rosary every Monday at 8:45 (focus on the Joyful Mysteries)

Writing

- Personal Narratives
- Using commas to set off a speakers words

Spelling

- No spelling list this week due to ITBS! Word lists going home on Sept. 30 will be tested on Oct. 14.

Reading/Comprehension

- Back up and Reread
- Self Monitor and Fix Up

Social Studies

- Starting Unit 2 – Where People Start Communities
- Next DOG quiz Oct. 14!

Math

- No math homework due to ITBS
- Please use money at home to have your child practice how to correctly count money and count back change.

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