

Grimes-Whiteaker Gazette

Classroom News for the week of January 7th- 11th

This week in our class:

Reminders:

Reading

Figurative Language

Similes, metaphors, hyperbole,
idioms, personification,
alliteration, onomatopoeia

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Language

Superlative and comparative
adjectives

Math

Operations:

Distributive property
Multiplication and division
strategies

Geometry:

Solid figures

Problem solving:

Multi-step word problems

Important Dates:

Writing

Persuasive writing

Social Studies

Martin Luther King, Jr. and the
Civil Rights movement

Monday, January 7th

– School resumes

Friday, January 11th

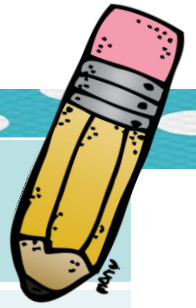
Report cards go home

Monday, January 21st

No School: MLK Day



Spelling



Unit 4, Week 1- "no excuse" words
Test Friday, January 11th

1. even	7. pair	13. nothing
2. below	8. give	14. laugh
3. hear	9. most	15. different
4. sure	10. water	16. between
5. hold	11. front	17. probably
6. mind	12. however	18. surprise



Vocabulary

Test on Friday, January 18th



cable- 1. a thick steel rope made of strands of wire twisted together, or
2. a bundle of wires covered by rubber or plastic along which an underground current can pass

cathedral a large and important church

convey – 1. to carry or move from one place to another, or 2. to make an idea or feeling known

device- something made or invented for a particular use

freight – goods carried from place to place, as by plane, boat, truck, or train

landmark- 1. a building or natural feature that is easy to see and can be used as a guide, or 2. an important event

method - a way of doing something

rod- a thin, straight, piece of wood, metal, or other material

shaft - 1. a long open tunnel that runs straight up and down, or 2. a bar that connects with other moving parts of a machine, or 3. the long narrow part of an arrow or other object

structure - something that is built, as a building or bridge.