

# Cosnowski's Connection

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## Curriculum Information

**Math:** Unit 2 decimals – Test on Wednesday, on-line practice test on Tuesday

**Reading:** Unit 1 Reading test on Tuesday – No way to study – We are doing a review in class – Starting Unit 2 Week 1

**Grammar/LA:** Reviewing Unit 1 topics

**Spelling:** Unit 9 Due **Friday (Halloween Thursday)**

**S.S.:** Starting Chapter 6 East Meets West

**Science:** Space – 6.4 Seasons

### Star of the week:

Materials due Oct. 28: Alex

Materials due Nov. 4: Josh

**Read Aloud Book:** *Witches* by Roald Dahl

### Important Dates/Quizlet Set Dates

Oct. 29 Extra Math Help 8:15

Oct. 29 On-Line Practice Test for Math

Oct. 30 Unit 2 Math Test

Oct. 31 Halloween Party – Parade 10:45

Oct. 31 ½ Day Dismissal 12:04 p.m.

Nov. 1 October Book due

Nov. 1 All Missing, Absent, Redo work Due

Nov. 1 Spelling Unit 9 Test

Nov. 5 No School

Nov. 12 Evening Conferences

Nov. 14 Afternoon and Evening Conferences

May 19 Field Trip to Green Field Village

### Accordion Binders

Please don't remove anything from your child's accordion binder at home. We will clean them out after tests. We cleaned out a few sections of our binder this week and sent the material home in their Friday Folder. Please keep it at home.

### Conference Times

I have attached a copy of my conference schedule to the e-mail. If you need to change your time, just let me know.

## Extra Math Help

I'll be offering extra help again to help prepare for the math test. If you'd like your child to attend, please let me know, so I can send your child's name to the office.

### Halloween Party

Thank you for all the donations for the party. We still need some toilet paper for one of the activities and maybe a few more volunteers. The party is from 9:45-11:15. Check out the SlyReply link in the e-mail. If your child wishes to bring a treat to share with the class, please make sure they have one for everyone.

### MobyMax

We will be starting MobMax next week. Throughout the month of November, the children will take introductory tests in Math, English, and Reading to make sure they begin the lessons at their level. These tests will count as their MobyMax minutes for the month of November. After the tests are completed, we will take a bit of time during November to explain the expectations for 5<sup>th</sup> grade. This will be the 3<sup>rd</sup> year 5<sup>th</sup> grade has used MobyMax as an intervention, and we've found it extremely helpful if the children try hard. More information will come home towards the end of November explaining the requirements for December.

### Math On-Line Practice Test

To encourage the children to study in advance for the math test, we have decided to offer an incentive. If they earn a 94% or higher on the on-line practice test they will take in school on Tuesday, they don't have to take the real test the next day. There is an **At-Home Practice Test** assigned right now. The **At-Home Practice Test** is **not** required; it's just an extra opportunity to practice. The **In-School Practice Test** they will take on Tuesday will count as a homework grade no matter what grade they earn. If they don't get a 94% or higher on the **In-School Practice Test** on Tuesday, they will need to take the paper-pencil math test on Wednesday.