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Issue # 12

Book Deviews & Authors

Animal Environments -

Mr. Cole's class will now address "Where do animals live together?" Students will discuss many different kinds of environments abundant with animals! More specifically, they will read about creatures, "At a Pond." Students will also learn to make predictions and inferences to support understanding.

Comprehension:

Main Idea

Key Details

Phonics:

Inflectional Ending -ing

Words to Know:

eat know of under who

Spelling:

his dig pat sun put

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• Readers of The Week

Gabby Johnson - December 11th
Hunter Munsch - December 18th

First Grade Giving

Mr. Cole is asking that each first grader bring two "gently-used" books to add to a classroom trading post.

• Early Release!

December 22nd



Math & Science Frontiers

Subtraction -

Mr. Cole's class has done a great deal of work with addition and combining situations this year. Now it is time to take a closer look at separating! For the next week, students in room 117 will extend their understanding of separating problems, in which they find the result when one quantity is removed from another. They will also record and share their solution strategies in small cooperative groups. Most of the activities will focus on ...

visualizing what happens in separating situations

developing strategies for solving separating story problems

recording strategies using pictures, numbers, & words



Quote of the Week

The most beautiful and profound emotion that we can experience is the sensation of the mystical.

- Albert Einstein