

# 6W Weekly News

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## *What we're learning*

**ELA**—We have been thinking about reading this week. We have been thinking about making connections to our own lives and to other texts while reading; we have been comparing and contrasting characters from books and we have been practicing reading to build our stamina.

**Math**—We have been reviewing place value and rounding to estimate. When do you find you round numbers in real life? This would be a good discussion to have.

**Social Studies**—We have been reading maps and thinking about globalization, particularly regarding products and where they were made.

**Science**—We have been learning about health and risks. We have also been learning about object modeling in Computer Science.

## Class Notices

- ♦ Sept 17—Constitution Day
- ♦ Sept 20—Open House
- ♦ Oct 5 -Orenda Springs Field Trip
- ♦ If you have old books or magazines to donate to the class library it is always very much appreciated.



We are solving the migration maze using teamwork. In this activity we can only learn by our mistakes!

## My learning this week

This table is to help you discuss your child's learning for the week.

TOPIC	Understand	Getting it	Need help
What is a connection in reading? What kinds of connections are there?			
What is globalization?			
What features would you expect to see in an Atlas? How do these features help us to find information?			
What are the steps in rounding numbers?			
What is the difference between value and place value?			

## HOMEWORK CORNER

Remember... You should be reading for at least 30 minutes every day!

