



Congratulations to Phoebe, our most recent Green Star of the Week! Her favorite sport is soccer. When she grows up, she wants to be a dog trainer.

APRIL 27, 2018

## 3rd Grade Learning

### Reading

Students learned about idioms and what they mean. Our tall tales focused on Slue Foot Sue and Jangles, a big fish that got away..

### Math

We worked with fraction strips, created fraction number lines, and played a new fraction game called Fraction Top It.

### Writing and Cursive

In writing, students wrote about the layers of the rain forest and an opinion piece about earthworms. Students are beginning to write their own tall tales with hyperbole (extreme exaggeration) and idioms.

### Spelling

We will be reviewing consonant clusters.

### Social Studies

Students learned about the roles and responsibilities of mayors, city councils, and city managers. Next week, we will take on community roles and simulate a town hall meeting.

### Ricker Library Visit on Thursday, April 26th:



### Science

Students are learning about earthworms and composting. We will be planting flowers and vegetables at the Poland Community Church Food Bank on May 24th as part of Community Service Day.