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Give Thanks

TO: Parents & Guardians

FROM: Kumu Kama

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RE: Skills covered this week and other news

Math: Students are working in chapter 5, "Use Multiplication Facts." This is a very short chapter. We are already half way through!

Students should be trying to memorize multiplication facts at home.

**Reading:** Students continue to do Kid Biz at school and are also able to do it at home. Students should be reading an independent book choice at home, and then they should take an AR quiz on the book when done. We are reading, <u>Thanksgiving on Thursday</u> on Mary Pope Osborne. Students are learning interesting facts that they might have not known about Thanksgiving before.

Writing: In our *Time For Kids*, students read about sea turtles. Students are forming an opinion about whether or not they think sea turtles need to be protected, why or why not, and what is the best way to protect them. They are writing their opinion piece with evidence to support their stance.

## news • Reminders

Wed., Nov. 11 Veteran's Day Holiday. No school.

Thurs., Nov. 12: Swim day for Group 1 Fri., Nov. 13: Swim day for Group 2 Mon., Nov. 16: In-Service Work Day. No school for students.

Nov. 24 & 25 - Parent Teacher Conference Days. No school for ES.

Nov. 26 \$ 27- Thanksgiving Holiday. No school for ES.