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## Math:

### Fourth Grade

- Students did a great job persevering through quite bit of testing!
- We have begun Unit 7 focusing on fractions and probability.

### Third Grade

- Unit 7 has begun! The third grade students will be practicing multiplication and division skills in class. We are learning about using parentheses in math equations.
- Multiplication facts need to be memorized. In both classes we are doing daily practice. Please take 5 minutes each day to work on these facts so that your child can be successful.

## Expedition:

- Navigators have been busily constructing storyboards of pre-fire Spokane in their base camps.
- James Glover popped in from the past to share his journal.
- Students are learning so much about Spokane history, ask them what they know!

## Literacy:

- Navigators have been busy journaling about their experiences. Many have been taking on the role of a person living through those times.
- Students have been working on longer writing pieces focusing on organization and/or voice. We are also working on using the revision process.

## Auction Information

- You should have received an auction packet this week. The packet included a registration form for dinner and a bidding number.
- **The Navigator teachers are auctioning themselves!** Bid on an afternoon with the Navigator teachers—the winning bidder and 3 friends will enjoy hanging out in the staff room cooking homemade pizzas and cookies. You haven't lived until you've spent an afternoon with us! Have you ever tasted any of Ms. Honn's baked goodies? She gives Betty Crocker a run for her money!

## Upcoming Events:

- March 2—Lighthouse awards
- March 7 and 14—Early release/collaboration
- March 16—Summit Auction—**Volunteers are still needed!**
- March 23—4<sup>th</sup> grade Math is Cool competition
- March 23-30—Student led conferences/early release.