



Greetings from Room 15! I hope this finds you well and looking forward to enjoying the holiday next week. Time is flying by, and it's hard to believe we're at the end of the first trimester already. This is a wonderful class. They work hard and are respectful and responsible students. I am enjoying getting to know all of them.

First trimester went well. The students did a wonderful job on their biome boxes and New England Town/Southern Plantation Projects. We have journeyed through multiplication, long division, and decimals, and we are now working on graphing in math. We are learning about the Revolutionary War in Social Studies, which the class seems to enjoy. The unit we are studying in Science, which is mixtures and solutions, can get a bit confusing, so I am urging the students to bring home their books and read over the material gone over in class. In Literacy, we are reading novels from our wonderful selection of Scholastic Books the district purchased for us last year. We are reading in groups, and all groups have a different book. They have many different center activities to choose from as well. All of this keeps them very busy.



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The students will be writing a lot more this next trimester. We will work on essays as well as extended response essays in reading as well as math.

Don't forget our spelling words can be found at spellingcity.com, which is a great site for students to play games, practice, and be tested on their spelling words. This site truly makes studying spelling more fun for them.

Please remember I am available most every morning and after school. If your child needs help, they just need to get a pass from me to come in the building before school. Please feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns. My telephone number is (630) 628-4075. Please leave a message, and I will return your call as soon as possible. You can also contact me via email at econstantopoulos@asd4.org. I wish you all a joyous Thanksgiving Holiday.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Constantopoulos