## What's happening in Grade 3?

**UOI:** It's hard to follow up a week of dinosaurs but we are quickly approaching the end of this unit and have one more category of rock to look at – metamorphic rock. It's here we will will learn the importance of marble, granite, and quartzite. In Library, Mrs. Smallwood has us looking at famous statues around the world (many made of marble). With her help, we will 'carve' statues.

MATH: We will continue to work on multiplication on a daily basis. In the Dinosaur Park booklet, the next activity involves money. Students will count totals and make 'purchases' based on those totals. Also, a reminder to spend time on Mathletics at home at least once a week..



- Spelling List 27
- Library Books are due on Tuesday
- EARTH DAY: on Thursday I challenge all students to bring a 'garbage-less' lunch.
- We will spend Friday afternoon outside rain/shine: appropriate clothing and footwear is required.





# Current Units of Inquiry

### How the World Works

#### Central Idea

Humans respond to the constantly changing planet.

#### Lines of Inquiry

- Earth's surface and composition
- Geology's impact on society
- Classification systems

#### How We Express Ourselves

#### Central Idea

Perspectives are reflected in the way we communicate.

#### Lines of Inquiry

- Forms of Communication
- Purpose of Communication
- Impact of Communication

Our How We Express Ourselves UOI runs the whole year.

