

# Miss Hoyle's Newsletter

October 6, 2023

<b>Writing</b>	<b>We continued our Personal Narrative unit (true stories about us). We continued drafting our stories. We found the “heart” of our stories and changed our writing to make our words more powerful. We continued drafting our stories. We learned how to properly punctuate dialogue in our writing.</b>
<b>Reading</b>	<b>We continued reading the book “The Wild Robot.” We learned how to check for comprehension. We described characters in the story and talked about how their actions contribute to the sequence of events in the book. We made higher-level predictions and learned how to support our predictions using evidence from the text.</b>
<b>Math</b>	<b>We finished taking the Unit 1 assessment. We used basic addition and subtraction facts to solve problems with larger numbers. We extended facts to multiples of 10. We used diagrams or pictures to solve number stories using addition and subtraction.</b>
<b>Science</b>	<b>We began learning about Force and Motion! We learned a force is a push, pull or twist. We learned about inertia, and talked about the force of gravity. We previewed books about our topic, and wrote questions we have.</b>
<b>Handwriting</b>	<b>We began learning cursive! We began with our “clock climbers” and learned the lowercase a, d and g!</b>