**SHARING**

This week sharing will focus on the short sound of /a/. This is the vowel sound heard in “map”. This sound can be anywhere in the word. It doesn’t have to be at the beginning.

Sharing next week will be Children’s Choice.

**PICTURE RETAKES**

Lifetouch has scheduled picture retakes for next Monday, October 28th. Look for more information to be coming home this week. Hopefully you’ll also have your child’s photos by then!

**SPELLING**

This will be a normal week of spelling. A brief description of the homework is included below.

**Monday**: Cut, sort, explain

**Tuesday**: Sort and write

**Wednesday**: Adult reads, child writes in correct category, fix as needed

**Thursday**: Sort, glue, add two

We’ll test on the words in class on Friday.

**SPIRIT WEEK**

The high school students have decided that this week will be “Spirit Week” at Susan B. English School.

Monday was PJ Day.

Tuesday is Twin Day. Students should match their clothing to a friend.

Wednesday is Cartoon Day.

Thursday is Dress Up Day. Students should wear their finest.

Friday is School Spirit Day. Let’s see those school colors.

As always, participation in these events is optional.

**SWIMMING**

We will be swimming this week. Please be sure your child has swimwear and a towel here by Wednesday afternoon.

**SCIENCE**

Students will explore static electricity in science this week.

**CONFERENCE SCHEDULING**

I’ve attached a form asking you to select the day and time block that will work best for you for next week’s parent/teacher conference. The options are a bit different this year. The district has selected a Friday and Monday (November 1st and 4th) as conference days. At Susan B. English, we will also hold conferences on Wednesday night (October 30th) for those who can’t attend during the day. Please complete this form and return it to school as soon as possible. Thanks!