



## Students "Blast Off" to Markham Elementary's Scholastic Book Fair

Markham Elementary students, parents, and faculty enjoyed shopping at the Scholastic Book Fair that was held in the school's Learning Resource Center during the week of November 14-18. The theme of this year's book fair was "Reading is Out of this World!" A special "Family Night at the Book Fair" was held on November 14<sup>th</sup>, making it possible for families to shop together. Following the "Family Literacy Hour" on November 18<sup>th</sup>, families were invited to stay for the school's annual Thanksgiving Turkey lunch and another opportunity to shop in the book fair. To promote the book fair, a competition was held to reward the class that purchased the most books with a \$75 shopping spree at the book fair. Shown above are students from Michelle Harvey's third grade class as they spent time filling out wish lists of books they wanted to purchase. Pictured left to right are: Jaqueline Lara and Alysha Alfaro.