## Kelley Class News



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Teacher-to-Parents

Dear Parents,

Hello! I hope you are doing well! Your students did such a wonderful job at our cultural arts assembly with Donna Washington last week. Everyone put first-things-first and utilized whole body listening skills. They also were proactive and responsible and chose their actions, attitudes, and moods appropriately.

A quick reminder, report cards were sent home on Friday, April 1<sup>st</sup> with your students. Please send the brown report card envelope back and keep the report card at home. We have almost wrapped up our plant and soil investigations, ask your student about what our class is doing for our plant growth experiment! As we get closer to spring-break we will be sending home a new reading time-log for you student to log some reading minutes. I am wrapping up my full-time student teaching this week and Mrs. Kelley will start to teach lessons again. I will still be teaching through May 3<sup>rd</sup> but wanted to express again my appreciation for having the opportunity to work with your students. Mrs. Kelley's class is full of amazing leaders!

We hope you and your families have a good spring break and a wonderful week!

Miss Golden, Mrs. Kelley, and Mrs. King

## Week-At-A-Glance

**Literacy:** We will begin module 4 unit 4 this week. This unit focuses on caring for birds and asks students to answer the question "Why should we care about birds?". We will begin by doing a text dive into 2 texts, "The Lion and the Bird" and "Pierre the Penguin" and starting class notes. In skills, students will continue to work with the "bossy "r"". We will learn how r-controlled vowels can change a vowel sound, focusing this week specifically on -or, -ir, and -ur.

**Math:** This week we will be wrapping up our work with 2D and 3D shapes. Students will focus on building composite shapes for both 2D and 3D shapes and take one final assessment for this concept. We will then move into our exploration of partitioning shapes, specifically circles and rectangles, into halves and fourths.

**Science:** We will be finishing our work with soil and plants. Students will be finishing a plant growth experiment with our class plant to see how removing a plants root impacts its ability to grow. They will use the scientific method to experiment and log their observations.

**Positivity Project: OPM Identifying and appreciating the good in others:** You look for and give thanks for the strengths of those around you. **Habit 5: Seek first to understand, then to be understood.** I listen before I talk

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<u>Specials</u> April 4- April 8 <u>Media</u> April 18- April 22 <u>Music</u>

### Reminders...

- 🗹 Bring a water
  - bottle to school
- Bring a snack to school
- Check the weather!
- Charge your device every night
- Bring back your take home books

# What's Happening

#### **Green ES Spring Fling**

Do you want to volunteer to help for our Green ES Spring Fling! On Friday April 22, from 5-7 pm, we will be holding our Green Spring Fling on our playgrounds and fields. Everyone is welcome and the cost is free for all Green

students and family members. Come say hello to your favorite staff/administration and have a family-friendly fun time. There will be food trucks, face painting, a Master Chang's martial arts station, cotton candy and inflatables, music, spirit wear sales, and more! Volunteers are needed for face painting, art projects, inflatables, spirit wear, and the Home Depot kids' project. Please use the following link to sign up to volunteer for this amazing event: <a href="https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0B49A4A82EA6FA7-gesspring">https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0B49A4A82EA6FA7-gesspring</a>

#### Family Survey

Dear families,

We want to hear your perspective on this school year! Please complete our Family Survey. You can use this link **https://panoramaed.com/wakecounty/family**. This survey is your opportunity to share your experience during this school year. The district and school will use this information to guide Family Engagement efforts next year. We appreciate your participation!

#### Parent Volunteers

Would you like to come in to help students learn sight words? We are in need of volunteers that could come in on a weekly basis to help students practice sight words and check off which words they know. If you are interested let us know by emailing tkelley@wcpss.net, sending a note, or send a message on Class Dojo or TalkingPoints.

### **Missing Clothes?**

Is your child missing a jacket or other outerwear? We have a mountain of clothing and other items that have been left around the school. Let us know and we will help your child look. If the items are not claimed, they will eventually be donated to an organization that helps those in need.







