

Kelley Class News



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Teacher-to-Parents

Dear Parents,

Hello! I hope you had a great holiday weekend. It was beautiful weather and a great time to get some rest and relaxation before the final weeks of school. This week an important part of school begins which is End-of-Grade testing, or EOGs. While we don't take EOGs we are definitely supporting that students that have to take these tests. We do this by cheering them on. We have "adopted" a 4th grade class and will cheer them on during their testing days. We are making a banner for them today and will do a few more things. The most important thing we do though is give them the testing environment they need to do their best. This means we are expecting the first graders to be silent in the hallways. They also can't go out for recess until testing is done, so they may have more indoor recess than usual. Please talk with your child at home and encourage them to use Habits 4 and 6 to Think Win-Win for all students in the building and to synergize and work together to be quiet.

We have more fun ABC countdown activities this week. Talent show day is on Thursday. Does your child have a talent they want to share? Be sure they bring anything they need to share their talent. On Friday, we will have "Under the Sea" day. Your child can wear beach clothes (no bathing suits) and bring a beach towel to sit on. We will be learning about oceans all week.

Have a good week!
Mrs. Kelley and Mrs. King

Week-At-A-Glance

Literacy: This week we will finish up our clay birds and will paint them and make info cards for a display. Students will get to go around and look at them during a museum walk. They are proud of their birds! We will be writing our own story about where a mermaid/merman would take us under the sea. They will create a special picture to go with their story.

Math: This week we will review concepts by playing some games. We will spend a lot of time with word problem games and also do reassessing of some math concepts. We are going to continue to work to the end of the year.

ABC Countdown: We continue our ABC countdown with fun things but also special words from the book: A New Alphabet for Humanity Children's Book: A Children's Book of Alphabet Words to Inspire Compassion, Kindness and Positivity. Our words for this week and last week: R: Respectful, S: Sincere, T: Thankful, U: Unity. For our ABC Countdown we will have: R: Rainbow Day, S: Spy Day (wear all black), T: Talent Show day (bring what you need to share your talent), U: Under the Sea day (wear beach clothes (no bathing suits) and bring a beach towel.

May 31, 2022

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Specials

May 31-June 3
P.E.

June 6-10
Art

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

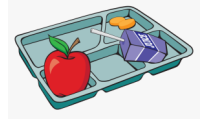
Apply for Free and Reduced Meals-Price Benefits

Remember to apply for free and reduced meals-price meal benefits. Meals will no longer be free after June 30th. Meal prices will change next year to the following:

Breakfast \$1.50 Lunch \$3.00

You can go here to find out more: <https://www.wcpss.net/Page/1849>

Did you know that we receive federal funds for our school for every child that qualifies for this benefit? You can apply beginning on July 1st.



New Resource at Home

Students have access to Lexia at home. This is like Dreambox, but for literacy. Your child should have this icon on their app launcher. If they don't, please let me know. This resource automatically adapts to your child's literacy needs. Lexia will be available at home and school until next August.



Lexia Core5
Reading

Campus Beautification Every Thursday

A team of volunteers will be out every Thursday morning from 7a - 9a starting May 12th. Come and help us make our campus beautiful. It is a great way to help our school and be outside at the same time. Thank you for your help to make our campus beautiful!



No more Pokemon Cards

Students have started bringing Pokémon cards to schools and trying to trade them. This has caused distraction even though I have told them they can only have them out at recess. They are finding their way into pockets and some are being traded, even though they have been asked not to trade cards. We have already had a student upset because they "traded" with a student, but didn't understand why the student kept their card. Please tell your child that these cards need to stay at home. Today I will be telling students that if they have cards out during the day, I will hold on to them until the end of the day. If they continue to come out, I will be holding them until a parent can come and get them from school or until the end of the school year.



Mark Your Calendar

May 31: R: Rainbow Day-Wear your favorite color

June 1: S: Spy Day-Wear all black and be in spy mode today

June 2: T: Talent Show Day-bring what you need to share your talent.

June 3: U: Under the Sea Day-bring a beach towel and wear beach clothes

June 6: V: Video Day

June 7: W: Wacky Tacky Day-dress in your most wacky tacky way

June 8: X: X marks the spot-we will go on a scavenger hunt

May Terrific Kids

We are so proud of this month's Terrific kids!

Terrific Caring

Ayden R.

Terrific L.C.A.D.er

Decker

Great job all of you!