

Mrs. Sheehan's Classroom News

3rd/4th Grade



Jan. 14-18th
IB focus: Principled

New IB UNIT OF INQUIRY

Our IB unit's central idea is "*Natural resources, landforms, and weather influence trade and our economy.*"

The maps are well on their way! The children added major landforms and water forms to an outline map of Washington State and colored them. (pictures are on the web page). Then on Thursday, they learned about the two types of climate found in Washington and added that to their maps. This next week, we will be learning about the natural resources found in Washington and adding those to our map.

Religion

We will be finishing up chapter 6 with a chapter test on Tuesday. With our 3rd grade field trip on Wednesday, we won't begin our next Chapter until Thursday afternoon. Chapter 7 is titled "You are Blessed" In this chapter, we will learn about the Beatitudes and intercessory prayers.

2nd Step/SEL

Lesson 11: Managing Strong Feelings.

In the last lesson, we learned about what happens when we feel strong emotions. This weeks lesson deals with what to do with those strong feelings.

If you notice in Powerschool/Religion that your child has a missing homelink for the bullying lessons be sure to have them complete the link and turn it in as soon as possible.

Math and ELA

All Math and ELA classes will be sending home emails to parents and posting on teacher classroom web pages information about their math and ELA classes.

Each math class will be going to **Robotics** once a week. The class is instructed by Mr. Huntamer.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Jan. 16 Third Grade Field Trip Pike Place Market
Fourth Grade MAPS testing
- Jan. 17-18 Third and Fourth Grade MAPS
- Jan. 21 NO SCHOOL (MLK Day)
- Jan. 23 Fourth Grade Field Trip Pike Place Market
Third Grade MAPS testing
- Jan. 28 Free Dress Friday
Friday Mass for 3rd/4th
Progress Reports
Father/Daughter Dance 7-9
- Jan 27-Feb. 2 Catholic Schools Week
- Jan. 27 Open House after mass 10-12:30

Star Student

- Jan. 14-18 Natalie
- Jan. 28-31 Emma Jo

Information and the sheets pertaining to star students are available at any time. They are located below the "I Wonder" Bulletin Board. You can also see what is happening each day on the class web page.

