

Mrs. Sheehan's Classroom News

3rd/4th Grade



Sept. 23-27th
IB focus: all the attributes

IB UNIT OF INQUIRY

Central Idea: Weather Patterns
Influence Climate

This week our focus is on the question, *Why are some places always hot?* In this *Mystery*, students are introduced to the concept of "climate" and explore the world's five major climates. We will be continuing to create "Weather Watcher's Journal" pages as we observe the weather around us. Some days this will be done at home and some days done during class time.

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.

Religion

Unit 1

God Our Creator and Father

Session 2 Learning Outcomes

- Explain that we worship the Trinity when we pray the Sign of the Cross.
- Explain that we bring God's love to life in our world by loving others.
- Identify practical ways to act on God's invitation in everyday living
- Define the *Sign of the Cross*

Prayer focus for the Unit

The Apostles Creed as well as Father Brad's prayer focus of "The Guardian Angel" prayer.

2nd Step/SEL

This week, we will be working on Lesson 2. Lesson 2's focus is on Listening with Attention. We will be discussing and practicing listening skills. The children will be bringing home the Home Link to extend and reinforce the concepts learned in this lesson.



Up Coming Events

Sept. 22: Safe Environment Class

Sept. 23, 24, and 25:
3rd grade MAPS TESTING

Sept. 26th St. Luke a Thon
(email sent out about the theme)

Sept 27th: Scout Carnival

Sept 30, Oct. 2, and Oct 3:
4th Grade MAPS TESTING

Oct. 1: Garden Time
(Dress for the weather)

Oct. 4 Bless the Pets
(after 8 am mass)

Oct. 5 Staff Auction Game Night



Star Student

Sept. 3-27 Mrs. Sheehan

Sept. 30-Oct. 4 Cameron

Oct. 7-11 Gary

Oct. 14-18 Carson

Oct. 21-25 Victoria

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.

