

1ST GRADE NEWS

News About School Activities and Upcoming Lessons
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NOTABLE EVENTS AND HAPPENINGS

4/10 - Palm Sunday

4/15 - Good Friday Early Dismissal, **Noon**

4/18-4/22 - Easter Break

4/29 - Free Dress Friday

5/14 - Grecian Gala Auction

UPDATES

How is it already April?!? We have so many exciting things to look forward to as we begin the month.

This week we are starting our new math unit. We will be learning how to subtract tens using number charts, base-ten blocks, and open number lines.

April brings the IB attribute of being reflective. This is a great attribute as a follow up to our conferences. We have been reminding students of what their spring goals are; what are our strengths and where do we still need to improve. Both strengths and areas of improvement can provide growth as learner, being reflective on these help support our goals.

This week in religion we will be learning and discussing the importance of Palm Sunday as we begin preparing for Holy Week.

Don't forget students will not have school April 18th-22nd for Easter Break!

WHAT WE ARE LEARNING THE WEEK OF APRIL 4TH-8TH

ELA:

- Decode and encode *y* words with *-er* and *-est* endings
- Add *-er* and *-est* endings to *y* words
- Finish an informational book
- HW: Backpack pages 13-16
- Spelling words: say, may, play, happier, happiest, down, too, work, many, first

Math:

- Use mental math to find 10 less
- Represent subtracting tens
- Subtract tens
- Use addition to subtract tens
- HW Pages: 11-1, 11-2, 11-3, 11-4

IB Theme: How families live around the world is shaped by environment.

- Finish Country informational Books
- Begin Summative Assessment Project

Religion:

- Lenten Season
- Palm Sunday

Second Step

- Solving Problems
 - With less adult support, students will be able to suggest one way to solve a problem in a given scenario.

OUR IB NEWS

IB Attribute

REFLECTIVE


Thinking about our strengths and weaknesses to grow and improve.



Key Concepts

CONNECTION

How is it linked to other things?



PERSPECTIVE

What are the points of view?



Central Idea

HOW FAMILIES LIVE AROUND THE WORLD IS SHAPED BY ENVIRONMENT.



IB Theme

WHERE WE ARE IN PLACE AND TIME



An inquiry into orientation in place and time, personal histories, homes and journeys, the discoveries, explorations, and migration of humankind, the relationships between and the interconnectedness of individuals and civilizations, from local and global perspectives.

