



News & Events

- Progress Reports are in Friday Folders, please sign and return promptly.
- Please make sure to fill out the DC permission slip and return it ASAP. Also, please review the DC Points contract with your child and focus on the need to reach the goal of an invitation to go on the trip. Sign and return ASAP. If you did not have a chance to attend the meeting, we can send home a copy of the handout. The next payment is due January 25.
- Winter Celebrations will be held on Thursday Dec. 21. Please look for additional information from your child's homeroom teacher. **Please sign up for Mrs. Lloyd's class at the SignUp Genius sent by Mrs. Nani for treat donations or email her at allisonnani3@gmail.com.**
- Scholastic Book order due Dec. 15. Code PN6T8
- Please make sure to check and sign Friday folders weekly

Important Dates

12/19-12/20 Aladdin Performance

12/21 Early Release.. Dismissal @ 1:15

12/22-1/1 No School Winter Break

1/2 Return to school

Classroom Updates

Math Mrs. Lloyd	Social Studies Mrs. Murrell	Science Mrs. Lloyd	ELA Mrs. Murrell
<p>This week we are finishing up our Polygon Art projects and will present them today. From what I have observed the children are very creative and put so much effort into them . We are now working on exploring numerical expressions and equations. They are a challenge but fun!</p> <p>Next week we will jump into the coordinate system and graphing.</p> <p>Please make sure your child is working on the lessons on Moby Max to strengthen fact fluency and teach on their levels.</p>	<p>Students selected one event from the American Revolution to research and report on. Students used computers and Ipads to research and note-take on their topic from the Revolution War.</p> <p>Students learned about holidays/ celebrations celebrated around the world. Students identified the significance of four holidays celebrated around the world: Christmas, Hanukkah, Kwanzaa, and Lunar New Year. Students participated in 4 activities that reflected their knowledge of these customs.</p>	<p>This week the students investigated how air pressure, direction, and air speed affects weather. They are designing models of barometers, anemometers, and wind vanes and testing out how meteorologists need these to predict weather.</p> <p>We will then look into the layers of the atmosphere and identifying clouds and the type of weather they bring.</p>	<p>In Reading, students selected topics of their choice to research for our next unit. Students visited the media center to check out books on their topic, used computers and Ipads to research. Students created research plans to include interviews, survey questions, videos, and texts. Students learned how to identify common main ideas across multiple research sources.</p> <p>In Writing, students selected one event from the American Revolution to research and report on. Students used a variety of resources to gather more in depth information about their focused topic. Students learned that in order to make our information writing powerful we must pull our reader/audience in. Students watched a short clip and charted ways to make our writing more powerful.</p>

