

Mrs. Cowan's Newsletter

February 26, 2019

We have started a new trimester this week. That means there is only 12 weeks left till we have second graders and first graders in our classroom! Time has flown by so quickly. This week we are kicking off a celebration of reading named Read Across America Week. We will have several guest readers and participate in some fun reading activities. Be sure to dress up this week according to our theme!

Monday, 3/4 "The Cat in the Hat" Dr. Seuss Theme Dress up!

Tuesday 3/5 "Green Eggs and Ham" Wear green clothes! Wednesday

3/6 "Wacky Wednesday" Wear mismatched clothes!

Thursday 3/7 "Go Dog Go" Wear your own hat!

Friday: 3/8 "Fox in Socks" Wear crazy socks!

Conferences next week are not mandatory, however it is at the request of the teacher or parent. If you do not request a conference for your child and you would still like to have one then please email me. You should have already received an email last week.

Academic Focus

Reading: ea, rhyming, silent letters, syllables, suffixes

Math: Subtraction -1 -0 (I); Addition. Numbers to 100 (K)

Project Focus

Social Studies: Long ago and Today

Science: None

Emotional: When I get frustrated I will...

Calendar

Monday, March 4 - Friday, March 8
Dr. Seuss Week

Friday, March 8
TBBC MEETING

Monday, March 11
3:00pm
Governance Council

March 13-15
Minimum Days
Conferences

Thursday, March 14
3:00pm
TBBC Meeting with Childcare

Wednesday, April 10
6:30pm
AUSD Board Meeting

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AVCCS News

Kindness Week continues with students giving out flowers that represent kind actions.

Independent Study Policy

This is a very valued program here at school and allows for us to capitalize as much funding as possible for our small school. When requesting IS the day your child might be out be sure to email or call before school starts. If possible I will try to provide a packet to print at home. If I am unable to do so please use the the Academic Focus area of this newsletter to create content at home and to be returned the following day. Also, you can use the following as daily practice when creating IS at home. Be sure to have students show their work on a piece of paper in their own writing as evidence of work.

- ✓ Spelling Practice Activity
- ✓ Student Reads Book 2x
- ✓ Parent Reads Book Aloud - discuss and write character setting and events
- ✓ Write numbers to 100. Practice Place Value
- ✓ Addition and Subtraction Practice
- ✓ Write a story about a historical figure
- ✓ Write an informative story about a scientific topic of study