



What is happening in the Classroom...

I hope that everyone had a fun weekend! My son is headed to D3 Nationals this week down in Virginia Beach. We are very excited for him as he defends his #1 position in the 800m race. I will let you know the results next week!

Book Report News: The book report is due on Friday, April 5th. The students will be presenting them to the class. They truly love to present their projects. It is a great skill to have.

Thank you, in advance, to our chorus members and Carsyn for helping out at Mass this week. We are at St. Brigid's for the months of March and April. It will be nice to have a little walk in the morning! Please remember to send your child prepared to walk.

The students have earned the 550 SELF CONTROL letters and will have a movie treat on Friday, March 22nd. I will provide the juice and popcorn for the event.

As a reminder, there is noon dismissal on Friday, March 8th. We have a Professional Development Day. Enjoy the afternoon!

Next week, Friday, March 15th we have a day off for Diocesan Professional Development. Enjoy the day!

Thursday, March 14th will be a green dress down day for the students. The cost is \$1. There will be more information going home soon!

Please remember that we spring ahead on Sunday, March 10th.

Progress Reports were available on Friday, March 1st. As always continue to check Edge2day.com to check your child's grades and missing assignments. If you see an incomplete, they were absent and need to complete the work, if there is a zero, they did not turn it in and they need to complete the assignment and turn it in sooner than later!



Onto Business....

Religion: Our study of the Third Commandment continues this week. We will discuss how we can spend our Sundays and how important family and time with God is in our lives. Our test covering chapter 11 will be on Friday. I will send a study guide on Thursday.

Math: On Tuesday we will add carries to our double-digit multiplication. The process to find the products is solid, we need to work on the details; adding the products, multiplying correctly and adding in the carries and the most important being neat! We will add multiplying 3 digits by two digits next week.

Science: This week we will continue our studies of behavioral and physical adaptations of plants and animals. We will look at prey and predator and how adaptations benefit an organism this week. Next week we look at endangered and extinct animals to finish our unit. We will have a test next week.

Reading: Sam has met Bando- who he believed was a bandit. He soon found out he was a college English teacher that got lost out on a hike. Bando was quite a help to Sam and they formed a great friendship. This week we find out how hunters help Sam and where trouble begins.

Social Studies: Students did a terrific job using their study guides to study for the Southwest region unit test! They ALL did great and will take their tests home on Monday. We will do a short Southwest state poster project this week and then move on to learning about the Midwest region.

Language: This week we will take our vocabulary and spelling tests in Unit 10 on Tuesday. Students wanted extra homework time to study for the social studies test last week. We will also begin Unit 3 this week in our ELA textbooks and will focus on action verbs, verb tenses, and subject-verb agreement in sentences. We will have a mixed review quiz on Friday.



Our Calendar...

March 4th: Mass 9 AM- St. Brigid's

March 5th: Last Life Skills Class 2:45-3:15

March 8th: Noon Dismissal Faculty Retreat, Tuition Assistance due

March 11th: Mass 9 AM St. Brigid's

March 12th: Life Skills (Last class at Assumption)

March 14th: PI Day, Pizza Slips due, Dress in green for \$1

March 15th: No School Diocesan PD Day, Last Basketball Camp

March 16th: Graduation from Life Skills

March 18th: Mass 9 AM St. Brigid's

March 19th: Spring Begins

March 22nd: Pizza Day

March 24th: Palm Sunday

March 25th: No School Mass

March 28th: Mass 1 PM

March 29th: No School Good Friday

March 31st: Happy Easter

April 1st: No School Easter Monday

Have a great week!

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5th Math: This week we will start out learning factors, prime and composite numbers, and the greatest common factor (GCF). This is an important concept as we move to putting fractions into lowest terms next week. We will stick with our multiplication check-ins as we will continue to use multiplication throughout this chapter.

5th Science: We will finish up our unit on Chemistry this week. We look at combustion, synthesis, and decomposition, while learning about acids and bases. We will complete litmus testing this week. Our study guide will go home on Wednesday and our test will be on Friday.

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