**January 18, 2022** 



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# **Prayer Kids**

**Tuesday** 

Zeke G. & Ayden H.

Wednesday

Harper H. & Liam H.

**Thursday** 

Max J. & Nolan M.W.

**Friday** 

Aden N. & Laurel R.



The 3rd grade students collected \$27.25 for the month of December.

Thank you and great job students!

(January: 1st & 2nd Grade)



Hot lunch is available for purchase every Wednesday. Cost of hot lunch is \$5.00 per meal and will be applied to your FACTS tuition account.

Wednesday, Jan 19

~Spaghetti~

(Stacey H., Jen J., & Kari H.)

# This and That

Good Morning,

Welcome to the first day of the 3rd Quarter. I love the first day of a new quarter; it is a reset, a way for all students to start fresh. Teachers will be turning in grades for the 2nd quarter by January 28, and after that grades will be emailed to you through FACTS.

Tomorrow we are having a fun Science Assembly with Jim Roy. He is a Christian Scientist and has been on our campus before. He does a wonderful job making science fun and exciting. His program is perfect timing as our students are getting ready for our Open House/Science Fair. The Science Fair will be on February 13th. I know this is Superbowl Sunday, but this is one of the only dates that worked in our calendar. We will begin at 10:00 a.m. and be done by noon. This is an attendance day and science fair projects are part of your child's Science grade. Please check with your child's teacher for classroom specifics.

Thank you for being so diligent in keeping your kids home when they are not feeling well or if there has been any exposure to COVID. We have only had a few kids test positive, but have had many out due to exposures. Our teachers are happy to work with any student who is at home and will do our best to make sure they keep up with their studies.

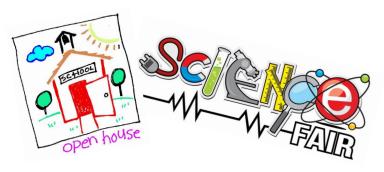
Have a great week!

Blessings,

Leslie Bartsch



MAP testing weeks are scheduled for Jan. 31- Feb.11. Actual test days during these two weeks will be determined by the teachers.



Our school open house/science fair is scheduled for Sunday, February 13th from 10:00 to 12:00pm. Open house/Science Fair Day is a required minimum day of school and attendance will be taken.

Please plan to come and see your child's science project on display! (see attached guidelines for science displays).



Parents! Have you taken Christmas photos but not loaded them to TreeRing yet? We need your help. Our yearbook is only as good as the photos the parents give us. Please help out!



### This Week in Chico Oaks Basketball:

Hello everyone! I hope you all had a great long weekend and got a chance to do something fun. Here is the schedule for this week:

# **Boys:**

Tuesday (today)—Game at 5:15 vs. Kirkwood Elementary (HOME)

Wednesday—Game at 4:00 vs. Flournoy Elementary (HOME)

Sunday—Practice 4:30-6:00

#### Girls:

Tuesday (today)—Game at 4:15 vs. Kirkwood Elementary (HOME)

Wednesday—Game at 5:00 vs. Flournoy Elementary (HOME)

I'm hoping we don't have any changes due to COVID, but I'll try to keep you updated as soon I hear anything. Since we are playing two HOME games, we will be wearing WHITE for both games this week. Please let me know if you have any questions. Go Chico Oaks!

Joy (520-5042)

# Plan Ahead!

Please check the "Plan Ahead" section each week as the calendar is subject to change. Thank you.

MAP Testing - Jan. 31 - Feb, 11

School Board Meeting - Feb. 10

Open House/Science Fair - Feb. 13 Attendance Day

Prospective Student Visitation Day - Feb 17

Presidents Day - No School - Feb. 21

Spring Picture Day - Mar. 2

School Board Meeting - Mar. 10

Daylight Savings Begins - Mar. 13

Week of Prayer - Mar. 14-18

End of 3rd Period (44 days) - Mar. 18

Spring Break - Mar. 21-25 - No School

Teacher in Service - Mar. 28 - No School

School Resumes - Mar. 29

Parent-Teacher Conferences (Optional) - April 7 -

Noon Dismissal

School Board Meeting - April 14

5th/6th Grade Outdoor Ed Trip - April 18-21

Education Sabbath - April 23

Administrative Assistant Appreciation Day - April 27

Teacher Appreciation Week - May 2 - 6

Map Testing - May 9 - 20

# **Homework & Class Information---**

Mrs. Weems Music Teacher January 18 - January 21

Up-coming performances:

**April 23 -** Education Sabbath

Mrs. Moon – Kindergarten January 18 - January 21

**Bible Story:** "Through the Sea" Exodus 13:21-22

**Memory Verse:** Praise the LORD, for the LORD is good; celebrate his wonderful name." Psalm 135:3

**Theme:** This week we will be learning about the animals in the Antarctic, especially Penguins! There is so much to learn and we will enjoy books, crafts, and writing projects.

**Show and Tell:** Jackson, Brooklyn, Grayson, Dayanara, Lily

Mrs. Miceli – Grades 1 & 2 Mr. Ponce January 18 - January 21

**Memory Verse:** "In Him, our hearts rejoice, for we trust in His holy name." Psalm 33:21

**Spelling:** Review Week: he, see, much, stop, may, take, nice, side, each, such, grade, line

Our Science Fair/Open House will be held on Sunday, February 13th. As part of their Science grade this quarter, each student is required to make a Science Fair Project, complete with a project board. These are to be completed at home. The guidelines will be sent home soon. There are many science topics and experiments to choose from; have your child choose one that they are most interested in. The projects will be on display in our classroom during the Open House, along with some fun science activities for the students to participate in.

### 2nd Grade

**Spelling:** any, baby, every, family, holy, only, penny, ready, story, very, city, easy, study

**Math:** Making fractions out of whole units, learning how to carry the 1.

**Social Studies:** Beginning a new unit, Unit 3. Grades are largely based on participation so encourage your students to participate in class.

# Mr. Selby – Grades 3 January 18 - January 21

Hello all! It is a new quarter, and with that comes a fresh slate. We are resetting our AR reading goals. Last week the class just barely finished their class reading goal. That means I am planning on having a class party on Thursday the 20th. We will watch a movie and have snacks and I'll have some games for them. A little reward for their hard work. I will bring some snacks but if you are able to bring something please let me know. This quarter I will be raising their goals and so it will be harder to reach. so please help your student remember to read at home as much as possible. Aim for 30 min a night. We also will be starting our science fair projects this week. We will have a class project and each student will be doing one individually. I am hoping to have most of that done at school. but your student may need some help at home.

**Memory Verse:** Matthew 9:38 "So pray to the Lord who is in charge of the harvest: ask him to send more workers into his fields."

**Spelling:** hour, mouth, allow, amount, anyhow, clown, crowd, doubt, drown, ground, loud, mouse, plow, power, shout.

**Math:** we will be introducing 6 times tables this week. We will also be working on lesson 19 on Wednesday.

**Social Studies:** Beginning a new unit, Unit 3. Grades are largely based on participation so encourage your students to participate in class.

# Mrs. Bartsch – Grade 4 January 18 - January 21

Memory Verse: Matthew 9:38 "So pray to the Lord who is in charge of the harvest: ask him to send more workers into his fields."

Spelling (Lesson 17) - Words - haiku, biceps, coyote, migrant, crisis, device, entice, iceberg, fiery, aisle, eyeing, compile, crime, climate, dining, combine, decline, pride, aspire, imply \*No Spelling Sentences Due this week!

## **Handwriting - Lesson 16**

Math 4 - This week we will be working on Lessons 55-57. We will also be taking a test on Thursday and Friday. This week we will be testing on our 10's. There are a few who need to

retest on their 2's. Students need to be able to complete their quiz with 100% accuracy. They have 1 minute to answer 25 questions.

**Literature** - We are currently reading a new book called "A Family Apart." It is based on the true events of the Orphan Trains that traveled west in the late 1800's. We will be reading this book until the end of January.

**Science** - We are finishing up Chapter 5 this week. There will be a quiz over Chapter 5 on January 25th. Today I am sending home a packet about the science fair. Science Fair Projects will be due in the classroom by February 11.

Field Trip - I have tentatively scheduled a field trip to the California History Museum in Sacramento. This is based of course on COVID restrictions as the date gets closer. The date is March 16. We would leave the school about 8:30 a.m.

# Mr. Raj – Grades 5 & 6 January 18 - January 21

Science Fair: This week's work will be focused on getting students organized in what materials they will need and how they will conduct their experiment or work on their project.

**Science:** While focusing on science fair our time in-class will be split with working on science fair and Chapter 1.

**Bible:** We will begin moving onto our next story from the Bible that we are studying which will be Samson.

**Math:** Green Book: We will continue to review Chapter 3 this week and prepare for a math test, Monday 31st

As they are getting to the end we will review and prepare for a test Tuesday 25th.

**ELA:** We are continuing in Esperanza Rising and will work on some materials that go with the book.

**Vocabulary:** Unit 11 vocabulary is this week. The lesson is in Google Classroom if your student does not have it.

**Social Studies:** We are learning about the Middle Colonies and will have class activities and sheets to support that.

Mrs. Lauderdale – Grades 7 & 8 January 18 - January 21

**8th Grade Parents** – Please confirm with Mrs. Lauderdale if your child is going on the trip. We are purchasing Disneyland tickets this week!

Missing & Late Assignment Update: In order to keep on top of the paperwork in the classroom, I will no longer be accepting work from previous chapters or lessons in any subjects. This means when we finish the history test on chapter 18 & 19, review questions will no longer be accepted on those chapters. I have explained this to the students, but please reach out if you have any questions.

**ELA:** Students will retake the STAR assessment this week to update their current reading level. Vocabulary Unit 11 is this week as well, all lessons are on Google Classroom.

**AR:** AR goals have been reset! Please remember to read. A list of students who met their goal will be available by Wednesday.

**Social Studies:** We are starting Chapter 19 and the movement west. Lesson 1 Review Questions are due Thursday. Students will continue to take notes and prepare for the essay test for Chapter 18 & 19 on February 3.

**Science:** While focusing on science fair our time in-class will be split with working on science fair and Chapter 12

**Bible**: We are finishing our study of Galatians, discussing questions students have submitted together.

## Math:

**G1:** We as a class will be moving on to Chapter 2 in our book. Many of the students will be doing a review of chapter 1 with me during lunch for the next few weeks. Mr. Selby

**G2:** 4.2 & 4.3 test

**G3:** 7.1 & 7.2

**G4:** 6.1 & 6.2

**G6:** 3.6 & 3.7

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