

Third Grade News

March 11 - 15, 2024

The Classical Academy East Elementary

Calendar

March 12

1st/2nd Grade Concert All School Dress Up Day

March 15

Pi Day Denim Day

March 25-29

Spring Break

April 5

"Dream Variations" due Titan Buddy Denim Day

April 8, 9, 10

CMAS testing for 3rd grade

April 17

5th/6th Grade Concert All School Dress Up Day

April 25

Art Show 5-7 pm

<u>April 26</u>

Service Run

May 2 & 3

Literacy Testing by Appointment

"No act of kindness, no matter how small, is ever wasted."

~aesop~



Thank You!

Thank you so much to all of our amazing parent volunteers who make our reading groups run so much smoother! We couldn't do it without you!

<u>Dissection:</u> Owl Pellets

Our Owl Pellet Dissection in Science is coming up at the beginning of May.

Students and volunteers will be dissecting owl pellets to piece together the contents of an owl's diet. This dissection connects with our unit on the Human Senses and Movement. It will help students better understand our skeletal system.

Be looking for an email in the next few weeks from your child's teacher regarding volunteer sign ups.



Quick Stop: A Multiplication Game

Compete for the highest score as you flip over cards. Add up your cards until you reach 1000 points. The first one there wins!

What You Need: deck of cards, pencil and paper for every player

What You Do:

- 1. Place a well shuffled deck of cards, face down, in the center of the playing area.
- 2. Each player begins by drawing one card and placing it face up in front of themselves. Players write the value of this card down at the top of their papers. (Aces are worth 1, and face cards are all 10.)
- 3. When all players are ready, everyone draws a second card. They multiply the value of these cards and add to their totals.
- 4. Keep playing until one player reaches 1000. *Variations:*
- Play until the deck runs out. The player closest to 1000, without going over, wins.
- Add jokers into the deck. If a player draws a joker, their score drops back to zero.
- Start with 1000 points, and subtract your way to the finish.

Keep practicing those X and + facts!

In Our Curriculum:

Please sign planners nightly!

Spelling

Test on lists 47-48 & rule 20 Rule 20 — the letter 's' never follows the letter 'x'.

Grammar

Pronoun/antecedent agreement, possessive nouns, helping verbs, to/too/two, use conjunctions to combine sentences

Writing CMAS Test Prep

<u>Literature</u> The Sign of the Beaver

Recitation

"Dream Variations" due 4/5

<u>Science</u> - Weather Test Human Senses and Movement

<u>History</u> - Explorers

Math - Ch. 11 Test 3/15

Chapter 11: Students will learn to measure and convert compound units of length, volume, weight, and mass in the metric system.

March Character Trait

Kindness