

October 4, 2019 Quarter 1, Issue 5

Upcoming Dates

October 9 – No School/Teacher Workday

October 11th - Art Museum Field Trip

October 17th – Parent Academy

Take a Sneak Peek at Next Week

<u>Math</u>: Graphing

<u>Reading</u>: Unfamiliar Vocabulary, Refer Specifically to the Text, Main Idea/Key Details

<u>Writing:</u> Quick Writes & Writing Informational Paragraphs with Main Idea & Text Details

<u>SC:</u> Human Body



Everyone looked so nice on picture day! Continue asking them questions about what they learned in school and how they treated each other with respect!

*Parent/Teacher Conferences: We sent a link to our Parent Conference sign up. There is also a link on our website. Please choose a time that works best for you. Thanks!

*<u>Walk/Bike to School:</u> Thank you to those who participated! There were 11 students from Mrs. Ross' class and 15 from Mrs. Drager's class. For a hot day, those numbers are impressive!!!

*Field Trip: We are looking forward to our field trip on Friday, October 11th. We will send a reminder note on Thursday about lunch & field trip expectation.

*Friday Folders - Assessments: Please sign and return any student work, that has a number score on them (1, 2, 3, 4) Example: quizzes, tests, writing pieces. We are collecting the graded work for your child's portfolio. Please keep any other assignments at home,

*Parent Academy: Come join the DDE staff at our Parent Academy on October 17th. There will be numerous presentations about how to make your child's elementary school experience the most successful. You can find more information here:

bitly/dde-parent-academy

*Ascend Math: We are working on our math facts. If your child would like practice their facts at home, Ascend Math is a great website. There is a link on our website under Tech Links

Star Student of the Week

<u>Drager</u>

Katherine Wu

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<u>Ross</u> Isabel Franklin

Mrs. Drager

- Math: We will continue our unit on Graphing. We will have a quiz on Tuesday and then a Test on Friday. Students will need to analyze a graph and answer two step questions and also create a graph using data.
- Math Facts: We will be focusing on the 6's facts and 7's facts next week.
- SC: We will continuing our Human Body unit on the skeleton and joints. We are also learning a few bone names for fun!

Mrs. Ros

- ❖ Unit: Overcoming Learning Challenges Near & Far
- * Language Arts: We will continue in the book, My <u>Librarian is a Camel</u>, next week in class and determine the main idea and explain how key details support the main idea. We will also be finding the meaning of unfamiliar words by using context clues from the text (4 dictionary) Reading groups were introduced this week!!
- Writing: When writing, I am encouraging the students to spell words correctly if they are in the question or in the text. This is especially important in their paragraph writings!!! (Reminder: RACE is behind "Reading" tab).