



➤➤ MAY NEWS

A NOTE FROM THE TEACHERS:

Thank you for your continued support and collaboration to ensure students' success and well-being.

Our roadrunners are respectful, responsible, and safe!

➤➤➤➤ EVENTS

May 2nd- STEM Night

May 14th- No School- Election Day

May 27th No School Memorial Day

➤➤ REMINDERS

- Please continue to work on Zearn and read everyday at home, to build Math and Reading fluency
- Please send an email to your child's teacher or call the school to communicate any dismissal changes

➤➤➤➤ MATH FOCUS

This month, we continue to work within Module 7 of the Eureka curriculum. Students will begin working with bills and coins. They will apply their knowledge of coin values, place value strategies, and the properties of operations to solve addition and subtraction word problems to find the total value of a group of coins or bills. They will then use drawings (e.g., tape diagrams and number bonds) and equations with an unknown to represent addition and subtraction word problems. They will also complete the end of module assessment this month.





READING & WRITING

This month, during the first two weeks, we will conclude Unit 7 of the Benchmark curriculum and students will complete the end of unit assessment. We will then begin working within Unit 8. The essential question for this unit is “How do we react to changes in nature?” Students will read and compare selections about the causes of Earth changes, such as erosion and natural disasters. In Writing, students will plan and organize an informative essay about how water and wind cause Earth changes.



SCIENCE FUN

Students will continue their exploration of plant growth, seed dispersal, and pollination. During the week of April 8th, we had the opportunity to plant lettuce seeds in our school courtyard. When we harvest the lettuce, students will participate in a Salad party, where they will have a chance to build a rainbow plate of fresh fruits and vegetables to enjoy. Students will also be planting lima bean seeds and are eagerly observing their plants sprout and grow. They will be recording their observations and wonders in their plant journals, and ensuring that their plants receive sunlight and water each day.



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