

Dear Families,

We had such an exciting week preparing for our annual celebration of International Week. The children have participated in engaging activities and learning a great deal about our country Mexico.

This week we made maracas and volcanoes along with other items. We will have them on display during our passport day on Wednesday and the International Dinner.

Below is the planned schedule for International Week.

Monday 4/8: Dress in your country's colors red, white, green.

9:15-9:40-Flag Ceremony.

Tuesday 4/9: Short video about the day in the life of our country.

Wednesday 4/10: Passport Day and International Night dinner. See sign up genius for both.

Thursday 4/11: Travel with buddy day. Dress down in any color of the rainbow. \$2 donation for kindness and peace.

Friday 4/11: International Week Mass in the church @ 9 a.m/Honor roll ceremony. Student Assembly in the afternoon.

An email for the dinner was sent out to sign up for specific foods to contribute for our country. A sign up genius has been created for helping with passport day in the morning. You can look for an email from Mr. Gelson. The tables will also be on display at the dinner in the evening.

Report card will be mailed next week along with your child's STAR testing results. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions. The testing is used as a benchmark to measure your child's growth along with looking at their strengths and areas we can work in the classroom on a daily basis. We will take one more benchmark in the middle to the end of May.

In February, your child was also administered a DRA to measure their reading. You can email me if you would like the results of those as well. The students are working so hard and have all made such progress in all areas of the curriculum.

Enjoy your weekend,
God Bless,
Mrs. Heyder

Religion: We will review parts of the mass and do an open book review in class on Unit 3.

Math: We will complete our unit on time and have a test on Tuesday. Vocabulary- Analog clock, digital clock, minute hand, hour hand, half hour, quarter hour, quarter till, am,pm.

Science: We will continue to learn about the geography of Mexico.

Social Studies: We will explore other countries through games and activities for International Week.

Reading/Language Arts/Grammar/Spelling: See attached focus wall and words in Friday folder.