



ALCA WEEKLY NEWS



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Let's Review Our Week!

A Note from Sis. Coffey

Wow! What a busy week! This week was very busy with all grades completing their first **TEST** in all subjects!

Reminder for Parents:

Please continue to check your students' folder for any papers going home on Tuesdays and Fridays!

Thank You Students!

Special thanks are due the following students:

Logan Sears and Sarah Dickerson for vacuuming classrooms and the lunchroom!

Serenity and Ethan Laffoon for helping clean and carry dishes!

Corbin and Jackson Adams for helping take out the trash!

Kindergarten

We have completed all 5 vowels this week! We have worked on short vowel sounds, as well as recognition of capital and little letters of the vowel sounds. We are working on recognizing numbers 1-8 which includes writing and counting the numbers in our daily exercises. This week in writing we practiced writing our little vowel letters in cursive! In Social Studies, we are still studying our community helpers (Pastor, Policeman, and Fireman). Lastly, in Art, we are working on our 7 days of creation booklet!

2nd Grade

In Bible we learned the scriptures Genesis 1:1-5! In Phonics class we are continuing the study of blends and special sounds. We had our 2nd test this Thursday! Also, in Spelling, we had our 1st test this week! We are practicing writing phrases and letters of the alphabet in writing class. In Math, we are working hard on addition and subtraction problems as well as telling time! We are reading "Story Tree" and "Handbook for Reading" in Reading class. Lastly, in Art, we worked on an Apple 3D Dimension Project!

6th Grade

This week in Math class, we learned about Measures. In Science, we are learning about trees and have started a project called Adopt-A-Tree! For History class, we started a new chapter about Canada. Lastly, in English class we had our 1st test this week and are beginning to work on Creative Writing!

Special Note: English Grades 7-12!

All grades are beginning **NEW** units! They are reviewing and learning all types of sentence punctuation.

7th Grade

We studied fractions this week in Math and in History, we have started Chapter 4 (already!). In Science class, we are learning about leaves. Students should begin collecting for a **LEAF COLLECTION** that will be due **9/15**. Students can look at pgs 53-54 in their Science book to learn more about this project!

8th Grade

In Math class, we are studying decimals and in History class, we are beginning a new chapter about Colonial culture. In Science, we are beginning to learn about the foundations of Geology!

9th Grade

We are beginning to study values and graphs in Math! **Students will need to bring a protractor, compass, and graph paper to class this next week!** In History, we are beginning Chapter 2 studying the Middle East and in Science we are learning about the States of Matter! We will also be introduced to the Science in Action Project this next week!

10th Grade

In Math class, we are working on dividing exponents! In History, we are beginning Chapter 4 which is the study of Other Asian Cultures and in Science we are learning about Variety in the World of Plants! We will also be introduced to the Science in Action Project this next week!

12th Grade

We are learning about travel expenses in Math class. In Government, we are studying Chapters 1-3 for our test on **TUESDAY!** In Family Science, we are learning about nutrition!

Special Classes

Bible

* This week we learned about the 8 levels of spiritual maturity. Your child is learning the power scriptures of Luke 10 and will need to know these by this **MONDAY!** Please make sure you review the memory verses with your child.

Art

* We are working on **Symmetrical Design** using our names or the name of our country, state, etc.

Music

* We studied and practiced writing **Music Symbols and Dynamics**. We also were introduced to the first song we will learn this year, which is called "Glory is Yours" by Elevation Worship!

Upcoming Events

September 7 – Labor Day!

No School! 😊

September 14

Board Meeting at 7 PM.

September 15

Attn: 7th Graders: Leaf Collection Due!

September 24

Back to School Open House at 7 PM.