



# News From Room 122

Here's what we have been doing this week!

## Language Arts

We are taking a break from Reading and Spelling this week to take the ITBS. Thankfully the students tend to get more excited about being on the computer than worrying about the test. They haven't developed that test anxiety yet!

We are working on writing many different poems. We will be creating a little poetry book with all the poems we write! Students will also be typing their poems and finding pictures to go along with their poems.

## Science

In science we have been learning about light. We learned that light travels in a straight line and that opaque objects will create a shadow. We even played a little shadow tag! We also learned about transparent and translucent objects. This week we learned about lenses and we will also learn about the colors in a rainbow.

## Math

In math we have been working on making bar graphs with a scale of two. We also learned about parallel lines (two lines that are always the same distance apart and will never cross) and right angles (like the corner of a paper). These two concepts have been a little difficult for some of the students, encourage your child to find places where they can see these two things. We also learned about the fives multiplication facts. The students are enjoying learning to multiply!

## History

We are learning about how the settlers traveled across the United States back when most of the country was frontier land. We learned about canals and how boat locks work. This week, will learn about the pony express and how the railroad was built. We will take a test on this unit next week Tuesday.

2016-2017 School Verse

The grass withers, the flower fades, but the Word of our God will stand forever.

Isaiah 40:8

## Bible

How many ways are there to heaven? Some people believe there are many, but that's not true. In Acts 4:12, we read, "And there is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved." And what name is that? It's Jesus. Through faith in Him, we are saved from our enemies—sin, death, and the devil.

"Salvation through Jesus" is the title of Unit 8. It is full of true stories about Holy Week—the most pivotal events in all of history. Through the stories in this unit, your child will see how much God loves us—so much that He was willing to give His only Son in payment for our sins.

## Upcoming Memory

April 28

[Jesus said,] "Just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another."

John 13:34

May 5

If we confess our sins, [God] is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

1 John 1:9

May 12

While we were still sinners, Christ died for us. Romans 5:8



## Mark Your Calendars!

- May 1-5 is screen free week! There will be more information to come.
- May 19 Volunteer Appreciation Breakfast
- No school Monday, May 29 for Memorial Day

## Picture of the Week

