

Leaping to Success!

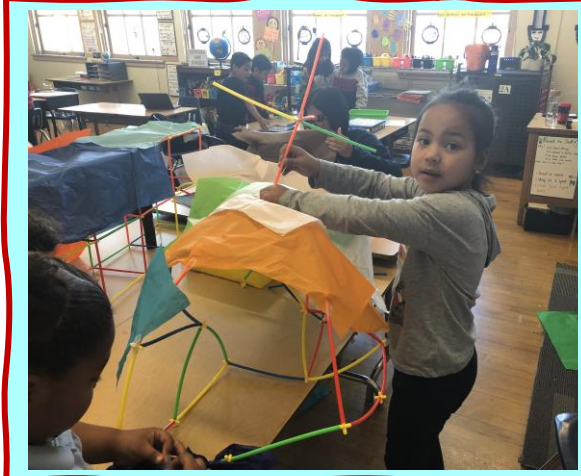


WEEKLY MESSAGE

Week of 2/17 ~ 2/21/2020

"I'm a success today because I had a friend who believed in me and I didn't have the heart to let him down."

~ Abraham Lincoln



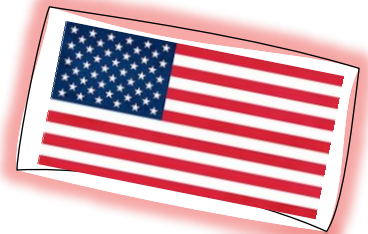
Jackson's students are working and learning among friends!
Above center: Mrs. Ayala and Mrs. Briggs' Classes form a heart symbolizing kindness.
Top left/right: 5th graders design and create wooden kinetic creatures.



Bottom left/right: First and 2nd grade students in Mrs. Briggs' class designed and built translucent "ice castles" for next year's Ice and Snow Festival in China, each with a source of light!

Bird's Eye Weekly View

Instruction begins at 7:50 a.m.
February is Black History Month!



MONDAY, 2/17:

❖ **Presidents' Day ~ Regional Holiday ~ ENJOY!**

TUESDAY, 2/18:

- ❖ **Grade 1 Music Center Theatre Arts Residency classes begin!**
- ❖ Grade 2 Field Trip to the Getty Museum (Participants: Ms. Reese and Ms. Briggs' classes)
- ❖ 2:30-3:30 p.m. African American History Bee Practice (Location: Library)
- ❖ 5:30-6:30 p.m. PTA General Meeting (Location: Auditorium)
- ❖ Morning Duty: Newell, Quiroz, (Playground), Arrieta (Drop-Off), E. Cardenas (Cafeteria)
- ❖ Recess Duty: Acosta, Jacinto, Briggs, Alcantar, Cervantes, Townsend



- WEDNESDAY, 2/19:**
- ❖ All-Day Kindergarten Grade Level Collaborative Meeting (Location: Auditorium)
 - ❖ 7:30-9:00 a.m. **Bike Safety Assessment ~ Drive carefully!**
 - Location: Streets Surrounding Jackson
 - ❖ 8:50-11:45 a.m. Gr. 3 Field Trip: Descanso Gardens (Ms. Winckler, Mr. Reyes' classes)
 - ❖ 1:30-2:00 p.m. WSMA AVID Presentation to Selected 5th Grade Students
 - Location: Cafeteria (Tentative)
 - ❖ Morning Duty: Banuelos, Newell (Playground), Arrieta (Drop-Off), E. Cardenas (Cafeteria)
 - ❖ Recess Duty: Ruiz, Ayala, Reese, Chenu, Barron, Mendoza

- THURSDAY, 2/20:**
- ❖ All-Day Yoga Mindfulness Training: February Cohort
 - ❖ **8:00-9:00 a.m. Parent Education: Parent Portal Training (2nd Opportunity)**
 - 8:00-9:00/ Verification Pass Code Needed: Ask at the Main Office; bring picture ID
 - More Information at: <https://www.pusd.us/domain/2589>
 - ❖ **12:30-2:15 p.m. Grade 2 Author Visit (Stretch to the Sun, by Carrie Pearson):**

12:30-1:15 p.m.	Cardenas and Reese	1:30-2:15 p.m.	Briggs, Iida, Jimenez
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 - ❖ 2:30-3:30 p.m. African American History Bee Practice (Location: Library)
 - ❖ Morning Duty: Quiroz, Salazar (Playground), Arrieta (Drop-Off), E. Cardenas (Cafeteria)
 - ❖ Recess Duty: Minkler, Silk, Jimenez, Taboada, Keavy, Fernandez



- FRIDAY, 2/21:**
- ❖ 9:45-10:45 a.m. Options Preschool Visit to Kindergarten Classes
 - ❖ 2:30-3:30 p.m. African American History Bee Practice (Location: Library)
 - ❖ Morning Duty: Banuelos, Iida (Playground), Arrieta (Drop-Off), E. Cardenas (Cafeteria)
 - ❖ Recess Duty: Suarez, Nava, O. Cardenas, Reyes, Strickland, Smith



Helping Hands Day: Saturday, 3/07!



Upcoming Events

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| MON. 2/24: | ❖ 12:50-2:35 p.m. A Monday PD (Topics include: STEMSCOPES 2.0 Follow-Up PD) | | | | |
| TUES., 2/25: | ❖ 5:00-7:00 p.m. African American History Bee (Location: Eliot Arts) | | | | |
| WED., 2/26: | ❖ 8:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m. Grade 3: Kidspace visits the Science Lab! | | | | |
| THURS. 2/27: | ❖ ARIES Grading Window Closes! | | | | |
| | ❖ 8:00-9:00 a.m. Annual Fund Informational Community Meeting (Location: Auditorium) | | | | |
| | ❖ 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Gr. 3 Descanso Gardens Field Trip (Participants: Alcantar & Chenu's classes) | | | | |
| | ❖ 2:30-3:30 p.m. School Site Council (SSC) Meeting | | | | |
| FRI., 2/28: | ❖ 9:00-11:10 a.m. Gr. 3 Gamble House Field Trip (Participants: Chenu & Alcantar's classes) | | | | |
| | ❖ 9:45-11:50 a.m. Gr. 3 Gamble House Field Trip (Participants: Maestra Taboada's class) | | | | |
| SAT., 2/29: | ❖ 1:00 p.m. L. A. Kings: Jackson Magnet Family Fun Day (Location: Staples Center) | | | | |
| 3/02 ~ 3/06/20 | ❖ READ ACROSS AMERICA WEEK! | | | | |
| TUES. 3/03: | ❖ Trimester 2 Report Cards Posted on Parent Portal! (Photo ID needed to begin the process.) | | | | |
| WED., 3/04: | ❖ 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. RIF Reads to 2 nd Grade! (Individual Class Schedules) | | | | |
| THURS. 3/05: | ❖ 9:30-11:30 a.m. All Kinder Field Trip to Caltech's Beckman Auditorium <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Theater Presentation of Popular Children's Book: Click Clack Moo | | | | |
| FRI., 3/06: | ❖ 8:30-10:00 a.m. Prospective Parent Tour | | | | |
| SAT., 3/07: | ❖ 9:00a.m.-4:00 p.m. PTA Helping Hands Day! | | | | |
| MON., 3/09: | ❖ 8:30-9:15 a.m. Grade 4 & 4 Author Visit (Justin Dean, Author of <i>Awesome Dog 5000</i>) | | | | |
| | ❖ 12:50-2:35 p.m. A Monday PD (Topics include: Teacher-Led Math Presentations ~ 1/27 Follow-Up) | | | | |
| TUES., 3/10: | ❖ 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Gr. 3 Descanso Gardens Field Trip (Participants: Maestra Taboada's class) | | | | |
| WED., 3/11: | ❖ 7:00-11:00 a.m. Lifetouch Spring Pictures | | | | |
| | ❖ 10:45 a.m.-1:50 p.m. Gr. 1 Field Trip ~ The Huntington (Participants: Maestra Silk's class) | | | | |
| THURS., 3/12: | ❖ 8:00-9:00 a.m. ELAC Meeting (Location: Cafeteria) | | | | |
| | ❖ 9:05-10:40 a.m. Gr. K-2 Kaiser's Musical Theater Presentation (Gr.1 Individual Class Schedule TBD) | | | | |
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| | ❖ 5:30-7:30 p.m. TALENT SHOW! (Location: Auditorium) | | | | |
| FRI., 3/13: | ❖ 9:20-10:55 a.m. Grade 2: Kaiser Theater Workshops (Class schedules TBD) | | | | |

