



# ST. AGNES ACADEMY BEAR NEWS



Week of May 27th, 2024

THIS WEEK AT ST. AGNES

## *May Crowning*

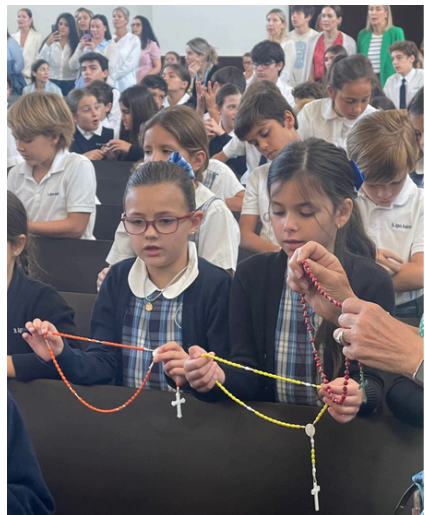


We recently celebrated May Crowning in honor of our Blessed Mother, Mary. Each student from every grade approached Mary and lovingly gave her flowers. Our 2nd graders dressed in their communion clothing and led the school in the Most Holy Rosary and Consecration to Our Lady's Heart. Father Juan Carlos blessed the Miraculous Medals that each student received. Miraculous Medals are one of the most powerful sacramentals that Our Lord has given us through Our Lady! It is Our Lady's gift to us to help protect us and those we love.

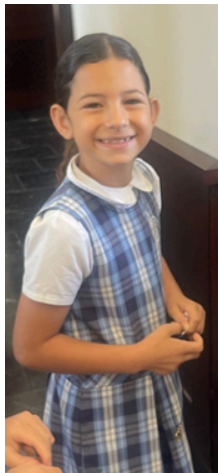
Learn more about the Miraculous Medal here:

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# KEY CHALLENGE

Key Biscayne Citizen Scientist Project

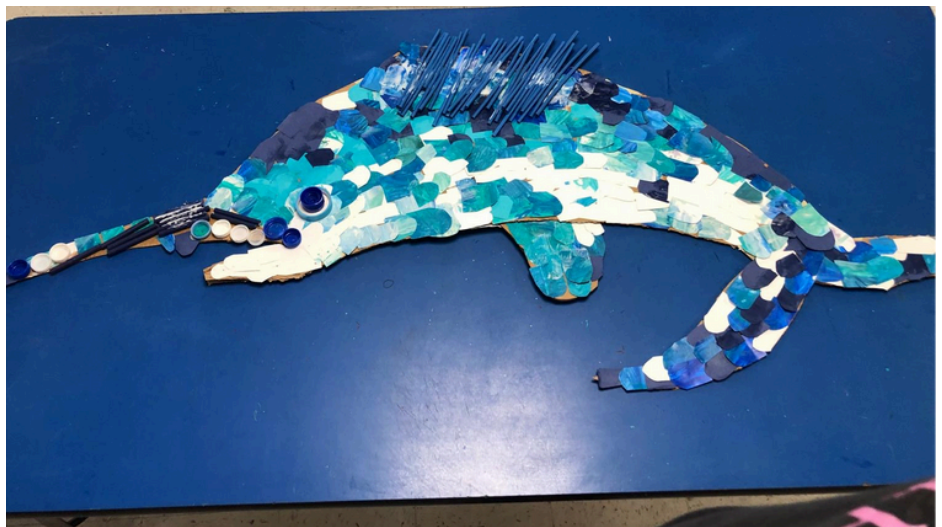
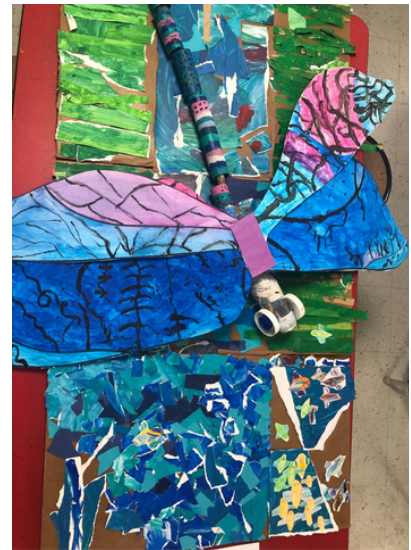
## Native Animals & Their Habitats

The Citizen Scientist Project of the Key Biscayne Community Foundation and the Village of Key Biscayne sponsor the Key Challenge which is an island-wide initiative directed at increasing students' appreciation and knowledge of the island's natural resources. The Challenge incorporates 4 disciplines - art, writing, informatics, and science. This Year's Key Challenge invited participants to create projects that were centered around native animals and their habitats. St. Agnes students from various grades spent time learning about these native animals, their habitats, the threats they face, and how to protect them. They each submitted incredible creations using recycled materials. Our St. Agnes winners from Ms. Sonia Sanchez's classes were from her:

- **3rd Grade Class** who won **1st Place** in the Arts and Informatics Challenge for 2D or 3D Creation
- **1st Grade Class** who won **2nd Place** in Arts and Informatics Challenge for 2D or 3D Creation
- **4th Grade Students: Sebastian Casillas, Nicolas Juan Urrutia, Kara Dimitrakis, Carolina Fuentes, Marcos Sanchez-Zinny, and Elena Matos** who won **2nd Place** in the Arts and Informatics Challenge for 2D or 3D Mixed Media Map









# Grateful For Our Veterans



Last week our students dressed down in red, white and blue to honor our veterans. They donated money to benefit hospitalized veterans and received red poppy flowers made by the American Legion. Chole and Aurora Labrada both gave an inspirational presentation to our students and paid homage to our brave military veterans who lost their lives in service to our country.

## MEMORIAL DAY PRAYER

Heavenly Father,

On this Memorial Day, we pray for those who courageously laid down their lives for the cause of freedom. May the example of their sacrifice inspire in us the selfless love of your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ.

Bless the families of our fallen troops, and fill their homes and their lives with your strength and peace.

Embolden us to answer the call to work for peace and justice, and thus, seek an end to violence and conflict around the globe.

We pray through Christ our Lord.

Amen





# ST. AGNES ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL FOR THE DAY



Sisters Filippa and Esmeralda Grisanti had the opportunity to assume the role of St. Agnes Assistant Principal for the day. They were thrilled to shadow and assist Mrs. Morales in carrying out her daily AP duties. They had a full work day that consisted of visiting classrooms, meeting with students, meeting with teachers and observing classes. It was a hands-on learning experience on how our academy is run and a lesson they will never forget!





# PK 4

## Q & U

# Get Married



Our PK4 students recently had a creative spelling lesson on combining “q” and “u” to form words. They celebrated a special wedding event that married the “q” and the “u” together.



# Kindergarten Fieldtrip



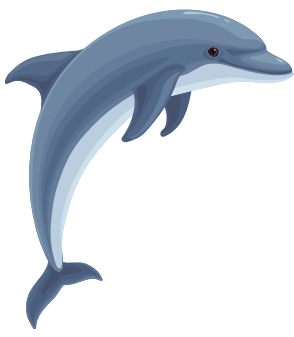
## JUNGLE ISLAND



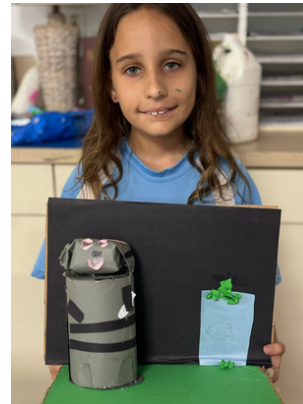
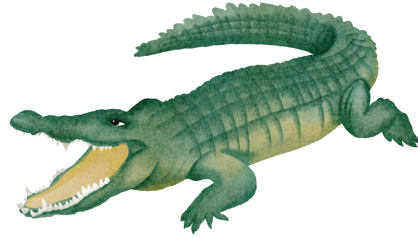
Our kindergarteners recently went on a fieldtrip to Jungle Island and had a great time learning about animals and their habitats.





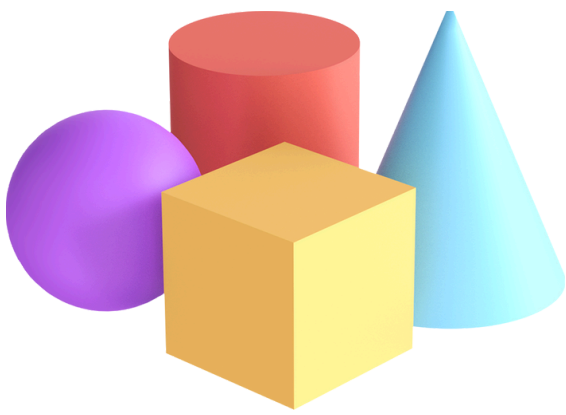


# 4th Grade



Our 4th grade students researched the diverse animals that are native to Florida and presented what they learned to their classmates. They used recycled materials to create 3D versions of animals such as an American alligator, a manatee, a bobcat, a dolphin, a Loggerhead Sea Turtle, a Roseate Spoonbill, a Hammerhead shark, and more.





# 5th Grade MATH

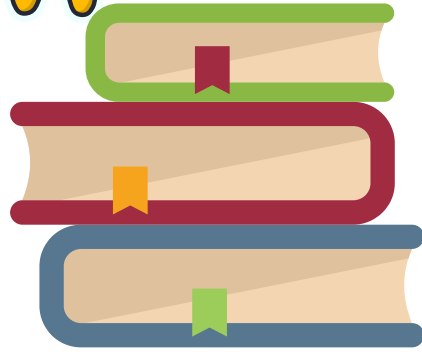


Our 5th graders were studying a Math lesson on finding the volume of rectangular prisms and cubes. Their assignment was to design and build a monster using rectangular prisms or cubes, and other accessories to give their monsters personality. They used grid paper with 1cm cubes and had to calculate the volume of each part of their monster.

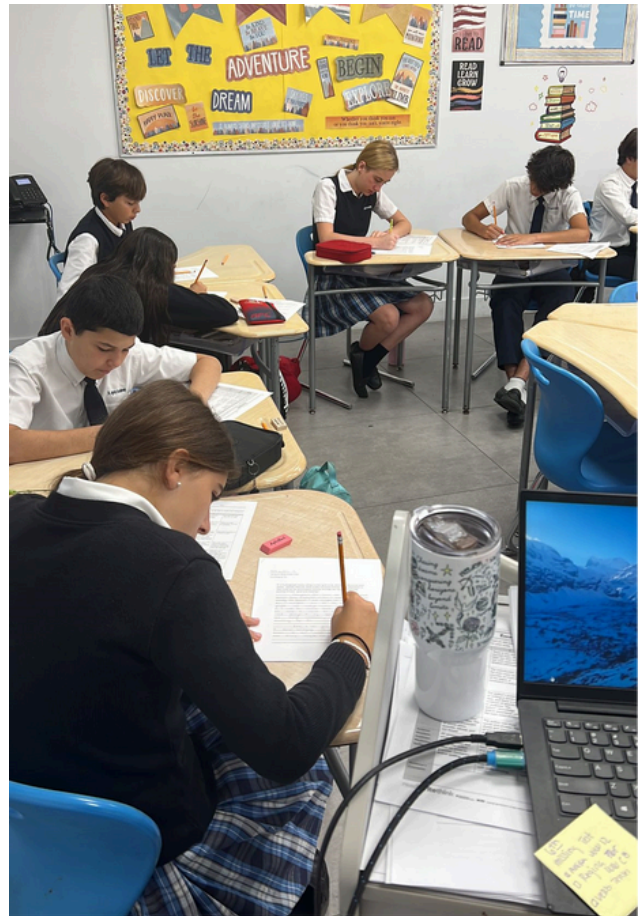


# 7th Grade

# English



# FINALS



7th graders were very focused as they worked on the essay portion of their English final exam. Good luck to all our students during their finals!



# LAST DAY OF SCHOOL



**WED. JUNE 5TH**

**8:00 - 9:30 AM**

## **END-OF-YEAR AWARDS**

Spencer Center (Gym)  
Parents of award winners will be notified in advance.

**9:45 - 10:45 AM**

## **LAST ACADEMY MASS**

**10:45 AM**

## **ACADEMY ATHLETES**

Meet Outside the Spencer Center (Gym)

**11:00 - 12:30 PM**

## **ATHLETIC AWARDS FOR ATHLETES & THEIR FAMILIES**

Spencer Center (Gym)





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# ST. AGNES SUMMER CAMP 2024



\$60  
ONE-TIME  
REGISTRATION FEE  
+  
\$300  
A WEEK

MONDAY- FRIDAY  
9AM-1PM (SNACK INCLUDED)  
INCOMING PK-3 TO 4TH GRADE

SESSION 1: JUNE 17- JUNE 21

SESSION 2: JUNE 24- JUNE 28

SESSION 3: JULY 1- JULY 3

& PARTICIPATE IN THE ST. AGNES SUMMER CAMP 4TH OF JULY FLOAT

SESSION 4: JULY 8- JULY 12

ARTS & CRAFTS + SPORTS + WATER ACTIVITIES + EXPERIMENTS + FUN WITH FOOD  
DANCING + MOTOR SKILLS BUILDING + NATURE EXPLORATION + AND MUCH MORE...



REGISTRATION DEADLINE MAY 1, 2024



# Scholarships for Florida Schoolchildren



## It's Time To Apply! Step Up For Students 2024 - 2025

### Renewal Scholarship Students

Families with children that were already enrolled in the Step Up For Students program, may now RENEW their student's Family Empowerment Scholarship for Students with Unique Abilities, Florida Tax Credit Scholarship, or Family Empowerment Scholarship for Educational Options for the 2024-2025 school year. As a reminder, current families who would like to renew their student's scholarship must complete the Step Up For Students application annually. For instructions on how to renew your student's scholarship, check your email or login to your Step Up For Students portal.

### New Scholarship Applicants

Families may now apply for a 2024-25 scholarship for the following programs:

- Florida Tax Credit Scholarship (FTC)\*
- Family Empowerment Scholarship for Educational Options (FES-EO)\*
- Family Empowerment Scholarship for Students with Unique Abilities (FES-UA)

\*With recently passed legislation, if signed by the Governor, the Hope Scholarship will merge with the FTC and FES-EO programs. Families who are benefiting from the Hope Scholarship for the 2023-24 school year will apply through the FTC/FES-EO programs to renew their student's scholarship for the 2024-25 school year. You may view our Legislative Updates page for a summary of all legislative updates. Visit [stepupforstudents.org](https://stepupforstudents.org) for more information on learning options, scholarships and how to apply.





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# **Amendment 4 Makes Abortion Legal Throughout Pregnancy**

**St. Agnes Catholic Church**

**Informational Meeting  
On Why You Should  
Vote NO**

**BY: DR. GRAZIE CHRISTIE**

**Tuesday, June 11th, 2024**

**7:00 PM**

**Albertson Hall**



# National Eucharistic Congress




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