



# Special's Newsletter

Month of November

## PHYSICAL EDUCATION

**K-2ND GRADE:** STUDENTS ARE WORKING ON BUILDING THEIR COORDINATION AND AGILITY THROUGH FUN AND ENGAGING ACTIVITIES. THESE FOUNDATIONAL SKILLS ARE CRUCIAL FOR ALL SPORTS AND PHYSICAL ACTIVITIES, HELPING THEM IMPROVE THEIR BALANCE, FOOTWORK, AND ABILITY TO CHANGE DIRECTION QUICKLY.

**3RD-5TH:** THIS MONTH IN PHYSICAL EDUCATION, OUR 3RD TO 5TH GRADE STUDENTS WILL BE DIVING INTO FLAG FOOTBALL! THEY WILL LEARN THE FUNDAMENTALS OF THE GAME, INCLUDING PASSING, RECEIVING, RUNNING ROUTES, AND DEFENDING. KEY SKILLS THEY WILL DEVELOP INCLUDE TEAMWORK, COMMUNICATION, AND STRATEGY, AS WELL AS HAND-EYE COORDINATION, AGILITY, AND SPEED.

## MUSIC

We are studying:  
Rhythm & Beat (K-2nd)  
Recorder Basics (3rd)  
Recorder Mastery (4th)  
Ukulele Chords & Note Picking (5th)

Extracurricular:  
Warrior Chorus Practice  
(3rd-5th Mon, Tues, & Thurs.)

## TECHNOLOGY LAB

**K-1st:** Our Coding Journey begins. We will explore basic coding concepts like sequence, direction, and algorithms.

**2nd:** Students will dive into creating their own digital glyph using Google Slides.

**3rd-4th:** Third and fourth graders are working on digital drawings using Google Draw, a part of our Digital Applied Skills unit.

**5th:** In 5th grade, students are exploring the world of 3D design by creating their very own Christmas ornament! This project introduces basic 3D modeling skills and will be part of their ongoing work in our 3D Unit, setting the stage for more advanced digital design.

## ART

We will be starting our Color Unit for Grades K-5.

Concepts covered include Primary Colors, Secondary Colors, Color Mixing, and the Color Wheel.

Students will also be creating a Thanksgiving or Turkey art.