

<p>2nd grade - Students are wrapping up the insect unit as they create a hybrid insect that would survive in a given environment. Next, we will move to human body systems.</p>	<p>3rd grade - Students are concluding our unit of area and perimeter, which challenged them to become city planners. Next, students will be learning how geometry exists within ecology.</p>
<p>4th grade - Students will be using their creative problem solving strategies and knowledge of angles and plane figures as they participate in an interactive survival challenge.</p>	<p>5th grade - After Spring Break, we will start a novel study of <i>Escape From Mr. Limoncello's Library</i> by Chris Grabenstein. Students will analyze the text through various jobs within a literature circle.</p>
<p>6th grade - Students are continuing with the novel study of <i>The Mysterious Benedict Society</i> by Trenton Lee Stewart. We will conclude our unit with an interactive S.T.E.A.M. activity.</p>	<p>5th & 6th Stock Market Game - Students in both grade levels have been placed in teams and are competing in The Stock Market Game. Each team has been given \$100,000 in the game to invest. They have learned about stocks, mutual funds, and bonds and how to research investments to minimize risk. The game will conclude on April 10.</p>

Spring Break - March 16-23. Classes resume on Tuesday, March 24.

Congratulations to all 4th graders who participated in ASU's Virtual Invention Convention. We had a few students who were invited to advance to the State Competition at the ASU campus. Congratulations to all our inventors!

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