

DATES TO REMEMBER

1/18- Ms. Kathleen's Birthday!
Free Dress/PJ day
1/21-No school, Dr. Martin
Luther King Jr. Day
Observed
1/24 – EG 7-Habits Class
5:00 pm LAST CLASS
1/30- Kindie Watch Me Work
Night 4:30 pm-6 pm
2/1- 100th day of school
2/4-2/6- 4th/5th grade to Point
Bonita
2/4-2/8-6th to Sly Park
2/4-Pennies for Patients Begins
2/6-Early Release Day
9-12 Out @ 12 pm
2/15-2/18-No school
2/20- Early Release Day
9-12 Out @12 pm
2/28- Art Walk 4 pm-7 pm

Thank You!

Thank you for your patience and flexibility regarding our class field trip to the Elk Grove Campus to perform our social studies play. We are set to perform on Friday, February 22nd. Although we will be asking for drivers on this trip, due to space restrictions, parents and guardians will not be able to attend the field trip to watch the performance. Parents and guardians are welcome to attend the play as an audience member on Thursday, February 21st, at the Bradshaw campus. Students will send out formal invitations on Friday, January 18th.

JADE NEWS

Ms. Layla and Ms. Nancy

CURRICULUM

Cultural Rotation

4th Grade Earth Science-Ms. Taylor
5th Grade Earth Science-Ms. Katrina
6th Grade Earth Science-Ms. Alana
Social Studies: U.S. History-Ms. Layla

Daily Homework

- 30 Minutes of Reading
- Get Work Plans Signed
- **Spelling Task: New Homework Expectations**

New Homework Expectations

Now that our vocabulary curriculum, Wordly Wise, is being completed in class, students will be expected to complete four spelling assignments each week for homework. Here is an example of a typical schedule:

Monday in Class: Students will receive a pretest and they will be expected to write their words correctly in their planners

Monday-Thursday after School: Students will complete one (or more) spelling tasks each night in their spelling notebooks.

Friday in Class: Students will receive their final spelling test and turn in their spelling notebooks to be checked off for homework completion.

The majority of our spelling lists are available to view on Spelling City (with the exception of abbreviation lists). Check out the site for word lists as well as some fun activities your child can complete for extra practice.

Spelling City Website: <https://www.spellingcity.com/users/lalaei>

“Remember: our souls are like snowflakes, all different and all beautiful.”

- Soul Flower (Soulflower Clothing) via Pinterest

NEW CLASSROOM ROUTINES:

Social Skills

With the implementation of a new network-wide school counseling program, CMP has adopted a new social/emotional learning curriculum to implement at the classroom level. All students in first through sixth grade will receive one, thirty-minute, classroom lesson per week. We are very excited to welcome Ms. Lisa Laffan into the Jade classroom on Thursday mornings!

More information is on the next page!

NEW CLASSROOM ROUTINES CONT.

Math Lessons

Ms. Mikaela, our math specialist, will be leading “Productive Struggle” lessons for all 9-12 classrooms. These lessons focus on developing perseverance, thinking flexibility, and communicating the processes of learning. We are also very excited to welcome Ms. Mikaela into the Jade classroom on Monday afternoons!

STUDENT OF THE WEEK

January 21st – January 25th: Mckayla

January 28th—February 1st: Nikki

February 4th—February 8th: Milestone Field Trips

SCHOOL EVENTS

Get out your poodle skirts, roll up your jeans, and put on your bobby socks! The CMP Elk Grove Campus will be holding a Sock Hop on Friday, January 25, 2019 from 6:30 to 9:00 pm at the BR site. This is a family event that we hope will be enjoyed by all.

FIELD TRIPS

All students should have received an information packet, including a packing list, for their Milestone field trips.

Please make sure you read through the packet carefully, with your child. Prior to the field trips, we will meet with all students, and answer all of their questions. If any additional questions arise, please feel free to ask us, and we will do our best to answer your questions as quickly as possible.