

4th Grade Newsletter



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“Families are a valuable asset to a child’s education.”

家庭是學生教育的一個非常重要的組成部分。

Reading/Novel Study 讀書 / 小說學習

- Room 201 Reading Street: What Jo Did and Coyote School News
Novel Study: Stuart Little
- Room 202 Novel study: In the Year of the Boar and Jackie Robinson
(Chapter 8 to 12, all work done should be in yellow or blue folder)
- Room 203 Novel Study: Sign of The Beaver and Storyworks - Invasion of the Jellyfish (Nonfiction), Dad’s New Job (Fiction), I Have a Dream (Drama), Would You Give Up Your Birthday Presents (Debate) and The Snowflake (Poetry)

Writing 寫作

Room 201 Limerick

Room 202 Informative and Explanatory Texts

Room 203 Narrative writing

Math 數學

Room 201

Topic 8: Fraction Ordering and Equivalence

Topic 9: Adding and Subtraction Fractions

Room 202

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Topic 11: Represent and Interpret Data Using Line Plots

Room 203

Topic 5: Use Strategies and Properties to Divide by 1-Digit Number

Topic 6: Use Operations with Whole Numbers to Solve Problems

Science 科學

In Investigation 4: Current Attractions students will learn to make an electromagnet, find the relationship between the number of winds of wire around a core and the strength of the magnetic force and investigate other ways to change the strength of an electromagnet's magnetic force.

Social Studies 社會科學

Room 202 and 203:

Chapter 6

- Learn about building a frontier society
- Compare and contrast Lincoln's two boyhood homes
- Learn about the new ways to farm, travel, and transport goods
- Describe and explain how the development of transportation affected the growth of the United States
- Project: Change in transportation over the years

Room 201: Government in the United States.

SEL topic:

Cooperation - Peiwen Mei (Room 201)

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Matthew Chen (Room 203)

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Important Dates 重要日期

February 1, 2018 End of Second Quarter

February 2, 2018 School Improvement Day (no school)

February 9, 2018 Report Card Distribution

February 15, 2018 Field trip - Judy Blume is Not a Crook Playwork

February 19, 2018 President's Day (no school)
February 20, 2018 Chinese New Year assembly

Highlight of January

Room 201: Students started their second project of creating a game to play with friends by using CS-Fist involving coding and programming.

Room 202: Room 202 are taking assessments via Measuring Up Live 2. They are enjoying time with their first grade buddies and team building with the other 4th graders.

Room 203: This past month we were able to design a pop-up card, then analyze other designs to identify patterns. Students did this by researching and practicing pop-up folding techniques. They shared their designs with the class and self-assessed their designs for future ones.

Haines Stars of the Weeks

	Room 201	Room 202	Room 203
February 5	Binhao Liang	Serena Mei	Jennifer Wu
February 12	Halene Liang	Penny Morris	Annie Chen
February 19	Yenifer Li-Mei	Adisyn Ross	Jasmine Croft
February 26	Jiawei Liu	Darron Rouse	



February Birthday

Room 201	Room 202	Room 203
Chunxi Fang - 10 th Zhicheng Zhu - 27 th	Kayla Friday - 5 th Danielle Goldsborough - 9 th Steven Lin - 12 th Samantha Li - 26 th	De'Miyah Johnson - 18 th Crystal Situ - 22 nd Brian Hill - 19 th