

*March 22, 2024*

# The Rocker's Report

Class Newsletter



A huge thank you to all of the families for attending our spring conferences. Once again we had 100% attendance. It is always wonderful to share the growth that your child is making. 😊 I look forward to seeing the continued growth from all of the students.

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## Upcoming Events:

Two weeks after Spring Break, we will be taking the Statewide Forward test. I would like to give students a little snack to start their morning off right. Some ideas I was thinking about would be: mini muffins, cheese sticks, some sort of bread (banana for example) or fruit like grapes. Just a little something for each morning would be great. I will send a google sign up if you would like to help.

To help us focus while we are testing, we are also looking for suckers and/or gum. Dum Dums and sticks of gum vs. bubble gum work best.

Thanks for considering! [Link to sign up](#)

## Academics:

**Reading-** We are in the process of reading and taking notes on our biographies. Once again, students should be taking home their books and note taking sheets and working on them a little bit each night. Some students are well on their way, while others have lots to be done yet.

If your child is not sure what facts to choose, there is a diagram on the back of the main letter (it should be attached to the note taking sheet) listing questions they should be looking for as they read.

Everyone has also started creating their iMovie trailers. The students will upload them into their drive when they're finished.

**Language arts-** We finished our "How To" writing and will be focusing on taking our notes and writing our speeches for the next few weeks.

For DLR, we learned the meaning of the base words: auto, cycle, vis, and tele. We found synonyms for a number of words, identified phrases that are capitalized correctly and as always, corrected sentences.

**Math-** We finished Unit 5 this week. Look for tests in your child's Friday folder the week after Spring Break. We will begin Unit 6- Geometry that week as well.

**Social Studies-** As many of you know, we flew to Australia last Friday and are just beginning our study of the continent, I mean country, wait...I mean island.

**Science-** We were lucky to have Dana Fulton, meteorologist from WKOW, give a presentation on weather Thursday. It was a great kickoff to our upcoming weather unit.

### **Important Information/Reminders:**

- ☐ **End of third quarter-** today
- ☐ **Spring Break-** March 25-March 31
- ☐ **Early release-** April 8th @ 12:40 pm
- ☐ **Statewide Forward testing-** April 15-19 \*Please try not to schedule any appointments in the AM
- ☐ **3rd grade music program-** April 26 @ 2 pm @ HS Auditorium

## Special Star

Vivienne was our special star. She celebrated her birthday on St. Patrick's Day- March 17th. I'm guessing she didn't have corned beef and cabbage, but rather pizza, which is her favorite food. She likes to jam to GoNoodle activities. Playing the game Night of the Museum, one of our morning meeting games, is her favorite. Doing karate is something Viv feels she does well. Every day after school she feeds the cats. Once she's done, she might work on homework, read *Mighty Jack and Zita the Spacegirl*, her favorite book, or watch Nicky, Ricky, Dicky & Dawn, her top tv show. One thing Viv does to help around the house is cook. Someday, she would like to visit California. When she grows up, she would like to be a gym teacher.

