K5 Newsletter Week of February 1, 2024

Literacy Focus: Identify the cause and effect connections in a story. Letter of the Week: Ee Word Family: ET Family Sight Words: going, me, who,

saw

Math Focus: The students are learning to subtract numbers to 10.

Upcoming Events:

2/2 No School
2/4 Cousin's Sub Day - Fundraiser
2/8 100th Day of School (Dress like you are 100 years old)
2/9 Teacher Inservice - No School
2/12 Valentine's Day Celebration (Valentine's Out of Uniform Day)
2/14 Ash Wednesday
2/15 Tarzan Field Trip
2/20 February Birthdays Out of Uniform Day (Gianna)
2/26 Teacher Inservice- No School

Outside Time: Students should be dressed in proper winter clothing. They should have boots, mittens, hat, snow pants, and a winter coat. Snow items will be sent home at the end of the week to be cleaned and dried as necessary.

Teacher Message

Hello K5 Families!

Literacy This week we read stories by Laura Numeroff. While we were reading the stories we talked about the cause and effect. We learned that the cause is the why something happened and the effect is the result of the why. An example of this in our story, If You Give A Mouse a Cookie, would be when the mouse noticed his hair needed to be cut so he asked for some scissors. The cause was when the mouse looked at his hair and the effect was asking for scissors and we could go on and on.

Religion: This week we learned about St. John Bosco and how he helped so many people to learn more about their faith. We have been very focused on our Catholic school community during Catholic schools week.

Math: We are finishing up our unit on subtraction. We have learned to listen for key words that help us identify if a story problem is telling us to add the numbers together or subtract the numbers. We learned some new games, like subtraction smash and subtraction bowling.

100th Day: On Thursday, February 9th, we will be celebrating the 100th day of school. We are asking the students to dress up like they are 100 years old. During the whole day, we will be doing activities that revolve around all things 100!

Valentine's Day: We will have our valentine's day celebration on Monday, February 12th. Students should bring valentine's to give to their classmates. Students are welcome to make a box/bag to hold their valentines in.

We had so much fun celebrating Catholic Schools Week!

St. John Bosco, pray for us!