

Second Grade News

Matey Message Week of March 9th

Happy Monday! We are so excited to meet with all of you for our Quarter 3 conferences. The second graders are looking forward to sharing all the growth and success they have had this quarter.

ELA: We are working on identifying and explaining the author's purpose of a nonfiction text.

Math: Second graders are working on the foundation of multiplication.

Social Studies: We are working on our North America unit which includes landforms as well as the characteristics of maps.

Science: Both second grade classes have started a unit on changes to the Earth's landscapes. We will be talking about both fast and slow changes.

Homework: Please check your child's yellow homework folder every Monday for more information. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to email! Thank you to those that are staying caught up on Zearn.

Dates to Remember

Conference Week: 3/9-3/13

School Wide News

March 9, 2020

- **Conference Week: March 9 - March 13.** Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday are 12:45 pm dismissal. Thursday and Friday 12:15 pm dismissal.
- **Morning Drop Off:** Families, PLEASE respect that we do not allow families to go to the classrooms in the morning. If you have a scheduled meeting with your student's teacher, you will need to sign in at the front. **DO NOT ENTER** the school from the back.
- **Parking:** Families, the Sacramento Police Department reached out to me about the double and triple parking. They will make their presence known. They will ticket cars parked illegally and speeding drivers.
- **Kids Heart Challenge:** An all-school event, Thursday, April 16th. Students will participate in a variety of all-day activities to promote heart health and physical activity. WE NEED volunteers to run different stations from 8:00 am- 1:00 pm. Thank you in advance for promoting healthy

lifestyle choices for NP3 children. If you are interested or have any questions, please contact njohnson@natomasunified.org or gjones@natomasunified.org.

- **Natomas 5k:** Save the date! On Saturday, April 25, NP3 will participate by running/walking in the Natomas 5k "Run for Their Future" at Inderkum HS. ALL NP3 students will be sponsored. Click [here](#) to register your student for free and use the promo code "NP320" when checking out. If you would like to run with your student, there is a \$25 fee per runner/walker. This is a fun community event for all ages and the proceeds will be used by the Natomas Foundation to help students within the Natomas community. We hope to see you there!
- **ELPAC Testing:** Students identified as English Language Learners will complete the Summative ELPAC test this week. If your student is an English Language Learner, click [here](#) to view our parent letter. To find more information about ELPAC, click [here](#) to visit our website. If you have additional questions about ELPAC, please contact your student's counselor.
- **Parent/Family LCAP Engagement Meeting:** TOMORROW! March 10, 6:00 pm at NP3 Del Paso Road Campus (NP3 MS/HS). We want to hear your thoughts about our schools. You are invited to our LCAP Meeting to sit down and talk about what makes our schools great and what else we can do in the future to make them even better.
- **Spring Conference Week is coming up!** Conferences ARE HERE! Yay! March 9 - March 13. **Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday are 12:45 pm dismissal. Thursday and Friday 12:15 dismissal.**
- **Spring Book Fair:** Our Spring Book Fair is HERE. Go to the library and check it out! This is an awesome opportunity for the kiddos to pick up some summer reading :)
- **Lost and Found:** We have lots of items in our lost and found! Please check the Lost and Found (located in the Cafeteria). All items not claimed will be donated to charity on 03/13.