

Dream Team News

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One Team, One Dream!

* Reminders *

Tonight Bingo Night 6PM-8PM

Tuesday, 3/8 Spring Picture Day 2:30

Wednesday, 3/9 Forces & Simple Machines Test

Thursday, 3/10 Last Day of 3rd Nine Weeks All Assignments are Due Bingo Reading Log Due

> Friday, 3/11 No School

Friday, 3/25 Report Cards go Home

Please check your child's Friday Folder each week. Review and sign the conduct card. Students should correct all tests and return them.

Letters Home

Please remember to read your child's letter and write back. The students love reading your letters each week!

Specials Next Week

Music, Art, PE, Spanish, No school

Go Dream Team Kids!

Congratulations to our fabulous students for doing their best on our District Assessments this week and for having a positive attitude! Dream Team Students Rock!

Our PAW- Terrific Week in Review!

Students completed their 3rd 9 weeks GCPS District Assessments in Reading, Math, Science, and Social Studies. Grades have been posted and can be viewed on the Portal.

Language Arts– This week we are learning about character by reading a play (drama) called <u>Sitting Down for Dr. King</u>. The play tells the story of a boy who witnesses the Woolworth's lunch counter sitins in Greensboro, North Carolina. We are also enjoying reading and writing concrete poems.

Math- We learned how to use a protractor to measure angles, classified triangles and quadrilaterals, and reviewed previous skills. Please have your child continue to practice math concepts on their student portal at home. It is both fun and educational!

Social Studies- This week we had an introduction to our Three Branches of Government, The Constitution, and Bill of Rights. Students love singing the preamble!

Science- Students had a fun time exploring with gears, cars, marbles, and ramps! We learned that Work = Force x Distance. Our test has been moved to Wednesday. Students have their study guides in their Forces and Simple Machines Study File.

* <u>A Peek at Next Week</u>

I can...

Language Arts - compare & contrast similar, yet opposing themes & topics (ex. good vs. evil). -write an opinion piece on a topic supported by reasons. - improve my writing through editing & revising.

Math – locate a point in the first quadrant in the coordinate plane and name the ordered pair.

-solve addition and subtraction problems to find unknown angles in real world problems.

Social Studies-identify the leaders of the Constitutional Convention and describe the major issues they debated, including the rights of states, the Great Compromise and slavery.

-organize and explain the three branches of U.S. government as outlined by the Constitution.

Science -observe how force and friction affect speed and motion using different sized objects.

-explain what happens to the speed or direction of an object when a greater force than the original force is applied.