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# Dream Team News

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## Reminders

Monday, 11/9

**Solar System 3-D Project Due**  
**Solar System Presentations Begin**

Wednesday, 11/11

**Solar System Unit Test Part 1**

Friday, 11/13

**Wordly Wise 6 Quiz**

Monday-Friday, 11/23-11/27



Monday, 11/30

**Toys for Tots Begins**  
**Please send in a new unwrapped toy**



Friday, 12/18

**4<sup>th</sup> Grade Colonial Day!**  
**Dress as a colonist or Native American**

Please remember to check your child's Friday Folder each week. Review and sign the conduct card. All tests should be corrected, signed by parent, and returned.

## Letters Home

We are sorry, but we did not have time to write to you today!

## Specials Rotation Next Week

Counselor, PE, Music, Art, PE



**Happy Birthday Lynden!**

**Good Luck to Yeseo in the Gwinnett County Reflections Contest tomorrow!**

## Our PAW-rific Week In Review!

**Language Arts** – Students did a great job typing their Planet Research reports in APA format, including a bibliography! It took us three days, but we did it! Hooray! Next week, the students will present their research projects and teach their classmates all about their planet. We are almost finished reading our very exciting chapter book, A Whole Nother Story, where we are reviewing various story elements, such as setting, plot, theme, climax, and conflict.

**Math**- This week we practiced long division, order of operations, and estimating quotients. Ask your child the meaning of "**Please Excuse My Dear Aunt Sally**." If your child is struggling with division and multiplication facts, they should practice with Mega Math or flashcards.

**Social Studies**- This week we learned more about The Mayflower Compact and the Pilgrims' struggles in the New World. We also compared and contrasted the life of settlers in the New England Colonies and Southern Colonies. We played an exciting game of "Kahoot it!" to review for today's part one unit test. Today we watched a captivating episode of America: The Story of Us. You can watch episodes at <http://www.history.com/shows/america-the-story-of-us>

**Science**- Students created star mobiles and learned what causes seasons and day & night here on Earth. We also learned about the tools scientists use to learn about space. Students enjoyed playing a fun game of Solar System Jeopardy to review for our upcoming unit test on Wednesday. You can find a study guide in your child's science folder and also on our Dream Team website.

## A Peek at Next Week

### **I can...**

**Language Arts** – report on a topic in an organized manner, using appropriate facts and relevant, descriptive details to support main ideas or themes; speak clearly at an understandable pace

**Math** – find and use strategies to solve division problems  
- make sense in multi-step word problems and persevere in solving them.

**Social Studies** – compare and contrast life in the three regions of Colonial America: New England, Mid-Atlantic (Middle), and Southern colonies

**Science** – demonstrate how it is the earth's tilt and orbit around the sun rather than the earth's distance from the sun that causes seasonal changes