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**Weekly Newsletter**

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| A Peek at Our Week 2/17-2/24 |
| Science: Ecosystems  Essential Question: Understand and identify the major functions of the cell.  Essential Question: Explain how limiting factors affect populations in ecosystems. |
| Social Studies: Great Depression  Essential Question: Summarize the stock market crash of 1929 and the Great Depression.  Essential Question: Summarize the changes in daily life in the boom period of the 1920’s. Such as: technology, automobiles and other inventions, the Harlem Renaissance, & Prohibition. |
| Math: Geometry  Our next unit is Unit 9. During this unit, we will be working coordinates; as well as, reviewing area and perimeter with triangles and parallelograms.  \*\*Reminder: Math homework must be completed nightly and returned the day that is stated on the sheet. |
| ELA/Writing  Our focus is reviewing author’s craft, the characteristics of poetry, and figurative language.  Writing focus: Descriptive Writing (PASS Prompt)  If you have computer access at home [www.spellingcity.com](http://www.spellingcity.com) is great for practicing each week’s spelling words. Have fun! |

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# Upcoming Events

**2/20- No School**

**2/21- Mardi Gras Parade**

**2/21- Humane Society Presentation**

**2/22- Interims**

**2/23- Beautification Day**

Things to Know

* Every Thursday is wear purple day to take a stand against bullying.
* We are collecting Box Tops for Education, Coke bottle caps for Coke rewards, Lean Cuisine and CapriSun.
* Recycle: Plastic
* Lifeskill: Common Sense- to use good judgment by thinking things through.
* Multiplication Timed Tests are every week. Please remember to practice your facts so our class average can go up!

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Notes from the Teacher:

\*\*Humane Society will be here on Feb. 21 to talk to our children about how to take care and treat animals. A dog trainer will be here as well to talk to our students on how to train a dog at home. We will be taking donations of blankets, towels, food, treats, & toys.

\*\*On Feb. 21, will have a Mardi Gras Celebration. Students will be making masks to wear for the late afternoon parade. We will be doing activities in the upcoming weeks to prepare for this day. You are welcome to come to the parade! Just a reminder, on this day, we asking students to wear the colors, purple, gold, or green.



**Weekly Words***: Homophones; Roots “terr/terra” and “geo”(earth)*

1. coordinate
2. plot
3. axis
4. perimeter
5. area

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14. geography

15. geometry

10. territory

11. terrain

12. terrarium

13. geology

6. overseas

7. oversees

8. stationary

9. stationery

Bonus Words:

16. territorial

17. Mediterranean

18. geothermal