

# Red Rock Day School

Home of the WILDCATS

February 2021



## Upcoming Event:

**March 2-12:** WIDA Testing begins

(Family will be contacted to schedule date & time for testing)

**March 10:** School Board Meeting @9am

**March 14:** Day Light Saving Time Begins (Spring Forward)

**March 15-19, 2021:** Spring Break

**March 5, 12, 26:** EARLY Release @ 1pm (Staff PD)

**March 17:** St Patrick's Day

April 27: Quarter 3 Ends

## Parent Training:

**Title:** How to get through a bad day with your child **Parenting in a Pandemic**

**Date:** March 3, 2021

**Time:** 5:30am -7:30pm

(Flyer Attached)

## School Board Members Update:

Calvin Zohnie, President

Ona Bluehorse, Vice-President

Juanita Dee-Harvey, Secretary

Helena Benally, Member / Agency School Board Representative

**Next meeting Date:** 03/10/2021 @9am

**Attendance:** During Phase I: School Attendance is the Key to academic success. Student are expected to call/text/ e-mail their classroom teacher for daily attendance to be counted. If you can't get ahold of teacher, please call the school so, your attendance is documented. Absences may impact student performance, and final grades.

The Code of Federal Regulations in 25 CFR 36.31 mandates: A student who has not participated in a minimum of **80 instructional Days per semester** without a written excused absence shall **not** be promoted."

\*Students will be automatically dropped when they have missed 10 consecutive Days.

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## At Home Recipe:

### Apple-Tuna Wrap

Total Time: 20 minutes

Servings: 4

#### INGREDIENTS:

- 1/2 Cup mayonnaise
- 1/2 Cup Juice Juice® 100% Juice, apple flavor
- 1 Teaspoon salt, kosher
- 1/2 Teaspoon black pepper, ground
- 1/2 Cup carrots, shredded
- 1/2 Cup celery, sliced
- 1/2 Cup granny smith apples, diced
- 2-3 oz. Cans tuna, drained
- 2 Tablespoons green onions, sliced
- 8 Leaves butter lettuce
- 4 Pieces whole grain tortilla, 8"
- 1 Cup alfalfa sprouts

#### HERE'S WHAT TO DO:

- Whisk together mayonnaise, apple juice, salt, and pepper in a small mixing bowl.
- Add carrots, celery, apples, tuna, and green onions.
- Mix to combine. Keep chilled until ready for use.
- For each serving, place 2 butter lettuce leaves on a whole grain tortilla.
- Add 1/2 cup of apple-tuna salad on top of butter lettuce.
- Top with 1/2 cup of alfalfa sprouts.
- Fold both sides of tortilla toward the center.



### Overnight Oats



#### Ingredients:

- 1 cup of regular rolled oats
- 1/2 cup milk
- 1/2 cup Juice Juice® 100% juice, apple flavor
- 1/2 cup honey
- 1 Teaspoon ground cinnamon
- 1/2 cup mixed berries
- 1 container (8 oz) desired flavor yogurt

#### Recipe:

- Place 1/2 cup of dry oats in bowl
- Place the milk, Juice Juice® 100% juice, apple flavor, honey and cinnamon into the bowl with the oats. Stir until combined.
- Pour the mixed oats in a mason jar and cover. Refrigerate over night.
- In the morning, top with yogurt and berries of your liking.
- Enjoy!

## Reminder:

- 1.) Ensure to text in your attendance daily with your teachers.
- 2.) New Learning Support Kits/ Meals are delivered on Mondays.
- 3.) Please do call to the front office, if there will not be anyone home to receive the LSK and meals.
- 4.) Return Learning Support Kit on time to ensure that that the teachers receive the folders on time.

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## K-1 March News

Congratulations! We have made it halfway through the year! You and your child's perseverance during this time are an inspiration to me. We did not know what challenges we were going to have this past year. I want thank you for your hard work and communication with me so that your child can still receive their education. You are tough, unrelentless, and strong-willed! Let's continue to be safe, be responsible, and be respectful as we move on.

### KINDERGARTEN

We are beginning to read! We have been working on learning the sounds and the letters that make those sounds. We have started to blend them together! In math, we are working on teen numbers and addition and subtraction fluency. You are turning in some wonderful writing assignments and I love reading them! Check some out on our class webpage!

### FIRST GRADE

We have begun work on our long vowels. This is new and takes time to recognize the letters that work together and to develop fluency. Practice, practice, practice those little decodables. It will help! In math, we have begun our work with understanding of place value. We will use that to add and subtract with "bigger" numbers as we move on.



## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

### STUDENT FOLDERS

Turn in folders on time. Please remember there is a 3 day quarantine period for paperwork before I can pick them up and grade them. If you are late in turning them, your child's progress report will not be up-to-date. I do accept picture messages through text or email. Just make sure they are clear pictures with the page number shown.

### TECHNOLOGY

All students have been issued usernames and passwords for accessing our online programs and class webpage. I know there are difficulties with the webpage, due to emails.

### CLASS MEETINGS **CHANGES**

Kindergarten video meetings will be scheduled Monday through Thursday at 9:00 am for reading and 1:00 pm for math, starting March 1<sup>st</sup>.

1<sup>st</sup> Grade video meetings will be at 9:30 for reading and 1:30 for math, also Monday through Thursday, starting March 1<sup>st</sup>. We are getting to the real tough stuff of first grade so I would really like to see more of you joining us.

### ASSESSMENTS

You may have noticed I have been including short tests in your packets. These tests give me information on how your child is doing on specific skills or standards. You may read it to them but do not help them with the answers.

### SCHOOL SUPPLIES

If you are in need of replacement school supplies, like pencils and glue sticks, let me know.

Keep all of your books and supplies in a safe place at home. Be responsible and respectful towards your things 🙏

### ASSIGNMENTS

Each week, go through the packet. Please follow the assignments that are in the packet. You do not need to tear out any social studies or science pages out of the book anymore. The worksheets that go with the lesson is what needs to be turned in.

Questions? Need help? Contact me.

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Greeting RRDS 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Parents and Guardians,

Spring is almost here. Soon, summer will be here. Second Quarter ended and Third Quarter began on February 22, 2021. Parent Teacher Conferences were held on February 25 – 26. Although it already took place, you are certainly welcome to schedule an appointment with the teacher to talk about your child's academic progress either on WebEx or a phone call.

Progress Reports will continue to be sent home weekly. Progress Reports lists completed and missing tasks. Please help your child complete the missing task(s). He/she has two weeks to turn in missing task(s). Please write **"Late"** on top of the paper so it will be noticed immediately. As always, if you have any questions or need help, please contact the teacher as soon as possible.

Now that each 2<sup>nd</sup> grade student has a laptop for their learning, he/she **is expected** to join WebEx class meetings. Tier I meetings are held on Tuesday and Thursdays at 10:00 AM to 11:30 AM. Tier II Intervention meetings are at 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM every day: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday. WebEx class meeting invitation link is emailed 15 minutes prior to starting time. Points are given to students who attend three or more meetings in a row. If your unable to join by WebEx, you can call my cell phone to join in.

As we continue to progress through Distant Learning, Phase I, a lot of learning has taken place in all subject areas. Continue to help and support your child learning. Thank you very much for your continued communication, understanding, and support in your child's education.



Ms. Tso-Young,  
2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Teacher



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## Third Grade Wildcat March News

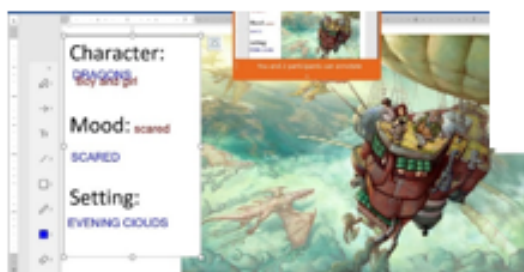
### Reading

We composed **point of view** paragraphs during our webex class meetings:

I enjoy being with friends. During a sleepover, we eat popcorn while watching a movie and tell scary stories. After not seeing my friends for a while I feel shy, but then I say, "Hi". We smile and laugh. I like to see my friends at recess. We push each other on the swings and giggle.

I felt shy when performing on stage in front of people during the Christmas program. When I saw my family sitting in the audience and my sister laughing, I got nervous. Even when we were dancing, I felt scared.

We found additional information from **illustrations that convey the text.**

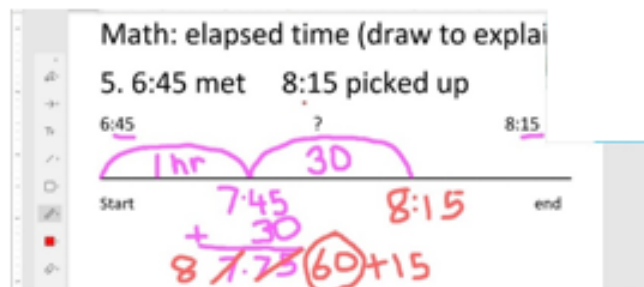
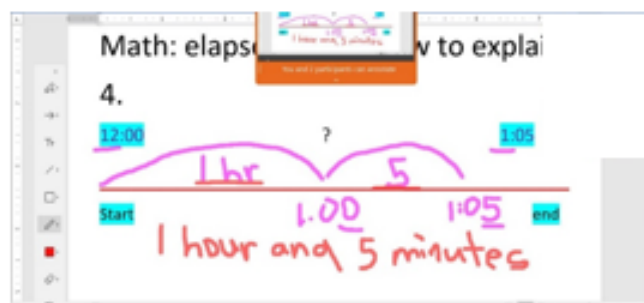


Spring Break: March 15 – 19, 2021

### Math

Our focus will be graphing information, continuing elapsed time word problems, comparing fractions, and solving 2-step word problems.

We have practiced using a timeline to organize our start and end times, then found the **elapsed time** between the two.



**\*\* Please continue memorizing a few multiplication facts each week.**

**\*\* I greatly appreciate every parent, grandparent, and sibling assisting the learning of our third graders. All writing should be in the student's handwriting. This allows their brain to process new information for long term memory.**

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## Wóózhch'ííd

The baby eagles have grown big and noisy. It is because of their noise the month of March was named Wóózhch'ííd.

What is happening in 4<sup>th</sup> Grade?

**Reading:** lessons in describing text structures (cause-effect, compare-contrast, chronological, and problem-solution). We will be learning about the differences between first- and secondhand accounts of events.

Ensure your child continues to read independently at home with the extra reading materials (Scholastic news, Science and Social Studies Newsletter, Leading the Way, etc.) I send home and utilize the Tumblebooks-[www.tumblebookslibrary.com](http://www.tumblebookslibrary.com) online. Have your child record their reading on their reading log.

**Math**-lessons in fluently add and subtract multi-digit whole numbers, use strategies and properties to multiply by 1-digit, and 2-digit numbers.

Ensure your child practices and knows his or her math facts in addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division. One of the best ways to have your child know the facts is to practice daily. You can use games, flashcards, versatiles, and online math games.

**Science**-continue lessons in Earth and Space Science "Weather" and "Energy and Ecosystems"

**Social Studies**-lessons in Americans and Their History

**Navajo Language and Culture**-lesson in basic Navajo words through visual, pronunciation, practice, and saying the words focus on four directions and Navajo Nation Government.

### Important Dates to Remember!

-March 1-12, 2021 WIDA Testing

-Spring Break March 15-19, 2021

-3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter ends April 27, 2021-complete and submit assignments to be graded to the school.

Thank you for supporting your child by helping him or her with the learning support kit and returning the assigned work to the school for grading. Please call or text me, if your child needs help or have any questions.

Sincerely,  
Mrs. Damon-Frank  
4<sup>th</sup> Grade Teacher

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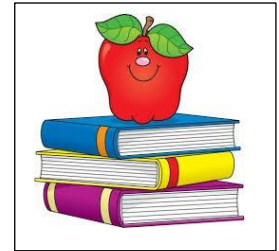
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Greetings 5<sup>th</sup> grade students/parents,

We are now in Quarter 3 of the school year. Continue to submit your completed LSK's each Monday. Parent Conferences were conducted and thank you to the parents who were able to set aside some time to meet with me.



Students: Please continue to submit your Learning Support Kits each week. Please do not fall behind because it gets harder to catch up. We will continue meeting on Tuesdays from 10a.m. to 11:30a.m. to review the Reading, Language, and Writing portion of the LSK. On Wednesdays we will meet from 10a.m. to 11:30a.m to cover Math, SS, Science, and Navajo. Please have your LSK's handy during the meeting. Tier II students, we will meet on Tuesdays and Thursday from 2:30-3:30p.m. If you need additional help on your weekly LSK'S we can set up a time for one on one help at the school during the week. Please let me know in advance. We will follow all CDC guideline set in place. I am available to assist you as needed Monday-Friday so please don't hesitate to call or text me (480)233-1039.

Parents: You are all awesome and a BIG Thank you for all your help thus far. Just a few reminders: check your child's packet to ensure all tasks are completed each week. If your child has incomplete pages please do not send them back to the school until they are completed. You are all doing an exceptional job checking in your child for daily attendance. Remember, I am available to assist your child as needed so don't hesitate to reach out for help.

Remember we will conduct WIDA Testing from March 1-12 and finally Spring Break will be from March 15-19<sup>th</sup>. Thank you for your hard work students and parents. Ahe'hee☺

*Ms. Frazier*





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## GOOD WONDERFUL MARCH WOOZHCH'IID

RRDS, 6<sup>th</sup> Grade NEWSLETTER

by Mrs. Sirint Naphade, Teacher



6<sup>th</sup> Grade Student/Parent/Guardian(s),  
Ya'at'eeh, t'aa anoltsoh!

It has been a very *challenging* year, and it is **great** that we are only half (  $\frac{1}{2}$  ) way through the school year. There has been a lot of *changes*, new routines, *different* ways of **learning**, and there were many struggles we are faced together.

A nice SPRING is approaching, with 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter. There is HOPE, new beginnings, HEALING across the world, another chance to do the best we can, and RECOVERY, with prayers for returning to our normal school days. Now, especially, with new awesome computers, connection with kajeets, and digital classes. RRDS, we are well on our way to take **learning** to a new level, seriously. Let's have the rest of the school as a great one! Get those computers out, s-t-r-e-t-c-h your PAWS, and turn your brain power on!

4 WEB SITES (out of many others) that You Need To Be ON!

<https://www.edgenuity.com/login/>



<https://www.hmhco.com/one/login/?>



<https://redrockdayschool.schoolinsites.com/>

<https://redrockdayschool.my.webex.com/>

Digital learning is new and exciting for all of us. It may be not easy at first, but it will become easy after you learn how to handle all the websites, the Google chrome and suite, and the VIRTUAL world will fall in place for all of us.

VERY IMPORTANT, call me all the time, get on WEBex for each meeting, use "hnh" for math and reading assignments, and work on Edgenuity as often as possible. Visit the 6<sup>th</sup> Grade virtual classroom for the LSKs and RED ROCK DAY SCHOOL school-in-sites for more educational information. Thank you parents for all your support, appreciate it.

**Save a PAWESOME day!**

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We are already in the second half of the school year. Thank you for your continued perseverance and flexibility during these difficult times with the added challenges of remote learning.

## Objectives:

### Reading

- ❖ Genre Elements: Poetry
- ❖ Analyze Figurative Language

### Mathematics

- ❖ Angle Measurement

### Science

- ❖ Assessment on Genetic
- ❖ Sound Waves

### Social Studies

- ❖ New England Colonies

### Writing

- ❖ Poetry

## EIGHTH GRADE

### MARCH NEWS LETTER

## BE SAFE

## BE RESPECTFUL

## BE RESPONSIBLE

### MARCH

### Wozhchid

It's the month when the eaglets have grown big and noisy in their nest. The blue wind moves over the earth. The weather is unpredictable. The wind is stronger than the months before. The first leaves come forth. People tend to their fields to start planting. The mountain sheep bird is seen and heard to show it is spring time.

### Attendance is important

**TEXT - IN: 7:30 AM - 9:30 AM PRESENT**  
**8:30 AM - 10:00 AM TARDY**  
**10:00 AM ABSENT**

### On-Line Programs

- ☐ Edgenuity
- ☐ HMH into Literature
- ☐ HMH into Math

Log-in with your user name/password  
Start working on assigned lessons in

HMH Curriculum

Independent lessons in Edgenuity

MyPath (Reading/Math)

Begin with Assessments Read/Math

Start your path of lessons/learning

### EVENTS:

**MARCH 15-19**

**SPRING BREAK**

**1989** The Navajo Code Talker Monument is installed

**1864** The first group of Navajos finish the "Long Walk" to Fort Sumner. A powerful snowstorm strikes and Mexicans kidnapped the Navajo marchers and some perished. The marchers were mostly women, children, and elders.

Any questions or assistance, please text, call or email.

Login during our Web-ex Tier II class meet at 11:00-12:00 am for extra help.

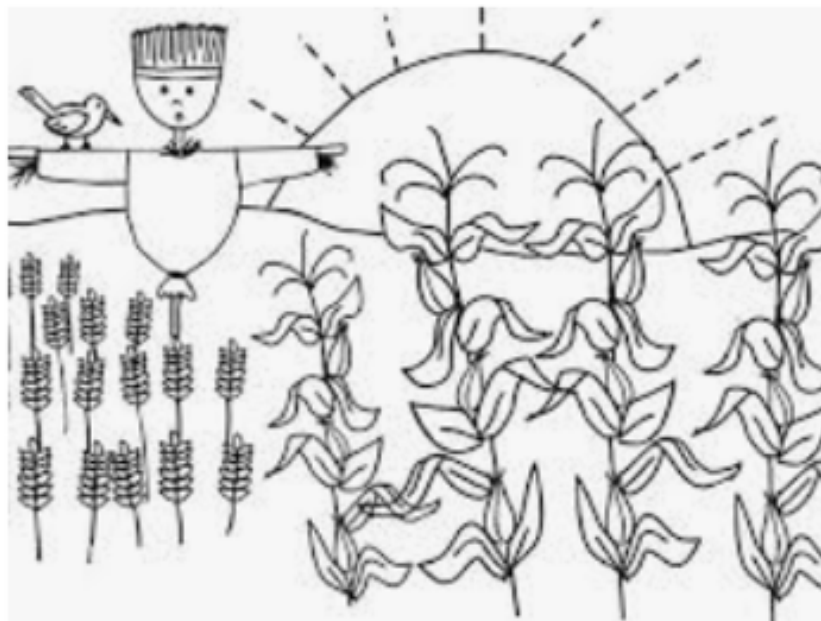
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# IMPORTANT DATES MARCH 14<sup>TH</sup> SET YOUR CLOCK FORWARD

Don't forget to wear your color green on March 17, 2021

March 20<sup>th</sup> is first day of Spring. Time for planting.

## Upcoming Event:

**March 3, 2021**

**Parenting is a  
Pandemic**

**5:30 – 7:30**

**March 6, 2021**

**Quarter 2 Ends**

**March 15-19, 2021**

**Spring Break**

**March 25-29, 2021**

**Parent Teacher  
Conference**

**(25<sup>th</sup> ½ day)**

**Why we need to  
log into our  
computer...**

**\*To learn how to  
use and  
communicate  
with teacher**

**\*To get extra help  
from teacher**

**\*To keep our  
grades and  
attendance  
everyday**

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## Perfect Attendance: February 2021



### 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade:

Brooklyn Charley Malachi Goldtooth  
Shinnayah Howe Kendall Lincoln  
Darianna R. Martin Layla Nez Savannah O'Jaye  
Zephaniah Poncho Darrell Tso Jr.

### 6<sup>th</sup> Grade:

Joanna Agoodie Aras Harvey  
Craig Roe

### 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade:

Sophia Begay Payton Harrison  
Carmine Roe

### 7<sup>th</sup> Grade:

Jameson Begay Daralynn Benally Summer Benally  
Adriano Jim Juaquin Jojola Joshua Nelson  
Hughstin J. Pelt Kaylanda Sleuth Keanu Smith  
Jordan Tsosie Betty Tsosie

### 4<sup>th</sup> Grade:

Jade Benally Kyleigh Lincoln Jessenia Silva  
Kira Simms Essien M. Vandever

### 8<sup>th</sup> Grade:

-Alicia Agoodie -LeDainian T. Atencio -Sakari Frazier  
-Ryan Gorman -JerShannon Clah -Shakiah Goldtooth  
-Kymora Sleuth -Dellsie Tso

### 5<sup>th</sup> Grade:

Amanda Agoodie Alannah Cambridge  
Braylon Frazier Shariah Goldtooth  
Marcus Jojola Jessie Silva  
Kierra Todachinnie Otto Tso Colin Williams  
Malachi Wilson



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## How to Get Through a Bad Day with Your Child Parenting in a Pandemic

### SUNDANCE EDUCATIONAL CONSULTING

**Red Rock Day School**  
**March 3, 2021**  
**5:30 pm -7:30 pm**

This workshop will provide parents with information on how to help their children build an optimistic mindset which is the emotional protection that lasts a lifetime. Booklets will be provided to each parent which includes tips on how to have a good morning, stress busters, communication skills and family connection strategies.

**Follow this Zoom link below to join the meeting:**  
**Meeting ID 858 9508 5023 Passcode 801002**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85895085023?pwd=WkpFd0xlUC9kWHdhZzdnWTc2MI9pUT09>

**FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:** Christine Becker  
at (505) 867-0946 or [sundance@spinn.net](mailto:sundance@spinn.net) . For More  
information about Sundance visit [www.sec-inc.org](http://www.sec-inc.org) .



#### **PRESENTER**

Dr. Martha Carmody has a Ph.D. in clinical and developmental psychology and has been practicing psychology in the Albuquerque Area for over 25 years.

#### **ZOOM LEARNING**

This platform is for use on computers, tablets and phones for video and audio conferencing, chat and webinars as well as for teaching.

#### **SUNDANCE EDUCATIONAL CONSULTING**

Christine Becker is the owner of SEC which has been working with Native American parents, staff and children for the past 40 years.





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## Honor Roll Corner: Quarter 2



### Honor Roll "A-B":

3<sup>rd</sup> Grade: Cayatona Lee  
4<sup>th</sup> Grade: Kira Simms  
4<sup>th</sup> Grade: Joshua Barber  
4<sup>th</sup> Grade: Devin Yazzie  
5<sup>th</sup> Grade: Zachariah Bluehorse-Begay  
5<sup>th</sup> Grade: Braylon Frazier  
5<sup>th</sup> Grade: Marcus Jojola  
5<sup>th</sup> Grade: Otto Tso



### Honor Roll "A":

3<sup>rd</sup> Grade: Sophia Begay  
3<sup>rd</sup> Grade: Payton Harrison  
4<sup>th</sup> Grade: Essien Vandever  
4<sup>th</sup> Grade: Kyleigh Lincoln



Great Job Wildcats!!!

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### Exceptional:

Kindergarten: Auburnie Benally  
Kindergarten: Jeleigha Gould  
Kindergarten: Conner Harrison  
2<sup>nd</sup> Grade: Darrell Tso Jr.  
2<sup>nd</sup> Grade: Zephaniah Poncho  
2<sup>nd</sup> Grade: Savannah O'Jaye  
2<sup>nd</sup> Grade: Layla Nez