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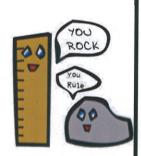
Transitioning to Four Days A Week 8:30am - 2:00pm

Student Return Schedule:
MONDAY, March 8th: Kindergarten
and 1st grade classroom, starting
March 15th: 5th and 6th grade
classroom

If you have any questions or need to make any changes with transportation please call the office at (360) 785-3460 or email Mrs. Kirkpatrick at ckirkpatrick@evalinesd.k12.wa.us

Classified Staff Appreciation Week

We would like to say a BIG Thank you of appreciation to our Classified Staff!! They are awesome and do so much here at Evaline!! Thank you for your hard work and dedication to our Evaline Family, Ms. Tracie, Mr. Mars, Ms. Zoey, Mrs. Fletcher, Mrs. Kirkpatrick, and Mrs. Dunn.



Returning to using NEWSLETTER ENVELOPES

Starting next week with the March 12th newsletter, we will be switching back to using the large newsletter envelopes to transport the paper copies of the newsletter, report cards and miscellaneous items to families. The newsletter envelope will be sent home with the eldest sibling and returned by them as well. We ask that parents/guardians please sign and date the outside of the envelope to show you have received the newsletter each week. When students return the envelope within the week it was sent out, they will receive a small treat. To ensure safety and to continue with our covid protocols, each family will be issued two envelopes that will be rotated each week to give the newly returned envelope time in quarantine.

WELCOME Mrs. Dunn

Please join us in welcoming

Mrs. Dunn to Evaline. She will
be working in classrooms as a
paraprofessional. She's a great
fit to our little school and we're
excited to have her!!!



IMPORTANT DATES:

March:

Sun. 14: Daylight saving time, move clocks one

Tues. 16: Board Meeting 6:30 pm Wed. 17th: St. Patrick's Day

Fri. 19: NO SCHOOL-Mid-Winter Break

Wed. 31st: Read-A-Thon Ends

WEEKLY LUNCH MENU

Mon: NEW Croissant roll, meat sandwich, Tues: Peanut butter & jelly, Wed: Tortilla wraps, Thurs: Bagels

READ-A-THON



Our READ-A-THON is well underway and we are so pleased with all the reading our students are doing, keep up the great work! The READ-A-THON will go through Wednesday March 31st, so we ask students to keep reading and working to their goals! Please make sure to turn in your student's reading log every Friday via dropping off in the outside bins or by sending a picture of your student's log sheet to your student's teacher through Dojo or email.

Evaline Online Learning Platform IXL Rave Reviews:

Evaline's Top 5 IXL:

Student #1: Cale F. (5th)
Student #2: Josh C. (3rd)
Student #3: Brooklyn M. (K)
Student #4: Wyatt A. (5th)
Student #5: Ikeer G. (3rd)



<u>Kindergarten and birth to 5</u> Early Identification Screenings

Because of Covid-19, Evaline will be offering **individual** Kindergarten Screenings this year. If you have a preschooler, age birth to 5, and you feel they may need special services, please call and make an appointment for an individual screening.

Please call 360-245-3343 to set up your appointment. All scheduling will be handled by the Lewis County Special Education Cooperative. Screening will still be done at Evaline School.

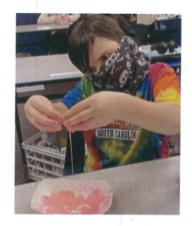


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Tuesday was Dr. Suess' birthday! This year each class chose how they wanted to participate within their class. There were many different activities happening throughout the school including: listening to Dr. Suess books, doing Thing 1 drawings, making Lorax truffula trees, Oobleck and more. Check out some of the fun that was had.











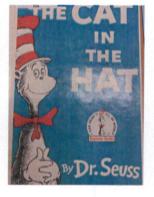
















This week students kicked off Evaline's Annual Read-A-Thon. Reading logs are due back today and each Friday so we can track both individual and class progress towards the month's reading goals. Logs can be turned in in the bins outside, through email, or Dojo. Please help your child to be reading and logging their time daily. All students automatically receive a prize when their first reading log is turned in.

MRS. MITTGE 2ND GRADE

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Super Second Grade Weekly Update: 3/5/21

What a fantastic week! In-person Super Second Graders were back Monday-Thursday from 8:30 am-2:00 pm this week!

We were able to get so much done and were able to welcome Mrs. Dunn to our room as well. She will be working with our learners each school day from 1:15-2:00. With her help we have completed "Listen and Learns" that have allowed us to practice our growth mindset and listening skills. She has also been helping us re-inforce math and language skills.

The extended in-person work week has also allowed us to complete our pe and music lessons in class. Boy, are your kids a kick to watch! In PE, we practiced some basic gross motor movements and identified the: cranium, mandible, clavicle, and sternum. We were able to use these terms to practice this week's song "Looby Loo." Also in music we built on our previous study that sound is vibrations and these vibrations travel through the air in waves; the speed and shape of which determines its pitch and volume. We looked at quarter notes, half notes, whole notes and rests and clapped out rhythms! Next week we will "play" with instrument families.

Our students are working really hard on using their Student Superpowers and Growth Mindset to practice "professionalism." We have defined professionalism as, "respect and responsibility for a purpose."

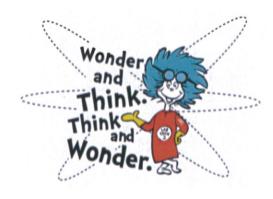
I am so thankful for all of the family support we have had this week to get EVERY ONE of our students to log into our daily all-class, 9:00 am Zoom sessions! This has allowed me to mark each student as "attended" for the day and has helped us keep our in-person and at-home learners on a common, learning-community-centered pace. THANK YOU!!!!

Ms. Turnquiist has been working really hard to get our building-wide Read-a-Thon kicked off. Your child should have a blue reading log on which s/he should be tracking how many minutes they have read for each day. These are due every FRIDAY through the end of March! Our class goal is to read 6,510 minutes by March 31st. If we all read at least 30 minutes a day, that goal is attainable!

Just a reminder that we are now offering a homework club for Super Second Graders! I am really excited about this service! Homework Club will be offered after school every Monday and Wednesday from 2:15pm-3:15pm to second grade students. They will be working with Mrs. Tinnin. Please contact me if you are interested in trying it out.

Last, it is a fantastic time to transition to in-school instruction if you are able to. I have the space and we are very serious about following all safety procedures and protocols.

Thank you, families, for all of your support and for providing me with the opportunity to to work with your children. I just adore them and look forward to seeing them again next week!





MRS. TURNQUIST 3RD GRADE

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Hello Families.

It was so great to see the sun out the first part of this week. Students soaked up some sun while doing math outside! We used our whiteboards and solved order of operation problems. To help students learn their order of operations students learned the acronym Please Excuse My Dear Aunt Sally.







This week in science students learned how to create a powerpoint to go along with their endangered animal research projects. Students learned how to create slides and add pictures to them, next time we will add in a few more powerpoint skills like transitions from slides. Once students' slides were done they got the opportunity to practice their public speaking by presenting their work to their class. We talked about the features of a good presentation including eye contact and projecting your voice.

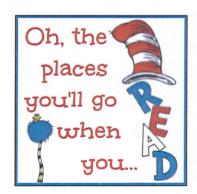








The Annual Read-A-Thon started this week. I have already seen some really great reading logs. Any student who reads at least 30 minutes everyday through the month of March will hit their reading goal and every minute helps the class to hit the class goal. Please remember reading logs are due each Friday.



MRS. DUREN 4TH GRADE

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Fabulous Fourth Graders

What a "fantabulous" week we have had celebrating Dr Seuss, and focusing on creativity and reading. This week we created Oobleck in Science, and in Art drew new types of animals made up of all the best parts of other animals, and created their own Truffula Trees. We got a good jumpstart on our Read-a-Thon goals, increasing our use of Epic!, enjoying Dr Seuss specific reading, AR reading, and flashlight reading.

In Math this week we wrapped up our chapter on division, and will be taking our chapter test on it next week. In ELA we have been fine tuning our skills on longer writing assignments, and opinion writing, and working on making revisions to our finished work. In PE and Social Emotional Learning (SEL) we are learning mindfulness activities. In Science we are looking at how animals and people change our world. In Social Studies we are preparing to begin to learn more about some examples of important women in our state's history.

Most of our fourth graders have been participating in our cohort's Homework Club time on Tuesdays and Thursdays. As long as we have a permission slip on file for them, we will plan that they will be attending this help session from 2:00-3:15 unless we hear from you prior to12pm on a given day. We have excellent staffing for this time, but in order to be the most effective use of time, it is essential that the students come prepared to actively work on their homework independently and to then take turns asking questions as needed, and always follow the directions given by staff in a respectful manner. I have been encouraging our students to take advantage of the different opportunities for help that are being offered throughout each school day by staff as well as via zoom on Fridays, as we have noticed a trend for students to decline help when offered, until after something is past due, or they are overwhelmed or frustrated. Any encouragement you can offer to your students to help them understand the importance of sharing their questions and asking for help in a timely manner would be appreciated. We can't do the work for them, but we are eager to come alongside these fabulous fourth graders and help them learn and grow.

Have a Great Weekend - Mrs. Duren

















MRS. YOUNG KINDERGARTEN AND 1ST GRADE

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Hello!

The Kindergarten and 1st Grade both just wrapped up their units in math! Kindergarteners are working on three dimensional shapes next as the first graders dive into the representing data unit. The representing data unit is mostly graphs and how to read them.

As for ELA, Kindergarten is getting closer to the end of this unit and will next be working on more vocabulary and sight words. First grade has been working on their unit on opinions and will next be working on narratives.

Don't forget if your students are in person, next week we are all back Monday through Thursday! Fridays are still online days!

Have a wonderful weekend!

Mrs. Young



MR. BURLINGAME 5TH AND 6TH GRADE

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Hello Parents and Students.

This week we started our annual read-a-thon for the month of March. Each student has a personal goal of 930 minutes for the whole month and the class as a group has a goal of 12,090 minutes. New log sheets will be sent home each week so that students can keep track of their minutes. We have prizes for the top two readers in each class, each reader who turns in their first log sheet, and the whole class if they reach their class goal.

In math this week has taken us to the end of our respective chapters in both grades. Both grades will be having their chapter tests after reviews next week. In ELA, 5th grade is continuing to read Don Quixote and have started the planning phase of their unit project which is writing a persuasive essay on the justification of Don Quixote's actions in the novel. 6th grade is continuing to read Bud not Buddy and will be working on their essay soon on their "Rules to Live By".

On March 15th, 5th and 6th grade students will be returning to class for four days a week. This will bring some changes to how the day is organized and how homework is tracked. I will give more details in next week's newsletter.

Have a great weekend! Mr. B

