

May NEWSLETTER

WHAT ARE WE LEARNING?

Reading: Students are working on their reading comprehension skills which include asking and answering questions, main idea and details along with summarizing. We are beginning our next unit Government at Work! Students are also in the process of taking their Smarter Balanced Assessments!

Writing: Students are learning how to write explanatory essays.

Grammar: Students are learning about subject and verb agreements!

Word Analysis: Students are learning about prefixes and suffixes and their impact on different root words. We are focusing on the meanings of the prefixes and suffixes to make them stronger spellers and readers!

Math: Students are learning about geometric shapes, lines and angles. In Number Corner, students are learning about fractions, division and rectilinear figures. Finally, students are taking their Smarter Balanced Math assessment and performance task.

IMPORTANT DATES

- **April 28–May 11:** Smarter Balanced Assessments
- **May 20:** EARLY RELEASE–TEACHER PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT
- **May 21:** Field Day All Day
- **May 21:** Family Picnic 6:00–7:30
- **May 28:** Memorial Day – NO SCHOOL
- **May 29:** Student of the Month Breakfast
- **May 27:** Art and Music Show 6–7:30 PM

REMINDERS

As the weather gets warmer, please remember to send students with water bottles!

