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Spring is right around the corner! It is hard to believe, but we are fast approaching the end of the 3rd Quarter. Our students have been working diligently and are showing growth in all content areas. We want to congratulate our 4th and 5th graders who are being inducted into the National Elementary Honor Society this month.

The Girls in Pearls and Guys in Ties Dance was a HUGE success with our Pre-Kindergarten through 2^{nd} grade students and their parent(s). We also hosted a Glow Dance for our $3^{rd}-5^{th}$ graders last month. Our Yearbook Committee will also host the WMES Pageants in April, so be on the lookout for information that will be coming out soon.

Title 1 Surveys went home Monday, February 26^{th} , so please take a few minutes to complete the survey and return it by Monday, March 4^{th} . Your input is greatly needed for planning our 2024-2025 Title 1 plan and for revising our School Renewal Plan. We cordially invite you to our SIC/Title 1 Planning Meeting on Thursday, March 21^{st} , at 4:30 P.M. We want to hear your ideas!

March is another very busy month, so please make sure you check out the calendar of events that is included in this newsletter. Events are also posted on the front marquee, and our teachers will send home fliers and other pertinent information through REMIND.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact the front office.

Ruth Míms

Our Mission Statement

The children, parents, faculty, and staff of Williams Memorial Elementary School are unified in their purpose of accelerating the learning of all students through shared decision-making and powerful learning experiences



Induction Program

Our National Elementary Honor Society Induction for fourth and fifth graders will be held in the gymnasium Wednesday, March 20th, at 6:00 P.M.

2024 Inductees

Joshua Canady Jocelyn Cuellar Kaden Gathers Jordvn Graham Wyatt Gruber **Novalee Hulon Alexis** Jeffers **Brielle** Jeffers **Emily Lyons Greysen McAlhany Rylan Miles Conlee Minus Jenasys Morris Kenadee Plumb** Myai Poland **Kyle Seunandan Trentis Stephens Anthonie Varner** Kevin Young



Look for information about our next Family Movie Night that will be held March 13^{th} at Woodland High School.



Dates to Remember in March

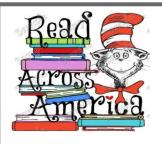
March 4—Title 1 Surveys Due March 4-8—Read Across America Week March 6—Early Release (12:35 P.M.) March 6—State-wide Tornado Drill (9:00 A.M.) March 10—Spring Forward (Don't' Forget to Change Your Clocks) Match 11-15—Spring i-Ready Reading & Math Diagnostic Testing March 13—Family Movie Night @ Woodland High School March 17—St. Patrick's Day March 18-22—3rd Quarter Parent-Teacher Conferences March 20-NEHS Induction Program (6:00 P.M._ March 19-DD4 Board Meeting @ WHS (6:00 P.M.) March 21—SIC/Title 1 Planning Meeting (4:30 P.M.) March 22—End of 3rd Quarter March 25-29—Spring Break

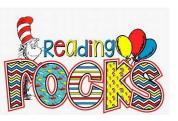




Our Vision Statement

The vision of Williams Memorial Elementary School is to create a community of academic excellence for our students by establishing high expectations and academic rigor, providing effective and innovative educational practices in a safe and supportive environment, and helping our students develop world-class skills and to graduate with a 21st Century education and to be globally competitive in their chosen career path.





Read Across America Week Author € Dress Up Days March 4th - 8th

Monday Anna Dewdney

CUDDLE UP WITH A GOOD BOOK!

Wear your PJ pants

Tuesday Eric Carle

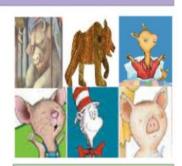
BOOKS BRING COLOR TO OUR LIVES!

Color Day! Prek/Kindergarten - Red First - Orange Second- Yellow Third- Green Fourth - Blue Fifth - Purple

Wednesday Maurice Sendak

BOOKS BRING OUT YOUR WILD SIDE!

Wear Animal print or something with your favorite animal on it.



Thursday Dr. Seuss

BOOKS BOOST OUR IMAGINATION.

Dress up like your favorite Dr. Seuss Character!

> Friday Laura Numeroff

READING IS BETTER WITH A BUDDY!

Bring your favorite stuffed animal to school.



