



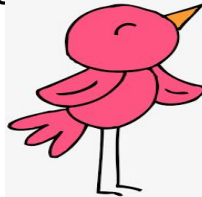
# NEWSLETTER

## April

### Reminders

- \*April 19 -Spudingo:TES fundraiser 5:30-6:00 dinner & 6:30 bingo/prizes
- \*April 24-Late start (10:15)
- \*April 26-Dress up day-hat day

Please continue to send boots and coats to school as it is still sloppy and muddy on the playground.



## ELA

- The Highly Proficient student can identify and summarize the main idea and supporting details of each paragraph within a multi-paragraph text.
- The Highly Proficient student can compare and contrast the same topic using several different texts and summarize their findings in their own words using evidence from their sources.

## Math

- The Highly Proficient student can create four different figures with an area of 24 and recognize that multiplication can be used to find area (area = length x width).
- The Highly Proficient student can arrange objects into equal rows and columns, and write a multiplication equation using the information created with the array.

## Class News

\*\*ISAT testing is beginning for grades 3-6.  
We have IRI testing as well so remember to have your student eat a good breakfast and get plenty of rest.

## More...

- Last chance for Scholastic book orders-place orders by the end of the month.
- Our library day is Tuesday
- PE-Weeks of April 15th and 29th
- Music-Weeks of April 8th and 22nd

## Science/Social Studies

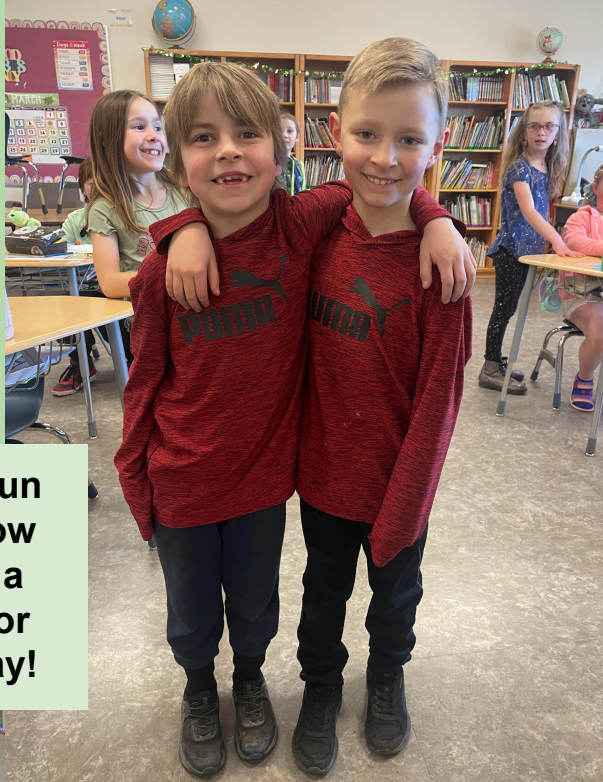
- \*Plants depend on water and light to grow
- \*Plants depend on animals for pollination.
- \*How humans depend on the environment to meet their needs.



# March Recap:



There's always a performance at recess!



How fun to show up as a twin for the day!



Movie and stuffy day!



I love to pop in and see what is happening in music!

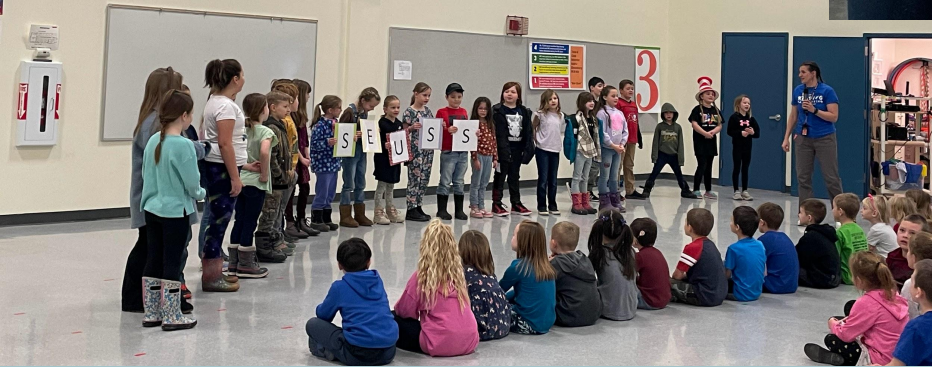


We love our librarian, Mrs. Malm!



# Read Across America

Read Across America was a fun day for the whole school! We had fantastic guest readers including the U of I football team, staff, and community members and of course our very own The Cat in the Hat!



Our class got to lead the "Seuss song" for the assembly.



This group was introduced to *Henry and Mudge* books and could not stop laughing!

# Ag-citing times! We participated in the second annual Ag Expo put on by the Troy High School FFA.



Mr. Hoffman introduced FFA members to lead stations. Students learned about crops, soils, teamwork, tree planting, and animal care.



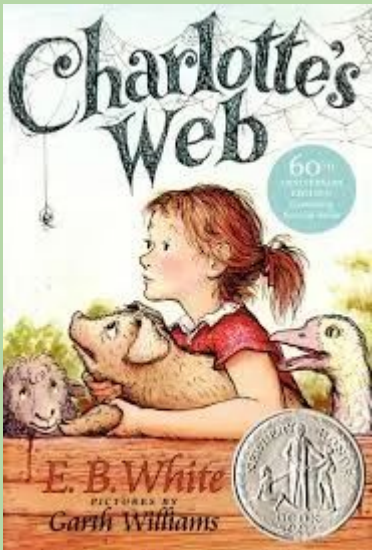
It's fun to get a bit dirty!



Jolee taught all about her horse, Sarge.



Science time is so much fun. These problem solvers worked to examine and document what they thought was inside different balloons when learning about properties of matter. Their conversations were impressive!



We are reading Charlotte's Web so ask your student about what is happening in our story!