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ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT

COMMUNITY ARTS & PHYSICAL EDUCATION

PYP

Kindergarten Bradley International School Newsletter

Spring 2020

Kindergarten Classroom Teachers: Mrs. Eggleston, Mrs. LeQuense, Mrs. Rosales,

LITERACY: Reading & Writing

In Literacy, Kindergarten students are learning...

- Reading Comprehension Skills and Strategies - Fiction and Informational texts
- Responding to reading
- Independent leveled reading
 - Reading a “Just Right” book
 - Independently reading for at least 10 minutes
- Basic grammar skills
- Story structure
- Various genres of writing
- Reading and writing sight words

MATH

In Math, Kindergarten students are learning...

- Counting & cardinality, including teen numbers
- Operations & algebraic thinking
- Number & operations in base 10
- Measurement & data
- Geometry
- Addition and subtraction within ten

IB – Units of Inquiry

- **January - March: Where We Are in Place And Time**
- **March - April: Sharing the Planet**
- **April - May: Who We Are**

How to Support Your Child’s Learning at Home

- * Continue to work with your child in completing the homework packet each week.
- * Read to your child for at least 20 minutes per night, and have your child read to you!
- * Give opportunities for longer writing to build stamina and confidence.
- * Play board games that encourage mathematical thinking and counting (such as: Tenzies, Uno, War, Candy Land, Chutes & Ladders, Memory, Sorry).
- * Speak to your child nightly about their day at school (ex. What did you learn in ___? What was challenging? What did you like best? What did you do in specials today? Who did you play with today? What are you looking forward to?) These daily conversations support our learning standards for Speaking & Listening as well as Language.
- * Most of all enjoy your time together as a family!



Dates to Remember:

- March 6th - Early Release Day Dismissal 12:45pm
- March 21st – PTO Spring Auction Fundraiser (Maggiano’s Downtown)
- March 28th – April 5th – No School - Spring Break
- April 6th – No School – Teacher Planning Day
- April 30th – IB Service Learning Day
- May 1st – Early Release (12:45pm)
- May 7th – Student Led Conferences
- May 25th – No school (Memorial Day)
- May 27th – Field Day
- May 29th – Last Day of School Dismissal 12:45pm