

First Grade French



Visit to the Museum of the American Indian
Grayson and Nolan looking at a Khipu



Important Dates

- 10/26 Taste of Stokes 10:00-12:30PM
- 10/29 Fall Outing (1st – 5th)
- 11/1 First Friday
- 11/4 Make-Up Picture Day

Reminders

- Please do not drive up Oakview Terrace for drop off and please be mindful of DC traffic laws on Oakview Terrace and within the community. Do NOT block driveways on Oakview Terrace.

French Language Arts

This week in French Language Art

- We reviewed the vowels AEIOU.
- The students learned the names of the rooms of a house and used the expressions:
Qu'est ce que c'est?
Ou es...?

In writing

- The students are writing small moment stories.
- The students are encouraged to used the questions:
Comment dit-on.....en Francais? (How do we sayin French?)
Comment ecrit-on.....? (How do we write....?)

Units of Inquiry

This week, we learned about the Incas. Students learned about where the Incas stored their grains and what system they used to count. They also learned about the Inca method of freeze-drying. Students used this method to freeze-dry an apple

English Language Arts

We practiced perseverance during our reading. If we come across a tricky word that might seem too difficult at first, we keep trying different strategies until we solve that word! As partners, we cheer each other on and suggest strategies without giving each other the answer so that everyone can learn.

In Phonics, we learned that our snap words are powerful! We can use our snap words to write hundreds of other words by adding or swapping letters.

Math

This week in Math, we concluded our geometry unit. Students showed what they have learned by sorting shapes according to their attributes. On Thursday, we began a unit with a focus on addition and

slice. On Friday, we launched our study of Mayans by learning about Mayan masks from the fifth grade class.

subtracting fluency and word problems. In this unit, we will begin working with larger numbers.