

Students published their small moment books and gave each other compliments!



French Language Arts

This week in French Language Arts, we introduced the letter “E”. Students practiced the new letter/sound in different centers. E pronounced as *uh*, like *the*.

On Monday 10/07/2019, the students took the NWEA test for English Language Arts.

Starting on Tuesday 10/15/2019, the students will start the writing workshop in French for the next 6 weeks.

The vowels studied so far:

A pronounced /ah/ - the sound in 'spa'

I pronounced /ee/ - the sound in leek

U pronounced (hard one!) /eew/ - said like EE with rounded lips

Units of Inquiry

This week we wrapped up our unit on Symbols by finishing and presenting the personal crests. Next week, we will start our unit on Aztecs, Mayans and Incas.

Important Dates

- 10/14 No School – Dia de la Raza/Indigenous People’s Day
- 10/18 Field Trip to Museum of the American Indian
- 10/26 Taste of Stokes 10:00-12:30PM
- 10/29 Fall Outing (1st – 5th)

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.

English Language Arts

On Wednesday, students took the NWEA test for Math.

On Thursday, we visited the second grade class’ writing celebration and got the chance to hear some of the narrative writing they have been working on.

We also learned new strategies for solving tricky words like looking at all parts of the word, breaking the words into smaller pieces, and getting a running start by rereading the sentence.

Math

This week in Math, students worked with pattern blocks to create composite shapes. They also worked to construct viable arguments and respectfully critique the reasoning of others.