

THE BECKER BULLETIN

February
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Parent Teacher Conferences

Parent teacher conferences will be held on Wednesday, March 8th from 7:30 am until 3:00 pm. Each meeting will last no longer than 30 minutes. There is a sign-up sheet located by Mrs. Carr's desk in the Great Room. For parents unable to attend on that day, we'll need to find a time to get together soon thereafter. I'm available most afternoons at 2:00, so email me to schedule an appointment as soon as possible.

Conferences will focus on middle of the year data collected from reading, science, math, and writing assessments, as well as report card grades. If you have any specific questions, make sure to bring them. Otherwise, just come with an open-mind and a positive attitude! Working together, I'm confident that everyone will get, or remain, on-track.

The Week In Review

ELA: This past week, we covered understanding characters, contractions, and the prefix "mal-."

SS: Students just began Ch. 3, which is on Settlements Take Root.

Math: We just tested on multiplying fractions. Next up, we'll learn how to divide fractions.

Science: Students are currently studying Unit 5: The Nature of Matter.

Word of the Week:

Our word of the week was "love," which is one of the most important emotions that we have. Our lives go better when we are loved and when we love others. We all want to feel loved and nurtured, so make sure to spread that love so you can make someone else's day!

Miscellaneous

Upcoming Dates

***REMINDER...**

We DO have school on Presidents' Day, this Monday, February 20.

Tuesday, February 28- Picture Day

Monday, March 15–Friday, March 17-
Spring Break



Spelling

Students should neatly write each of the following words with large, legible print on the index cards sent home today. This week, we will focus on words with final /əl/ and /ər/.

blunder
medical

diesel
photocopier

federal
potential

firefighter
projector

glacier
survival

initial
unravel

Notes from Ms. Katje

Students are learning to play the flute and ukulele in music class. Ms. Katje is also helping students learn songs from The Hobbit for Reader's Theater.

Notes from Coach Cotter

In PE, students are continuing their lacrosse unit. In health, students are learning about dental hygiene.