BECKER BULLETIN

February 24, 2023



Parent Teacher Conferences

REMINDER

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.

So far, only six parents have signed up. Just a reminder that this is an HLA requirement for all parents, so please schedule an appointment immediately.

The Week In Review

<u>ELA</u>: This past week, we covered sequence of events, the verbs be and have, and the prefix "mis-."

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

<u>Math</u>: We will be testing on how to divide fractions early this week

<u>Science</u>: Students are currently studying Unit 5: The Nature of Matter and will test soon.

Word of the Week:

Our word of the week was "teamwork." Teamwork can improve efficiency and productivity. Efficiency rules when work is appropriately divided within a team, responsibilities are shared, and tasks are more likely to be finished within a set time frame. Good teamwork also enhances group outcomes and the measurable effectiveness of organizations.

Miscellaneous

Upcoming Dates

Tuesday, February 28- Picture Day

Wednesday, March 8-5th grade conferences

Monday, March 13-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 prefixes: re-, pre-, dis-, and mis-.

disagree disorganized disrespect misbehave misguided preface miscalculate premonition preservation regenerate relapse reunited

Notes from Ms. Katie

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 have finished their lacrosse unit and are having a skills week, revisiting skills from previous units, before we begin our next sports unit. In health, students are learning how to read and understand the nutrition facts label on foods in order to better understand what is healthy and unhealthy.