BECKER BULLETIN

February 3, 2023

Valentine's Day

My class is hoping to have our Valentine's Day party on Tuesday, February 14th, from 1-1:30. This will not be a "major" party, like the one before the winter holidays. However, students will have the opportunity to distribute Valentine's Day cards, and share some healthy snacks, if parents would like to contribute anything. If your child plans to pass out cards, s/he needs to have a card for EVERY student in the class, not just their friends.

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The Week In Review

<u>ELA</u>: This past week, we covered fact and opinion, prepositions, and the prefixes "circ-" and "circum-." <u>SS</u>: Students just began studying Ch. 2: Age of Exploration. A project will be assigned soon (hopefully)!

<u>Math</u>: We tested on Ch. 9 this past week. Ch. 10 will focus on multiplying fractions.

<u>Science</u>: Students just tested on Unit 7. We'll now go back to Unit 5: The Nature of Matter.

Word of the Week:

Our word of the week was "perseverance." Perseverance is the ability to keep doing something in spite of obstacles. When you work toward your goals and dreams, there will be obstacles and setbacks. But if you persevere, you'll make progress and learn a skill that will pay off in the long run.

Miscellaneous

Upcoming Dates

Tuesday, February 14- Valentine's Day

Thursday, February 16- Parent Night - Progress Reports

Saturday, February 18- 5 Points of Life Kid's Marathon



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 noun suffixes.

agreement	enjoyment	inspection	revision	cooperation	exhaustion
modesty	safety	declaration	illness	payment	wilderness

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 <u>The Hobbit</u> for Reader's Theater.

Notes from Coach Cotter

In PE, students just began a lacrosse unit. In health, students are learning about dental and oral hygiene.