

## CALENDAR

- 2/14 Valentine's Day
- 2/16 All-School Meeting  
8:45 a.m. (American Room)  
Pizza Lunch
- 2/16 Re-enrollment Agreements Due
- 2/19-23 February Break
- 2/26 School Resumes  
Founders' Day Celebration  
Breakfast for Families  
8:15 - 8:45 a.m.
- 2/26-3/1 Founders' Week Auction
- 3/1 PACE Parent Coffee Meetup  
and Meeting  
8:15 - 8:45 a.m.
- 3/1 All-School Meeting  
8:45 a.m.  
*Founders' Day Award  
Announcement*
- 3/1 ASM Spirit Day  
Pizza Lunch  
Women's History Month  
Begins
- 3/7 Pizza Lunch  
Science Fair  
6:00 - 7:00 p.m.
- 3/8 No School - Professional  
Development Day  
(Childcare Fun Day Offered)
- 3/15 All-School Meeting  
8:45 a.m.  
Pizza Lunch

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## Our Classroom



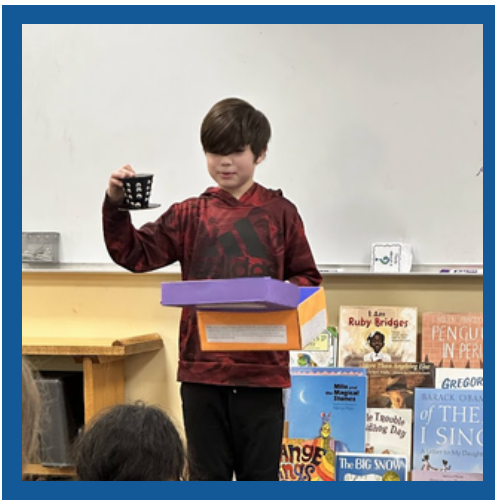
Bring Your Parent to School Night was a terrific time. Thank you so much for taking the time to come visit our classroom and to learn about what we work on in our room each day. Students did an amazing job being the teacher for their parents.



Some way and somehow, we have already reached the 100th Day of the 2023-2024 school year! Where has the time gone? It has been a packed school year and taking the time out to appreciate just how big a number one hundred is can be both fun and inspiring. It is always important to take time and reflect on all that has happened in life, even in as little or as much as one hundred days.

## Math

Our second years are working hard on subtraction at the moment. Using the stamp game, students are doing dynamic subtraction, learning to borrow across multiple place values. First years are moving from addition to multiplication while third years are hard at work with division, using the test tubes to do one or two digit division problems.



## Language

Book reports were due in and we immediately got to work on presenting them to the class. Students did a great job presenting and it was a lot of fun when they revealed the item they made and explained why they picked it in relation to its relevance to the plot of the story. We look forward to presenting our next book report which goes out March 1st. The theme will be nonfiction.

## Cultural

In cultural, we have moved on from plants to vertebrates and started by learning about the parts of the fish. We learned that there are many different names for each fin on the fish other than the dorsal fin which many already knew. We are also finishing up Personal Timelines by giving them covers that we are making using scrapbooking paper which gives them another layer of feeling like an album of each students life.





## Field Trip

Our field trip to the Harvard Museum of Natural History was so much fun! Students learned a lot from the program, Digging into Fossils and had a wonderful time looking at the other exhibits. It is always great to be able to see things we have learned about in the classroom out in the world.

## Looking Ahead...

Valentine's Day is coming up next week on Wednesday February 14th. We will be providing your child with a Valentine's Day bag to decorate in class. If your child intends on bring in Valentines for the Valentine's Day Exchange, please make sure there is one for every student. There are 18 students. We will be sending out a list of student's names if your child needs help filling out their cards.



## Founders' Week Auction

During Founders' Week (February 26 through March 1), ASM will host an auction! This event will help our school raise funds for our Founders' Fund for Teaching Excellence; which is an endowment focused on continued professional development opportunities for ASM faculty and staff. The students have been working on our classroom's auction item and it has been exciting to see them working together to create a unique item for one lucky family to take home. We can't wait for you to see!

Get ready to bid on this exclusive creation representing the 2023-2024 Dove class!

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