

## CALENDAR

- 4/5 PACE Coffee Meetup and Members Meeting  
8:15 a.m. (American Room)
- 4/5 All-School Meeting  
Middle School presents:  
MMUN trip  
8:45 a.m. (American Room)
- 4/5 Pizza Lunch  
ASM Spirit Day  
(wear ASM gear or school colors)
- 4/5 Movie Night  
Sponsored by PACE  
6:00 p.m.
- 4/9-11 Scholastic Book Fair  
(American Room)
- 4/12 Field Trip  
New England Aquarium
- 4/15-19 No School - April Break
- 4/26 Pizza Lunch
- 4/26 Author's Tea  
American Room  
2:00 - 3:00 p.m.
- 5/1 Student Art Show Opening
- 5/3 Pizza Lunch  
ASM Spirit Day
- 5/3 ASM Coffee House  
American Room  
6:00 - 7:30 p.m.
- 5/6 No School - Professional Development Day
- 5/10 Pizza Lunch

## Our Classroom



The students did a wonderful job getting up in front of their peers and presenting their book reports. Some students did their non-fiction reports on animals, sports, and even the history of LEGO! We are proud of all the work they put into their reports and their enthusiasm in sharing their knowledge.

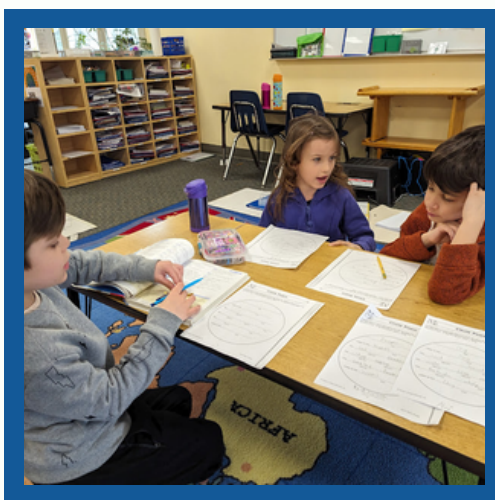


Thank you again to the families that have helped to donate our group snack each week. The students enjoyed prepping and serving healthy snacks like apple flowers. Group snack is a great way for students to work collaboratively and learn how to portion food and use measurements. It is a great practical life skill.

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ASM's calendar!](#)

## Math

Students are working on measurement in math this month. We are learning about all different types of measurement from length to volume as well as the difference between the metric system and the imperial system.



## Language

Our poetry unit has continued throughout last month and into this month. Students have been working on all different types of poetry. We have created circle poems, triangle triplets, acrostic poems, triantes, season poems, and animal alliteration poems. Working through each of these types of poems allows students to come up with many different topics and consider not just grammar, but also senses and synonyms. We have also built in the use of our classroom thesaurus' and dictionaries in order to assist our vocabulary.

## Cultural

We have been continuing our exploration of the composition of the earth by talking about the different types of mountains. We are also learning more about classifying life on earth into the different kingdoms. Everyone also got their Vertebrate Club card as we discussed the difference between vertebrates and invertebrates.





## Nature Walk

We were not able to go out into the woods in the snow since we did not have quite enough snow this winter, but we were just able to get out into the woods before spring truly began. We went out to do some bark rubbing and sketches. Students enjoyed being able to use their nature journals again and look forward to another trek out into the woods in spring.

## Looking Ahead...

The Author's Tea is quickly approaching. The students have been working on creating different types of poetry and they have chosen one that they would like to present to friends and family. We encourage you to join our event on Friday, April 26, 2024 from 2:00 - 3:00 p.m. in the American Room. Please be on the lookout for a sign up sheet that will be sent out so families can sign up to donate food to our event.



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