

D206 NEWS

Upcoming Events

November 8
Election Day (No School)

November 10
Picture Retakes

November 11
Veteran's Day (No School)

November 24-25
Thanksgiving (No School)

December 3
Winterfest (2-6pm)

December 21
Quarter 2 Ends



Aloha Parents,

Thank you for taking the time to meet with me for parent teacher conferences! I appreciate you allowing your child to share a few highlights from quarter one. I can tell the kids were very excited to share and explain how quarter one has been for them! This upcoming quarter will be filled with lots of Dance and Garden! We will also be focusing on organisms and their habitat in addition to answering the question, how are all living things connected. In Math we have started our division unit and we will continue learning different strategies to help solve multi-step word problems. I am looking forward to continuing our learning journey, Quarter 2 here we come!

- Joann Shishido

Second Quarter Specials

Dance

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Garden

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Math: In math we will be continuing our unit of study with division of tens and ones with successive remainders. Then we will begin reasoning with divisibility and transition to division of thousands, hundreds, tens, and ones. At the end of our unit we will be multiplying two-digit by two-digit numbers.

Reading: For our Wonders, our class will be reading, talking, and studying how animals in the wild survive. We will learn about animal adaptations that help different kinds of animals survive in their environment. In addition to reading about animals we will be discussing how animals can inspire writers to create stories and focus on poetry that includes animal characters.

Science: In science we are jumping into a unit focused mostly on cycles of matter, energy, and interdependence. Students will be explaining how simple food chains and foods webs can be traced back to plants, learning how an organism's behavior is determined by its environment, and identifying the basic differences between animal and plant cells.

Writing: Students have spent the past couple of weeks writing about their non-fiction topics, native plants. We will focus on personal narratives next then poems about our native animals.

Hawaiian Studies- After starting our quarter with amazing projects all about roles in Old Hawaii, we will begin to learn more about exploration, migration, and settlement to Hawaii. Students will learn in depth the cultural contributions of different groups to the development of Hawaii and the changes in population in Hawaii over a period of time.

Student Recognition

Congratulations to the following students who scored an 80% or higher on all their Wonders Assessments for Unit 2!

Micah

ANELA

RYLEE

VICTORIA

