



Renaissance Report

JANUARY 29, 2020

Just a Reminder:

There will be no school on Monday,
February 3rd.





MORNING

with Mom

Thursday, February 13 | 7am
Renaissance Public School Academy

~ A Special Morning For Kids & Mother-Figures ~

Enjoy a light breakfast, a fun activity, and time together!
Please RSVP through the link below and be
entered into a drawing for a coffee gift card.

<https://bit.ly/35BL8gV>

IF TRANSPORTATION TO AND FROM THE EVENT IS NEEDED, PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE.

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THANK YOU

for your submissions that support our school!

Friday is the last day for January
Submissions to be entered for our monthly
gift card drawing!

*Please continue to submit your Box Tops in the box in our lobby for a chance to win a gift card. You can leave them in an envelope, baggie, or taped to paper. Remember to include your child's name and classroom to win!

** Just snap a picture of your account for scanned submissions and email to renaissanceramspto@gmail.com with students name.

*For additional information visit: <https://www.boxtops4education.com/>



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Classroom News:



Kindergarten News

Literacy

It is a Sight Word review week:

find this

We continue to "stretch out" words as we read and write.

Math

We will count to 100 by 10's (in preparation for 100th day next week).

We will also be working on numbers to 100 by 1's.

Writing

We are writing in our journals and remembering capitals, spaces, and punctuation.

Social Studies

We continue our unit on Needs and Wants. Make a list at home and see what you come up with.

Reminders & Events

Our 100th Day of School is next week Wednesday, February 5. Please count out 100 items and bring them to school in a baggie. For example: 100 buttons, 100 paper clips, 100 pennies. We will be doing a lot of "100 Day" activities next Wednesday!

*NO SCHOOL - Monday, February, 3 - Teacher PD

*Mid-Winter Break - No School February 14-17

100th Day
Of
School



Voyager Newsletter



Academics:

In math, our students continue to work on Fact Families w/ missing addends. Also, we are learning about non-standard and standard measurement.

In reading, our students continue to work on answering who, what, when, where, and why. Also, students will be learning about text features and the importance in text.

In science, our students will be learning about states of matter. Students will be able to recognize solids, liquids and gases they come in contact with daily. In the end, students will be able to explain and complete tasks showing how things can change from one state to another.

In writing, students will begin informational writing. Students will focus on their choice of bird and write about its habitat, migration or adaptation pattern, diet, and other important facts about the bird.

Parents,

Please ensure your child comes to school with their winter gear. Voyagers must have boots and snow pants when going outside for recess.

As always, if you need to contact us, please use Seesaw and we will respond to you during non-instructional time throughout the day-thanks.

Dates to remember:

Monday, February 3, 2020
No School for students

Thursday, February 13, 2020
Muffins with Mom @ 7 a.m.

Friday, February 14 and Monday,
February 17, 2020
No School - Mid-Winter Break



Classroom News

Renaissance Islanders

January 29, 2020

3rd and 4th
grade



This Week's Learning

Literacy: Islanders are in the middle of different novel studies, nonfiction readings, analyzing the author's purpose of a text, and learning about influential people.

Math: Our project based math assessment is quite the task, but the students are doing well. They will be finishing these this week and then will jump back into fractions and decimals!

Writing: The Islanders will be exposed to several different stories written as a personal narrative to give them ideas as they begin their own!

Social Studies: Islanders are learning about our state government, the officials that run it, and what responsibilities each role has.

Ideas for Home

- We love to hear it when your Islander...
 - Reads for 20-30 minutes a night.
 - Practices their addition, subtraction, multiplication and division facts!
- Several of our school library books have not been returned from the Islander students. Will you please help look for these at home?
- Valentine's Day is coming up! Time to start writing your name on your cards for your classmates!

Important Dates

- No School on February 3rd.
- No School on February 14th and February 17th!
- The Islanders are off to the capitol! Mr. Neyer and Mrs. Brandeberry will be going on Tuesday, February 18th. Mrs. Schwartz and Mrs. Lindsay will be going on Tuesday, February 25th. More details will be available via Seesaw!



News and Events

OUR CURRENT PBL DRIVING QUESTION:

How can we use an Amazing Race style game to inspire others in our community to learn more about geography?



Tuesday, February 11th is THE AMAZING RACE - STUDENT EDITION. Please check Seesaw for further information.

MATH	Solving simple equations, measures of central tendency, measurement conversions within a system - ask your child which one they're working on.
PBL	World Geography - AMAZING RACE!
LITERACY	MAISA Unit on Informational reading
WRITING	Using ThinkCERCA to write about weather predictions

Middle School Happenings January 29 - February 4

Study Lab Tuesday and Thursday

Math	English/ Language Arts		Science	Social Studies	
Mr. Buzard's math classes are finishing up their work on solving for one variable in terms of another and will be assessing soon on two variable equations. Mr. McCausey's classes are working on Algebraic Equations - Real World Application Resource math is working on objectives individualized for each student.	Students are continuing their work on argument essays. They should be finishing the research aspect and moving into the first draft of writing. Ms. Hunter's final essays are due Jan. 31st. Mrs. Liphard's first draft is due Feb. 7th. Resource writing is beginning our unit on narrative writing. Our end goal is to create graphic novels that will be displayed in the library		Electromagnetic Spectrum work begins: Light Intensity vs. Distance Lab, and Electromagnetic Spectrum Lab.	Thank you to everyone who came out to our theater production last Thursday! We are so proud of our students' efforts! Be on the lookout for student reflections in their digital portfolios.	
	1/30 (Th)	1/31 (Fri)	2/3 (Mon)	2/4 Tue	2/5 (Wed)
Major Assignment, Assessments, and Events	Study Lab Girls Basketball at Skeels - Gladwin 5:00 PM	Boys Basketball Athletics Banquet 5:30 - 7:00 PM		Study Lab	

Middle School Animal Care Club

Field trip: February 12, 2020 to
The Humane Society

When: 11:30-12:55

\$3.00 is needed for each student
to ride the bus there and back.

If you haven't turned in your \$3 to
Miss Hart, please do so this week.
Thank you!



RAMS Athletics:



ATHLETICS

UPCOMING GIRLS BASKETBALL



January 30
Girls "A" Team at Skeels Christian (Gladwin)
5:00 PM Start Time

Address:
Skeels Christian
3956 M-18



ATHLETICS

BOYS BASKETBALL

ATHLETICS BANQUET

FRIDAY, JANUARY 31, 2020
5:30 - 7:00 PM

School Cafeteria
Boys basketball athletes and their
families are invited to attend. Dinner will
be provided and awards given.





ATHLETICS

Girls Basketball Pictures February 11, 2020



**Student Athletes please change into your uniforms
immediately following dismissal**

Order Envelopes will be coming home soon!



ATHLETICS

Cheer Team & Boys Basketball

**Please return your uniform to Mr. McCausey or
drop it off in the office when you arrive. Thank
you.**

Spotlight on Specials!

Physical Education with Mr. McConnell!

Each week, all classes (k-8) have a Physical Education class with Mr. McConnell. They work on developing athletic skills, get exposure to different sports, and learn about working well with others.



**Voyagers
are currently working on how to correctly field a ball.**

