Lunch Menu

Monday - Salisbury Steak w/Roll & Rice or Spicy Chicken Sandwich
   PK - Salisbury Steak w/Roll & Rice

Tuesday - Beef Tenders w/Roll or General Tso’s Chicken w/Rice
   PK - Beef Tenders w/Roll

Wednesday - Seasoned Beef Nachos or Ham & Turkey & Cheese Wrap
   PK - Seasoned Beef Nachos

Thursday - Chicken & Cheese Tamales w/Refried Beans or Chicken Wrap w/Crackers
   PK - Whole Grain BBQ Glazed Beef Dipper Slider

Friday - Whole Wheat Chicken Spaghetti with Warm Breadstick
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News from Mrs. G!

This 6 weeks, our focus will be FAIRNESS!!

Ways to practice fairness at school and home

1.) Play by the rules!
2.) Take turns and share!
3.) Be open-minded and listen to others!
4.) Don’t take advantage of others!
5.) Don’t blame others carelessly!

Character Counts Pep Rally
February 15th @ 8:30 am

NOTES FROM THE OFFICE:
Parents, all phone messages will be delivered to teachers by 2:45 pm. Please have all student messages called in to the office by 2:45 pm.
**Instructional News**

**2nd Grade News**
We are spelling words with Open/Closed Syllables. We are learning about nouns & verbs. Please continue to read each night with your child for at least 15 minutes. In Social Studies, we are learning about Rural, Urban & Suburban communities.

**3rd Grade News**
In Reading we will be focusing on making “inferences” (a guess) and “summarizing.” Students are required to take at least one AR test each week. There will be a weekly grade taken, using their highest test grade. Reading Tutorials for those needing extra help, will be on Tuesday and Thursday after school. Notes have been sent home with those students who are required to attend. Please return the permission slips to school. In science, we have made a poster on soil, and will investigate real soil on Monday. Tuesday, we will be taking a quiz over how soil is made. In social studies, we are working on the basic structure of our government: the three branches of government and what their main jobs are, and the levels within each branch. Within each branch, we have the national/federal, state, and local levels. The local level includes the county and city levels. Next week, we will start learning what some of the services provided by each branch and level are.

**4th Grade News**
Your child were given their results (Benchmark Scores), please ask them how they did for Reading & Math. In Math we just finished Unit 06 and will start Unit 07 (Data) next week. Please send pencils with your child, especially for Math. In Social Studies we are learning about Stephen F. Austin.

**5th Grade News**
We are very excited in 5th grade Math. Our benchmark that we took last week showed lots of progress for many students. We have set up tutorial groups for Monday and Tuesday afternoon and Mr. Arvizu and I are here every morning at 7:35 if your child needs any extra help. This semester will fly by so please try to make sure your child is in class everyday! We are beginning Unit 7 this week. Dividing whole numbers by unit fractions and unit fractions by whole numbers. In Social Studies we are beginning the unit on Westward Movement.

**6th Grade News**
We are making a lot of progress in 6th Grade Math! I was very proud of how the students performed on last week’s Benchmark exams. We are hopeful to have a very successful year for all students! Math tutorials are held weekly on Monday and Tuesday afternoons. If your child has been assigned tutorials please make sure they attend. This is vital to their success. To make it more convenient for you, students who live in town now have the option to ride a bus home at 4:30. Let me know if you would like your student to ride this bus!