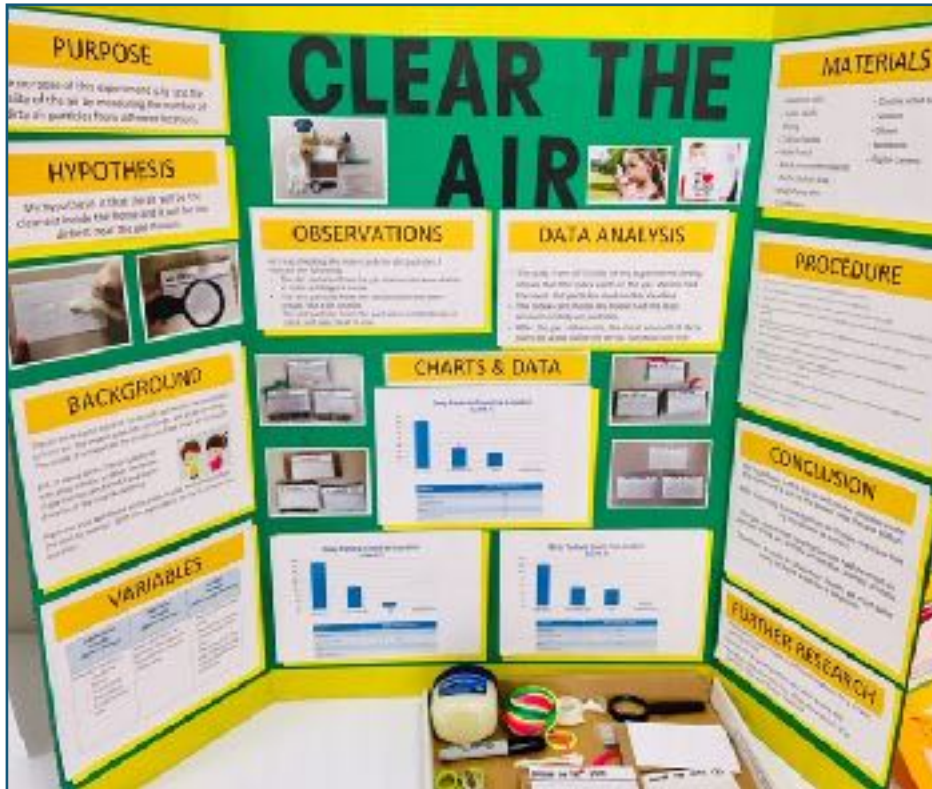




# Academy of Christian Education NEWSLETTER



## Science Fair

Elementary students were invited to do projects to be presented at the ACE Science Fair! Many students participated, did experiments, and created posters of their findings on a variety of topics.

Six ACE Science Fair Winners will represent the Academy and present their projects at the Fairfax County Science & Engineering Fair at George Mason University this May. It was a wonderful turnout of projects with a wide range of subject matter. Thank you to the many participants and we wish our ACE representatives well as they present their projects at GMU soon.

### Congratulations to the ACE Science Fair Winners:

Abhay Sharma, 1st Grade, Physical Science  
 Palki Bakshi, 1st Grade, Physical Science  
 Ayan Sudheer, 2nd Grade, Physical Science  
 Veena Yarlagadda, 2nd Grade, Life Science  
 Addison Rogers, 4th Grade, Life Science  
 Abhiram Kopparapu, 5th Grade, Physical Science

\*Robyn, Mendis, 2nd Grade - ACE Winner, unavailable to attend GMU event

## April Review

We have had a busy month at the Academy!

This April, students completed their Stanford Achievement Testing and finished out their week of testing by celebrating International Day! Each class took “passports” and visited six continents, learning about some different customs and cultures from around the world. Students had the opportunity to dress in traditional clothing from their cultures as we celebrated our diverse backgrounds. International Day was a great day of crafts, tastings, games, fun, and learning.



## Calendar of Upcoming Events

<b>May 10</b>	Interims go home as needed
<b>May 10</b>	Open House 10:00a.m. - 2:00 p.m. <i>(for non-registered families)</i>
<b>May 20-24</b>	ACE Fitness Challenge
<b>May 27</b>	Memorial Day - No School
<b>May 27-31</b>	Last Week of Clubs
<b>May 28-June 5</b>	ACE Art Fair <i>(EVERYONE WELCOME)</i>
<b>May 31</b>	Casual Day <i>(students may wear modest, casual clothing to school)</i>
<b>June 3-7</b>	Casual clothing for the rest of the school year
<b>June 4</b>	Used Uniform Sale <i>(Uniform donations gratefully accepted)</i>
<b>June 5</b>	Spring Programs <i>(Times vary per class)</i>
<b>June 5</b>	Senior Kindergarten Graduation
<b>June 7</b>	LAST DAY OF SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS
<b>June 7</b>	END OF 4th QUARTER
<b>June 14</b>	REPORT CARDS MAILED HOME
<b>June 17</b>	<b>BEST SUMMER CAMP EVER BEGINS!!!</b>



### Nimble Fingers Party

Senior Kindergarten and Elementary students meeting the requirements will receive an invitation to attend the annual NIMBLE FINGERS party! Every year, this party has been a celebration of how hard the students have worked on learning how to type. Senior Kindergarten and Elementary students have been working this activity for most of the school year using the program Typing Club. As an incentive and celebration of their hard work, students have to meet certain qualifications in order to receive an invitation to the Nimble Fingers Party.

### Fitness Challenge

The Physical Fitness Challenge for elementary students will run between Monday, May 20th, and Friday, May 24th. The Fitness Challenge will consist of running, push-ups, sit-ups, and sit-and-reach.

Each elementary student will bring home his/her individual requirements. The students have been busy preparing for the various challenges. Those who can meet the standard will receive an award. We will need many volunteers to make this event a success for the students. Please contact Mrs. Stergar at [spanish@myschoolace.com](mailto:spanish@myschoolace.com) to volunteer or complete the sign-up form and return it to the ACE Office. Good luck to all of our students who are participating!





## Art Fair

During the week of May 28th - 31st, the Academy will be hosting an ongoing, in-school Art Fair. Student created artwork will be on display throughout the building. Judging of all student art work will take place prior to the art fair by local artists and art teachers.

Awards will be given for Best in Class, one winner per grade. In addition, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and Honorable Mention ribbons will be awarded in each class.

The school will be open during the school day May 28th - 31st for parents, family, and friends to view the artwork. Please bring your family and friends to enjoy the displays.

## Remember to follow us on Social Media!

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# STEAM IN SPACE

## STEAM Summer Camp 2019

There are still a few openings available for campers to attend ACE's STEAM in Space Summer Camp, so register today!

Students are welcome to attend any individual week, combination of weeks, or for the entire Summer from June 17 - August 2. We will have lots of fun activities, Bible teachings, academic enrichment, and field trips!

For more information or to register, check out our website [www.myschoolace.com/summercamp](http://www.myschoolace.com/summercamp).



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The Academy of Christian Education presents  
our

# 2019 Spring Program:

## "My Planet, Your Planet"



The Academy Spring Program is a special event at ACE. Students work hard to prepare for their performance, and therefore, the Spring Program is a major component of the students' music grades.

**Boys are to wear white button-down shirts  
and navy blue uniform pants.**

**Girls are to wear Peter Pan style white button-down  
shirts and navy blue uniform pants or skirts.**

**Clothing must be pre-approved on Friday, May 17th.** Clothing should look nice and fit properly (no rips, stains, fading, etc.). *Students should bring (not wear) Spring Program Clothing to school in a labeled bag for approval on May 17th.* Clothing will be returned after being approved.

Please make note of the Spring Program date and times.  
We encourage all parents to attend their child's program!

### Wednesday, June 5th

Toddler & Preschool Classes	9:30 a.m.
Junior Kindergarten	10:15 a.m.
Senior Kindergarten	11:00 a.m.
1st & 2nd Grade	12:30 p.m.
3rd, 4th, 5th & 6th Grade	2:00 p.m.