



Collegewood Elementary School

A California Gold Ribbon School

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Dear Collegewood Families,

After the long month of January we are happy to head into February. This week, we completed the Great Kindness Challenge. Our kids had the chance to mix it up and make new friends while sitting in new areas for lunch and we sent kindness grams to our neighboring schools. We hope our students realized that although they are small, their impact on others can be great!

On February 8th our students will attend an assembly and receive detailed information about how they can protect themselves in the event of an Active Threat on our campus. Students will be able to identify safe areas on campus and be trained to RUN away from danger, HIDE from danger, and FIGHT to protect their body if they have to. While I hope our kids never have to use these skills, I want them to feel empowered and confident about what to do if the need arises. If you have questions about this topic, please feel free to reach out to me so that we can discuss it further.

Report Cards for second trimester will be sent home on March 1st. If you ever have questions or concerns about your child's progress, feel free to contact your child's teacher so that they can explain the strategies in place to support your child's learning.

Please be sure to note the dates of events and non-school days for the month of February.

Important Dates:

February 5th- Lunar New Year

February 6th- Kids Heart Challenge- get ready to jump rope!

February 7th- 5th Gr. Panorama picture day

February 8th- See's Candy orders arrive

February 11th- Genius Hour Performance- Beauty & the Beast Tell All



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- February 11th-** Variety Show Try Outs- Grades TK-2nd (after school)
February 12th- 3rd Grade Field Trip
February 13th- Variety Show Try Outs- Grades 3-5 (after school)
February 15th- End of Trimester/ Girls Who Code
February 18th- Presidents Day NO SCHOOL
February 20th- 5th Grade Parent Information Night @ 6:30 PM in MPR for information on end of year activities, transition to middle school and state testing
February 22nd- NO SCHOOL Pupil Free Day
February 26th- Community Club meeting @ 8:45 AM
March 1st- Report Cards Go Home/ Spirit Assembly(Wear your school shirt)
CRAZY HAIR DAY to celebrate Dr. Seuss' Birthday!

I look forward to a great month and wish you well.

Fondly,

Dr. Mary Wendland

Principal, Collegewood Elementary