

# March

## Grade 1 Newsletter – March in Review

This month has been a learning experience for us all. Read below to find out what we've been up to in March!

In English Language, we finished our Cornerstone unit, "Animals and Plants," and our monthly writing journals. We also learned all about story elements like characters, setting, and plot. This will help us next month as we begin writing our own fairy tales! We will learn about adjectives to make our writing more interesting, too!

In Mathematics, the month of March included two topics: measurement and temperature. We use non-standard units to measure objects. We also measured temperature in degrees Celsius and Fahrenheit! April's math unit will focus on plane (2D) and solid (3D) shapes.

In Social Studies, our focus for the month was building character. We talked about respect, kindness, helping each other! In April, we'll discuss special people, places, and things in our

lives.

In Science, we learned all about heat, light, and sound energy! We had so much fun experimenting. Next month features Earth Day, so we'll be talking about sustainability and recycling.

In Art, we improved our technique using lines and patterns with inspiration from artist Romero Britto! April art will celebrate the start of spring!

Happy March!

-Miss Gina

## Pictures, pictures, pictures!



## IMPORTANT DATES:

*Parent Meetings*

**April 6<sup>th</sup>**

*Easter Break*

**April 9-14<sup>th</sup>**

*International Day*

**April 23<sup>rd</sup>**