



Grade 1 Newsletter – April in Review

We have made it through our first full month of distance learning! Read about our experience below.

In <u>English Language</u>, we completed a very special writing unit on Fairy Tales! We also learned all about grammar with adjectives and contractions. Next month will feature our last Cornerstone unit as well as a book study on Nate the Great and the Monster Mess!

In <u>Mathematics</u>, April was all about shapes! We can now name many 2D and

3D shapes and their features like sides, vertices, and faces. In May we will practice some very new concepts: data and graphing!

In <u>Social Studies</u>, we spent the month discussing the special people, places, and things in our lives and why they are important. We'll continue in May with special events and timelines!

In <u>Science</u>, our class celebrated Earth Day by learning about the three R's: reuse, reduce, and recycle! We especially

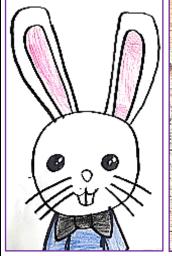
focused on reducing plastic waste in our oceans. May will take a different turn as we learn about structures!

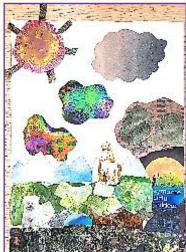
In <u>Art</u>, we completed some fun drawing projects for the Easter holiday! We also created "recycled art" out of old newspapers. Next month we will revisit lines and patterns while adding in textures and collage!

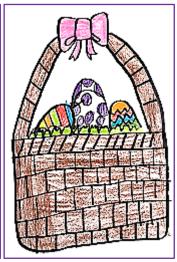
Happy April!

Miss Gina

Pictures, pictures, pictures!







IMPORTANT DATES:

Family Day

May 15th

Math Day

May 22nd

Speaking Contest Preliminaries

May 28-29th