



# MARCH NEWS

## *third grade*

### A note from the teachers

A gentle reminder to have students practice their weekly spelling words to prepare for our spelling test each week.

### Reminders

If your child is sick or will be absent, please let the classroom teacher know and send a message to the office.

### Events

- March 4th: Market Day
- March 6th: Imagination Stage Field Trip
- March 7th: Kid Museum Field Trip
- March 31st: No school for students

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# Math Focus

In March, we will be wrapping up Module 5. In the second half of the module, students will identify equivalent fractions using fraction strips, number bonds, and the number line as models. Students will also compare fractions with the same size numerator.

See below for parent tip sheets.

[English](#)   [Spanish](#)

# Reading and Writing Focus

Students will learn details about how Native Americans adapted to the environment of the region in which they settled and how that adaptation shaped their cultural identity. They will also study how Native Americans spread through the continents.

They will maintain a “unit dictionary” notebook, complete written responses, submit journal entries, and categorize information in graphic organizers. They will also collaborate and share their ideas with their peers.

# Science and Social Studies Focus

Through this unit of study, students investigate the phenomena of animal groups and animal adaptations. They will work towards an understanding to be able to answer the question, “What affects an organism’s survival?” Students will investigate how animal groups help its members survive and the role of predators and prey. Students will also build the understanding that variations in traits (adaptations) among individuals of the same species can provide advantages in survival.

# School Update

**Come visit Jackson Road's Family Market!**

**We offer fresh produce and dry goods to members of the Jackson Road community, free of charge. Please bring your own bags!**

**Dates: October 1st, November 12th, December 3rd, January 7th, February 4th, March 4th, April 1st, May 6th, and June 3rd**

**¡Ven a visitar el mercado familiar de Jackson Road!**

**Ofrecemos productos frescos y productos secos a los miembros de la comunidad de Jackson Road, de forma gratuita. ¡Por favor traiga sus propias maletas!**

**Fechas: 1 de octubre, 12 de noviembre, 3 de diciembre, 7 de enero, 4 de febrero, 4 de marzo, 1 de abril, 6 de mayo y 3 de junio**



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