E2 Classroom Activities: E2 students have begun their study of the ancient Greeks. The first area of research is the ancient Minoan culture. We have talked about the stories of the monster of Knossos, the Minotaur. We also took a look at the writing. Some students may even remember the mystery of Linear A, the ancient script of the Minoans that has yet to be deciphered. Most students have begun their grammar studies with the Albanesi card series. Each week students will work on approximately three cards containing various and progressive exercises in grammar. These exercises include: parts of speech, verb tense, noun categories, punctuation, abbreviations, plural forms, and much more. The exercises will be recorded in each students’ E2 work journal. If you would like to see the area in which your child is working, please ask him or her to bring home the E2 work journal. In science we began the study of simple machines. This week’s work was regarding the incline plane. We learned how it is much easier to lift something if a plank set at an angle is used to help raise a weight. We have also been collecting a plethora of supplies for the Bahamas. Our pile of food and personal items grew throughout the week. We are so grateful to all the families who have participated. This is such an important part of supporting not only the Bahamas, but our children in altruistic endeavors.
Our big class trip this year is to Sea Camp in the Florida Keys. The dates are May 6, 7, and 8.

*NON-REFUNDABLE DEPOSIT OF $100.00 DUE SEPTEMBER 23rd
The remaining balance of $635.00 is due November 15th

Calendar 2019

September 18- Picture Day

September 23- Sea Camp deposit of $100.00 is due

September 27- No School—Teacher retreat

October 14th- No School- Conference Day

October 31- Parent Coffee- 8:30am-9:00am

October 31- Halloween Parade- 9:00am

Thank you to those families who have already donated much needed items for the people in The Bahamas. Also, Thank you to Hilda Parajon-Coffey for helping us with classroom materials. Thank you Ian and Nicole Muckenthaler for making delicious guacamole for us to share!

**Mystery Math**

I am a three digit number. My second digit is 4 times bigger than the third digit. My first digit is 3 less than my second digit. Who am I?