



6th
Grade

November 9, 2018

Lessons This Week

This week our geometry lesson was about classifying triangles. The students learned about naming the triangles by the length of their sides, which are scalene, isosceles, and equilateral. They also classified the triangles by angles including acute, right and obtuse. In science we had a demonstration on how a flame reacts when all of the oxygen is used. We also created carbon dioxide by combining baking soda and vinegar. The carbon dioxide gas is heavier than the air so we were able to “pour” the carbon dioxide gas over a lit candle to extinguish the flame. The students have begun doing individual research on Ancient Rome. Some of the topics include architecture, holidays, food, family life, and government.

OUTREACH 360 Trip to the Dominican Republic, May 4-11: PASSPORTS

At this time, we are checking the status of passports for all those planning to go on the big trip. Please let us know if your daughter or son has a current passport. We urge all attendees to have passports by the end of January.

Upcoming Events

November 14	Land Lab
November 16	Spelling Test 6A
November 16	Grandparents/Special Friends Day
November 19-23	Thanksgiving Break
November 30	Spelling Test 6B
November 30	FELT
November 30	L3 Dance
December 8	Holiday Music Program

Thanksgiving Traditions in the 6th Grade Classroom

Pies - Each year the 6th grade students bake apple cranberry pies. We could use some extra apple peelers next week.

Grandparents and Special Friends Day – On Nov. 16 we invite grandparents, special friends, and parents to join us for a potluck lunch at 11:45am. Students should help to prepare a dish to share. We encourage dishes that are special to each family’s culture or tradition. We look forward to seeing you!

