

**Days to remember:**

Tuesday, Mar 2 to Friday, Mar 5 - Second Trimester Finals

Friday, Mar 12 - Teacher in service; No School

Monday, Mar 15 - Report Cards

Thursday, Mar 25 - Science Fair

**Language Arts**

This month in Language Arts students will be reading three short stories: "The View from Saturday," "Harvesting Hope," and "The River." Students will be learning more about compound words as well as words from other cultures. Students will be learning about words with the suffix -ate, -ive, and -ship. Students will focus on understanding vocabulary words through context clues. Students will look for clues and key words in the stories to figure out what the vocabulary word means.

**Mathematics**

This course, students will be introduced to the algorithm for multiplying and dividing fractions. Furthermore, students will recognize that the multiplication of fractions share the number properties with the multiplication of whole numbers which will help students identify shortcuts to find products mentally and to better understand the division algorithm for fractions.

**Science**

For this course, students will investigate about why there are limitations of fossil fuels, and where does the energy come from. Students will also do a research of how can renewable energy be used and find alternate energy resources to fossil fuels. Students will have a better understanding and knowledge of how to produce energy through other scientific investigations.

**History**

This month in History students will be starting chapter 9 which is about the early Middle Ages. In this chapter students will learn about the social and economic systems in Europe during the Middle Ages. Students will study the geography of Europe. Students will learn about the fall of Rome, Feudalism, and Manor life.

**Islamic Studies**

The month will begin with finals on unit A and B. Once completed, we will continue with unit C and learn about the Holy Quran, its history, suwar and aayat and merits. We will also memorize various daily Duas and cover a few topics on Islamic manners.