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Dates to Remember

March 9- No school (contract day)
March 30- No school (contract day)
April 2-6-Spring Break

Reminders

- You can always check your child’s assignment calendars on the Renaissance website and see the pictures of our class.
  https://renaissanceteam.yolasite.com/

-iLearn@home packets 6 and 7 were passed out in January.
Please remember to keep those safe at home.
Classroom News

**Language Arts** - In our ongoing resilience cafe project, we have finished drafting and submitting our poems. We are editing our poems in poetry workshops throughout the week. Our next step is to complete the final draft and present it to our peers. When our poems are complete, we will get back into our Night essays and finish them.

**Geometry** - We are in the middle of our Trigonometry unit. We will be using trigonometry to analyze “Sully” Sullenberger’s flight that ended in the Hudson river. We are also working on our popcorn box project. We were created a net of our choice and designed our box for “Polly’s Popcorn.” We will showcase them in the media center.

**Math** - In class we should have completed the net for our poster board candy box. We are finishing up candy box projects and its due February 28, 2018. We are currently working on transversal lessons and DO NOW quizzes.
Science - We have completed our independent research projects. Everyone chose a biology topic to thoroughly research and present. We will begin our Genetics project this week. Using candy, we will construct a DNA strand.

Social Studies - Recently in social studies we have completed two issues of “Living Constitution” and we are on are third right now. During class we get a half a period to work in Edgenuity and the other half to work on our assignments. When we do the living constitution, it helps us better understand all of the Constitutional issues and how they work.

212 - Additionally, our aquaponic team is constantly monitoring the fish tank and water parameters. Garden beds and the greenhouse are maintained throughout the week. The recycling team is collecting recycling materials from all bins in each classroom. They also bag and recycle all items. The cooking team is going to be having a line of food set up and kids get to pick what they want on their oatmeal. The newsletter team is creating the newsletter monthly and we are also making improvements by editing rough drafts to make it the best it can be!
The top two pictures show Coby Lee who is working on his candy box net. As for the rest of the pictures, they are of the aquaponics and greenhouse crew. They are cleaning the fish tanks. This helps the fish and also helps the plants grow. The greenhouse crew completes the planting, harvesting and composting of our vegetation.

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Have a happy day

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