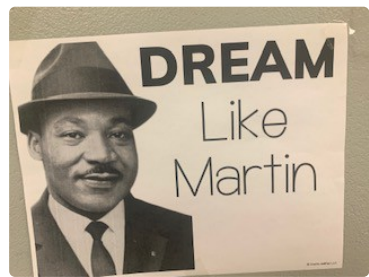


MPE Weekly Update

February 5, 2021

February is Black History Month!



Martin Luther King Jr.



Mae Carol Jemison



Vice President Kamala Harris

Help Spread the Love!

Join us in making Valentine's Day cards for residents of nursing homes in our community. Spread some sunshine this Valentine's Day and brighten someone's day. See the attached flyer for details. Please send cards in to school (or drop off to the main office) no later than Monday, February 8th.



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Valentine's Day Cards Flyer

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K Buddies Photos



Health Lessons with Nurse Cullen

Mrs. Cullen, our school nurse, will be offering health lessons for our students next week in the afternoon.

Tuesday, February 9 - Dental Health for grades K & 1 - 1:30 p.m.

Wednesday, February 10 - Nutrition for grades 2 & 3 - 1:30 p.m.

Thursday, February 11 - Heart Health for grades 4 & 5 - 1:30 p.m.

Please use the link below to join the meeting at the specified time.

<https://livingston-org.zoom.us/j/89414945858?pwd=Rnd6WVhkS0hHby9pd3huZS9kVDNrUT09>



February 4, 2021:
Yoga with Friends!!!



Mindful moment!!



Thank you so much for teaching us yoga!!

Optional Afternoon Activities - February 8-11

Monday, February 8th

- Poetry with Mrs. Piccoli - K-5 - 2:00 - 2:30 p.m. <https://livingston-org.zoom.us/j/4836415417>

Tuesday, February 9th

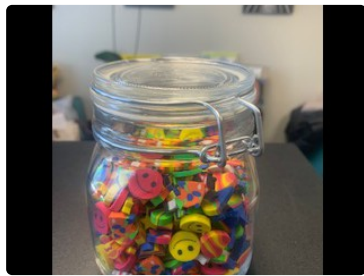
- Dental Health Lesson with Mrs. Cullen - grades K & 1 at 1:30 p.m. <https://livingston-org.zoom.us/j/89414945858?pwd=Rnd6WVhkS0hHby9pd3huZS9kVDNrUT09>
- Community Meeting - all school - 2:10 p.m.

Wednesday, February 10th

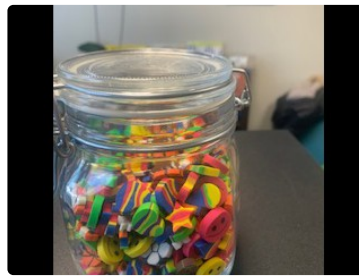
- Nutrition Lesson with Mrs. Cullen - grades 2 & 3 at 1:30 p.m. <https://livingston-org.zoom.us/j/89414945858?pwd=Rnd6WVhkS0hHby9pd3huZS9kVDNrUT09>
- Music with Mr. Battista - K-2 at 2:10 pm; grades 3-5 at 2:30 pm <https://livingston-org.zoom.us/j/6927868149>

Thursday, February 11th

- Heart Health Lesson with Mrs. Cullen - grades 4 & 5 at 1:30 p.m. <https://livingston-org.zoom.us/j/89414945858?pwd=Rnd6WVhkS0hHby9pd3huZS9kVDNrUT09>
- Sing-Along with Mr. Seltzer - K-2 at 2:10 p.m. and grades 3-5, at 2:30 p.m. <https://livingston-org.zoom.us/j/2412544453>

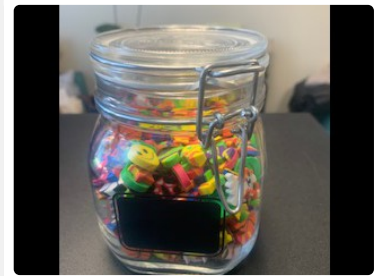


How many erasers are in the jar? These are three pictures of the same jar!



Take a guess with the form below

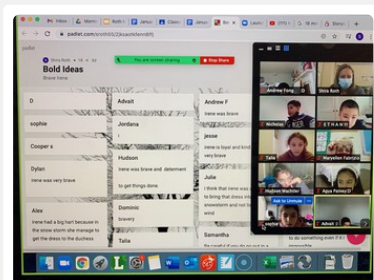
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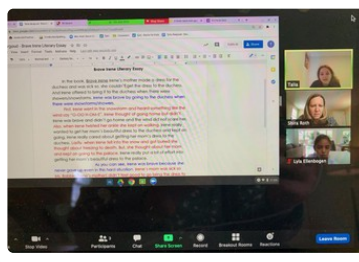
The student with the closest estimate will win the jar for his or her class!!

Next Community Meeting is on February 9th at 2:10

We have our next Community Meeting on Tuesday, February 9 at 2:10 p.m. We will send the links on Monday and Tuesday. Be sure your child knows who their community meeting teacher is prior to Tuesday! Please note that this is a required program for all students and attendance is expected. Thank you and we look forward to seeing everyone!



Mrs. Roth's third grade class is using padlet to share their thoughts!



We know students learn by doing!!



Teaching hybrid is not easy but Mrs. Roth is a master at her craft!

"About Us: The Great Migration"

Driven from our homes
We were scared
We were moved
With harsh segregation laws
We had no choice,
Enslaved
We were so tired,
Confronting racial prejudice
No way.
We were too scared.
We moved to the North
Where we were welcomed
Not judged by the color of our skin, our accent, our clothes
Back in the South
Where people would hurt us.
And walk away like nothing happened
That was called lynching
Maybe you knew of it
Maybe you didn't
Did you try stopping it?
I bet you did
It's okay if you didn't
We all have our stories
This is mine, how about you write down yours?

Zumba is coming to MPE on February 23, 2021

Zumba is a combination of different dance and movement styles from The Caribbean, South America, and Asia created by Alberto 'Beto' Perez. Our Zumba instructor, Fiorella Arena, was actually an Elementary Spanish Teacher at Collins and Hillside many years ago. Since moving to Florida, Fiorella dedicates herself to running virtual and in-person fitness classes. Special thanks to the MPE PTA for funding this event and to Señora Haskell for organizing!!

Challenge of the week: Try bending your pinky without moving your ring finger!

Upcoming Events

- February 9 - Community Meeting 2:10 p.m.
- February 10 - Kindergarten MP1 report cards on parent portal after 3:00 p.m.
- February 11 - Pajama Day!
- February 12 - Schools closed - Lunar New Year
- February 15-19 - Schools closed - Mid Winter Break
- February 22 - March 5 - Scholastic Online Book Fair starts - Evening Mystery Reader
- February 22 - LBOE voting meeting - 7:00 p.m. - Zoom
- February 23 - Zumba Optional Activity - 2:10 - 2:40 p.m.

- February 24 - Weather Man Assembly - Zoom - K-2 9:30 a.m. Grades 3-5 10:30 a.m.
- February 25 - Black History Presentation

