

OCTOBER

"The greatest gift you can give your children is your time, your love, and your involvement in their education".



Reading At Home

Reading with your child every day for just 15–20 minutes can make a big difference! It helps build vocabulary, improves comprehension, and strengthens focus and imagination. Even reading aloud together supports fluency and confidence. Whether it's a bedtime story, a favorite book, or your child reading to you, these moments matter. Thank you for making reading a special part of your child's day!



Math At Home

We have been practicing skip counting using coins. Help your student practice at home with some fun coin activities:

- Play Store : Set up a pretend store at home. Price items (e.g., apple: 25¢, toy: 75¢). Let your child be the customer and use real or play money to "buy" items. Then switch roles.
- Make a Dollar : Challenge your child to make \$1.00 in as many different ways as possible using different coin combinations. Start with simple combinations, then increase complexity (e.g., "Use at least one of each coin").

Important Dates

October 2

Yom Kippur- Schools and Offices Closed

October 17

Professional Development Day- Schools Closed for Students

October 31

Grading & Reporting Day for Teachers Half Day-

Early Dismissal for Students 12:45 Dismissal

End of First Quarter (45 days)

Have you signed up for ParentVUE?

- ParentVUE is an online tool that you can use to view student assignment grades, progress reports, and report cards.
- If you need to create an account, please contact the front office, to receive your activation code.
- Please visit [HERE](#) for more information and to create your account.

RELA

Students will read various fantasy stories. Using the text students will visualize, identify point of view, and the story's central idea. Students will learn about writing about their opinion and using evidence to support their opinion.

Math

Students measure a variety of objects several times. They develop a sense of the standard units of inch, centimeter, foot, and meter. Students develop the ability to choose the right tools and units to measure objects.

Science

Landforms and bodies of water that cover Earth's surface. They learn that maps are models of these features and discover that there are relationships between land and water that can be shown in maps.

Social Studies

Students will continue exploring the study of geography by applying the five themes of geography to the state of Maryland. Throughout this unit, they will investigate Maryland's unique landmarks and landforms, deepening their understanding of how geography shapes our local environment.

