



- Please add Thursday, November 2nd to your calendar. We will be having a Washington DC Parent Information Meeting from 5:30-6:30 in the media center. Please plan on attending to learn more about payment, the itinerary, chaperones, and other important details about this exciting 3-day field trip (April 25th - April 27th).
- The 2017 Building a Stronger Pride Giving Campaign continues through October 30th. Visit lespta.com for details and for a link to online giving. We cannot support all of the programs and activities for our students or the outdoor playground and learning space updates without reaching our goal of \$30,000! Please consider donating to our school community!
- Out to Eat Night is coming up at Totopos Street Food Restaurant in Cary on Friday, November 3rd.
- Mark your calendars! Spirit Week is coming up November 13-17. On Thursday, 11/16 we will celebrate with the Bookworm PJ party (grades K-2) and Fitness night (grades 3-5) and the PTA General Meeting.

Important Dates

10/16-10/30 LES PTA Giving Campaign!

10/30 End of 1st Q

10/31 Teacher Workday (No school for students)

11/2 DC Parent Info Meeting 5:30-6:30

11/3 Q1 report cards go home

11/10 Veteran's Day Holiday (no school)

Classroom Updates

Math	Social Studies	Science	ELA
<p>In math this week we have focused on strategies for adding and subtracting decimals. Students took a post-assessment on rounding and adding/subtracting decimals on Friday. Our next unit of study will continue decimals with a focus on multiplying and dividing decimals.</p>	<p>So that students don't have a test in both math and social studies on the same day, our post-assessment of economics will take place on Monday, 10/30. Students are reminded to bring home their social studies notebook in order to study their notes and vocabulary.</p>	<p>Our ecosystems board games are almost complete! The groups of students have been working very hard to create a game that is educational, challenging, and also fun to play. As we wrap up our board games projects, the students can expect to have an ecosystems test next week.</p>	<p>Our book clubs have really stepped up their conversations in the last few classes. We have now begun to focus on the themes that we notice in our books but also how these themes can be present in other books that we have read. Our final revisions of our second personal narratives are coming to an end. The students have wrapped up their revisions, and are now preparing to share their writing with an audience on Monday. I can't wait to be able to listen to these stories!!</p>

