

## Heroes

We spent this week discussing heroes both real and fictional. We started the week by letting our imaginations fly and creating our own superheroes! What superpowers do they have? How did they become superheroes? We spent the rest of the week focusing on real life heroes. We watched a video on an Indian man who is working to fight poverty, and we finished off the theme by creating collages honoring other heroes in and around our community!



HAPPY

SPRING!

## Flowers and Gardening

We got ourselves fired up for Earth Day with Flowers and Gardening Week! Our projects focused on all things horticultural as we tested our green thumbs by seeding and caring for potted plants. By the end of the week, we could see the fruits of our labor as many had begun to sprout!

## Butterflies and Bugs

Creepy, crawly, cute? Maybe all of the above. Butterflies and Bugs week explored the world of the small and winged. We improved our paper-folding skills by making butterfly origami, and we finished the week by feasting on dirt pudding (no, it's not as gross as it sounds).

### Colors

We spanned the rainbow as we journeyed through colors week! Our projects were focused on our vibrant window decorations. We took colored tacky glue and designed our decorations on wax paper. As they dried, we were left with unique creations bursting with color!

### \*Journey Through Asia\*

Our year-long theme has continued this month with an expedition through India! We have sampled Indian cuisine, (as you are at this point well aware) seen a video chronicling an Indian man's fight to help end poverty and hunger, and studied fun and interesting facts regarding India's culture and history. Ask your 3<sup>rd</sup> grader which 2 world-famous board games were invented in India!

### Ongoing Donations

We are very thankful to the families that have donated items for our school. We will be accepting donations all year long. Here is a list of items we are looking for.

- Scrap paper
- pencils and erasers
- Any arts & crafts items
- Paper products

### End Of The Year Show

Mark your calendars! Our End of the Year Show will be the evening of May 20<sup>th</sup>! We are currently looking for small donations for costumes! Every penny helps!