

Spanish Newsletter
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¡Feliz día de San Valentín! **Happy Valentine's Day!**

In kindergarten, we have been learning about apples - **las manzanas** and the French artist Cezanne with Mrs. Murphy. We talk about how apples can be red, green, and yellow; apples grow on trees; they can be big, medium, or small. The students love the word **chiquitita** - which describes a really small apple. Also, apple is a fruit. We talk about these facts all **en español!** We have also been talking about our favorite colors in Spanish. We did a fun colorful hearts activity for Valentine's Day; the students grouped the candy sweethearts by color and then counted **en español**, how many there were of each color.

Kindergarten students completed their first homework assignment called "Shapes All Around Us." They did a collage of the shapes that we see in the world around us. They are so creative!

¡Muy Buenos Trabajos! Great job niños!

In first grade we have been talking and singing about the clothing we wear in the winter. I took pictures of the students' faces and they made drawings of winter clothing. They labeled the clothing and the color in Spanish. The students will be presenting their fashionable designs in a fashion show.

Each first grade class made a Valentine's card for a student in another first grade class. They will be sent through the school post office.

In second grade we have been learning the months of the year in Spanish and talking about important dates. Birthday months were graphed by each second grade class. Look for the big graph with all of the second grades' birthday months!