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# MARCH NEWS

## COUNSELING CORNER

State testing is just around the corner! 2nd and 3rd grade Reading ACAP will test March 21-24. This is the week before Spring Break so please make sure to help your child understand the importance of focusing on these tests. Please help them to eat a good breakfast and get plenty of sleep to improve their concentration and success. All other ACAP testing will begin the week after Spring Break.

**5 Tips For State Testing Success!**

- 1 Get plenty of rest!**  
Stick to bedtime routines and limit television viewing and video games during the week of testing.
- 2 Eat a good breakfast!**  
Whether it is at school or at home, it is important for students to eat something prior to testing. Plan your morning ahead of time to prevent issues that may put you behind schedule.
- 3 Be on time!**  
Attendance is always important but especially important during testing days. Please avoid scheduling any outside appointments on these days.
- 4 Follow directions!**  
It is important to listen to your teachers as they explain the directions for your test.
- 5 Relax and take a deep breath!**  
Do your best! We believe in you!

## GRADE LEVEL SPOTLIGHTS

### KINDERGARTEN

Kindergarten will take cap and gown pictures on March 10. Caps and gowns will be provided for the pictures. We are so proud of our kinders for doing their daily homework that started in January. Kinder Teachers Say, "Keep up the good work!" We are looking forward to our next field trip to Children's Theater on April 4. We will be watching Goldilocks and the Three Bears.

### 1ST GRADE

We will begin our Knowledge 8 Unit on Animals and their habitats. We are still practicing reading fluency daily. In math, we are learning about place value.

### 2ND GRADE

Second grade is looking forward to Dr. Seuss week. We will spend the rest of March reviewing for the ACAP test.

### 3RD GRADE

We are working really hard to prepare for ACAP Testing.

### 4TH GRADE

For the month of March, the three fourth grade classes will be competing for a pizza party. The class with the highest attendance for the month of March will receive a Pizza Party on March 24, the Friday before spring break.

We will be taking the ACAP assessment beginning April 3, so the entire month of March we will be working hard to prepare for the test. Attendance is imperative!! Parents, please help us by getting your child here on time everyday. We appreciate all your help. We want to show the world how smart Warrior kiddos are, and ACAP is our opportunity to shine!

## SPOTLIGHT OF THE MONTH ACAP TESTING

### TESTING DURING MARCH

During the month of March and April we will be completing ACAP testing at Warrior Elementary.

#### HELPFUL TESTING

#### PREPERATION STRATEGIES

- Get plenty of rest the night before your test! It is good to get 8-10 hours of sleep.
- Eat a good nutritious breakfast! Remember the lunchroom can provide your student with breakfast from 7:15 - 7:45.
- Avoid the morning rush! Prepare ahead of time for each day. For example, set your clothes out the night before or try to get to school a few minutes earlier than you usually do.