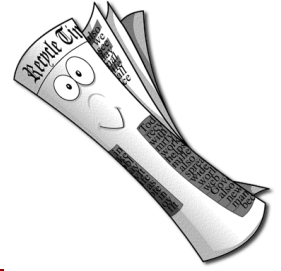




5th - 6th Grade Weekly Newsletter



International Spanish Language Academy

May 21st to May 28th

Words from Señora Terhaar:

Dear fifth grade parents,



I have been working on a plan for next year's fifth and sixth grade since the news from the Board in March. I have an idea of how the day can be divided, but it is dependent on a final hire that I am trying to tie up this week. I have a detailed explanation of our plan drafted, but am just waiting to include that personnel piece. I have waited to give more information because I don't want to give partial information with questions still unanswered. I anticipate detailed notification going out



before year's end, and hopefully by next week!

The split class complicates things for me in terms of planning in ways that you wouldn't imagine, which is why this takes longer than a few weeks. You should hear from me very soon!

Sincerely,

Karen Terhaar

Up Coming Events:

Tuesday May 25th

Late start (2 Hours late)



Tuesday May 25th

PTO Meeting

7:00 pm

Monday May 31st

No School

Tuesday June 1st

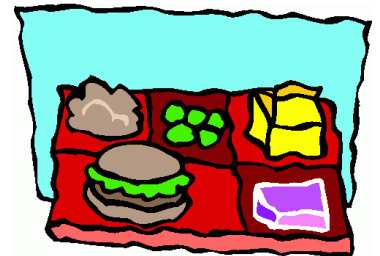
Field Day

Friday June 4th

6th Grade Graduation

Changes in Lunch:

Starting on May 24th students will go out to recess first, and then they will have lunch. This change will stay in place until the end of the year. This means that students will have recess from 12:00 to 12:20 and lunch from 12:25 to 12:45.



Solar Energy

This week students started designing a new building for our school. It has been very pleasant to see our students' creativity and analysis skills that they have shown throughout this week.

Field Trip

I am making arrangements to have a field trip to the Science Museum of Minnesota on Friday May 28th. I will send the permission slip this along with this newsletter. Please send it back by Monday 24th. We will be visiting the Dead Sea Scrolls, and the rest of the museum exhibits.

6th Grade Graduation Activities

6th grade graduation will be on June 4th. This is the program that we plan to follow.

9:00 to 10:00 students will clean out their desks and classroom.

10:00 to 11:00 Graduation Ceremony

11:00 to 12:00 Students will finish cleaning up the classroom and packing up their belongings.

12:00 to 3:00 Picnic in the park.

3:00 Students will go back to ISLA and get ready to leave.

3:30 Dismissal.

We need two parent volunteers who can help us plan the picnic. If you are interested, please contact me as soon as you can.

Spelling List

Words with the word parts *over-*, *under-*, and *sub-*.

1. Overwhelm
2. Underachieve
3. Subsequent
4. Underground
5. Underestimate
6. Substandard
7. Overconfident
8. Overpower
9. Submerge
10. Undercarriage
11. Subtitle
12. Overdraft

Spelling Homework

Monday:

Classify the words into three categories.

Tuesday:

Find two more words for each category

Wednesday:

Find the meanings of these words in a dictionary

Thursday:

Write a sentence with each word

Tuesday June 1st

Spelling test