



# May

# News in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade



**Don't Forget...Mark  
Your Calendars!**

7<sup>th</sup> - Mock EOG -Reading

8<sup>th</sup> - Mock EOG - Math

9<sup>th</sup> : Progress

Reports go home

\*May 23: Panther of  
the Month Ceremony

24<sup>th</sup> Last Day Media  
Center Open

\*May 26: No School

\*May 29&30: EOG

Testing

\*June 11: Last Day

of School for

Students-report

cards go home.



**Happy Birthday!**

**MAY**

4<sup>th</sup> - Yasmine Jordan

4<sup>th</sup> Jimmy Bentiez

5<sup>th</sup> Umajasty Moore

10<sup>th</sup> Benjamin Hamby

13<sup>th</sup> Walker Snider

13<sup>th</sup> Skylar Gorman

14<sup>th</sup> Peyton Simpson

27<sup>th</sup> Geno Hamilton

**JUNE**

6<sup>th</sup> Justice Hagy

6<sup>th</sup> Jahmyzah Hill

13<sup>th</sup> Caramia Landis

16<sup>th</sup> Cristobal Meza Tovar

18<sup>th</sup> Giselle Pena-  
Sanchez

**JULY**

6<sup>th</sup> Anthony Carranza

Betancourt

7<sup>th</sup> Alison Barker

7<sup>th</sup> Natalia Hunter

13<sup>th</sup> Alexianna

Blackwelder

19<sup>th</sup> E'nya Alexander

21<sup>st</sup> Ma'Kya Foster

30<sup>th</sup> Carlee Freeman

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**What We've Been Up To!**

\*May 29&30 - EOG testing

**Reading:** We have been working hard in reading on the skills of inferring. We will be digging deeper into our fiction with fables, fairy tales, and even some poems. We are using our fiction text to infer the meaning of words and better understand events of the story. We will be looking at two stories to compare and contrast the differences and similarities about the characters, setting, plot, etc. Have your child explain our reading equation of "BK + TC = I". We will also be practicing for the EOG by reviewing good test taking strategies. Sample passages will be coming home for homework. Students will need to use their FAB 5 strategies to make tracks.

**Math:** We will be wrapping up our patterns unit. We have been looking at growing patterns and patterns in a multiplication or addition table. Ask your child about the children in planet Rhomar. ☺ We will also begin to work on math test taking strategies and review all of the 3<sup>rd</sup> grade math concepts. Any help or extra practice at home will be beneficial with your child especially on multi step word problems, comparing fractions, area, and perimeter. Sample math EOG questions will be coming home for homework as well.

### *A Note From the Teachers:*

Please be sure that your student is present and on time the days of the test.

The best thing that you can do for your child on those days is to make sure they get plenty of sleep and a good breakfast.

Starting to send them to bed early all this month can help to get them into this schedule and well rested.

### **FAMILY FUN FOR MAY!!**

With the EOG's so close- check out some of the sample/ released reading passages and math problems.

<http://www.ncpublicschools.org/accountability/re-sources/1b>

### **May EOG Words:**

Setting

Plot

Character Traits

Persuade

Inform

Entertain

Input

Output

Pattern

Panthers of the Month

## Perseverance

Alexianna Blackwelder

E'nya Alexander

Peyton Simpson

Jakiya Bennett

## Hope

Carlee Freeman

Giselle Pena Sanche

Jessica Santillan-Davila

Skylar Gorman