



Week of January 11, 2021

One Team, One Dream

Events

Bobcat News



11th- Boys and Girls Club Start
15th Icee Day \$2
18th MLK Holiday-No School



Last spring the state assessment was cancelled due to Covid. This spring all students in grades 3-5 will take the assessment. This semester, teachers will begin teaching testing strategies to make sure our students are prepared. This test will be given the first two weeks of May.

Our students have made great gains on the iReady Assessment, which helps us know how they will do in the spring. But we still have much work to do.

You can help by having conversations about this test with your children to help them understand how important it is for them to try hard and do their best.

Click on the link for more information about this assessment.
<https://ed.sc.gov/tests/middle/sc-ready/information-for-parents/>

Parents,
Congratulations to all of the students who received a prize for their accomplishments for the first semester during Good News.

We're now ready for a great round of learning for the second semester. The next few months are typically a time of great growth. The children have matured since August, and are ready to take on more responsibility for their learning.

Think back to your child's reading and math levels in August, and compare them to now- you can only imagine what they'll be able to do by the end of the year!

So, let's keep the positive growth going with the coordinated efforts between home and school. Make sure assignments are turned in on time and stay in touch with your child's teacher(s). Help your child study challenging content.

Virtual parents, please let students take weekly tests in a testing environment and help them focus by eliminating distractions at home.

Thank you for your continued support!

Mrs. Jordan



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