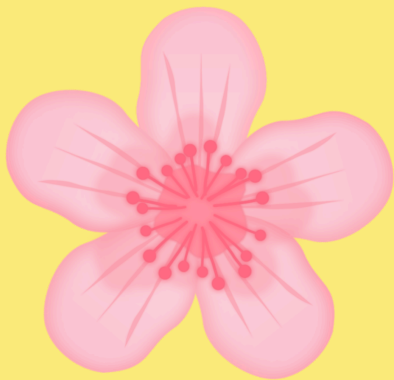


APRIL NEWSLETTER: THEATRE WITH MS. HAYES



THIS MONTH IN THEATRE...

This month, students will engage in a wide range of theater areas including reader's theater, improvisational acting, original story development, and script-writing. Students in Kindergarten will begin to expand their knowledge of theater vocabulary, while students in 1st grade will relate their HMH learning to theater through Shadow Puppetry. 2nd grade students will prepare for their puppet show performances. 4th grade will students take on various roles in structured improvisation scenes and 5th grade students will practice scene-writing by beginning to create Theater for Young Audiences Puppet Show scripts.



SPRING BREAK

I wish everyone a restful and wonderful spring break, and a Happy Easter or Passover! I look forward to finishing out the last 3 months of the school year with your children when we return.

THANK YOU!

Thank you to everyone who attended the 3rd and 4th grade play performances! Your support in your children's theater learning is truly appreciated.

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I look forward to seeing many of you at this month's Parent/Teacher Conferences! Be sure to stop by Room 408.

KINDERGARTEN

Last month we...
learned about Audience, Bows,
Costumes, and Dialogue.

Soon we will...
build on our drama vocabulary.

1ST GRADE

Last month we...
made connections between
foundations skills and theater
through Reader's Theater and
Shadow Puppetry.

Soon we will...
work on acting out fairytales in
small groups.

2ND GRADE

Last month we...
built our trifold set designs.

Soon we will...
prepare for our puppet show
performances.

3RD GRADE

Last month we...
performed The Toy Store on
stage for our families.

Soon we will...
write scripts for infomercials.

4TH GRADE

Last month we...
presented our play production.

Soon we will...
take on roles in structured
improv and practice "reacting
and responding."

5TH GRADE

Last month we...
competed in the Bunraku Puppet
obstacle course.

Soon we will...
begin work on our Theater for
Young Audience Puppet Show
scripts.