

Kristin's Class Newsletter

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Dear Families,

As predicted, we had an exciting and inspiring week, didn't we? For me, it ended that way too, with fifteen enjoyable conferences.

Thanks for coming in to chat about your kids and how we are getting on together. I'm looking forward to the next ten. If you haven't signed up yet, let me know how I can help.

Presentations

We had two early birds present their projects on Thursday. Thanks to Dominika (how butter is made) and Lien (how to do Tai Chi) for starting us off. We'll have a week about how things are made, where they come from and where they go. Fun!

The Salad Bar is Open

On Friday morning (from 7:45-8:15) we'll gather all of our projects into the hallway and classrooms. You are invited to come and see all of the student projects and see

your children display their work for the school to see.

World of Beauty

On February 2 we begin our third unit. *World of Beauty*. We will look at ways that people around the world express themselves through art. I'll tell more about that next week!

This Week

Our first priority will be enjoying our presentations, of course! Besides that, we'll continue with adding and subtracting in math, work on getting to know our new reading groups, and make our second quilt square. We're hoping to make paper, too- you'll notice that our spelling words are paper making words. Emma's project is about making paper, so we'll enjoy putting her experience into practice with the whole class.

Yikes! Sounds busy- just the way we like it.

Thanks for all of your support. Kristin

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