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Martin Luther King Birthday January 17, 2022

"I have a dream..."

Dr. King's dream was to have all people treated with respect and judged only by their character not the color of their skin. Our class wrote our own dreams that we think will make our world a better place to live.

On January 17th, 2022, we celebrated Martin Luther King's Day. Martin Luther King, Jr. did a lot of good things for African Americans and for all Americans as well. He led the fight for equality for everyone, especially African Americans. He believed that no one should be treated unfairly because of their skin color. A lot of people didn't like him because he fought and spoke out the discrimination and prejudices against African Americans. He gave a famous speech at Washington D.C. called "I Have a Dream". In his speech, he said people weren't supposed to be judged by their skin color but by their character.

In class, we learned about Dr. King's life, what he fought for, watched a video of his "I Have a Dream" speech, and wrote our own dreams about what we believe in and our hopes for a better world.

Room B1
Fifth Grade Students

Celebrating
Diversity

I have a dream that people can live in harmony with each other and there can be a cure for every sickness there is. I have a dream there are no more wars or conflicts. I have a dream that people all around the world can work together to clean and help the earth.

Jaylene

I have a dream that when I grow up, I want to be a basketball player and win championships. If I can't become a basketball player, I will be a doctor and heal people. This is my dream.

John

I have a dream that one day there will be no more trash in the ocean. I also hope one day, people stop having wars/fights with each other. I hope people will stop selling drugs to other people.

Kyle

I have a dream that people won't be living on the streets and let homeless people have homes until they can get back on their feet.

Preston

I have a dream that people should stop smoking. It's not good for your lungs and make your teeth go bad. I have a dream that people be safe and stop spreading the virus and stay home if they are positive.

Raina

My dream is for everyone to live in peace and be nice to other people. We need to stop the kidnapping, and don't waste food because there are hungry people in the world. Her are my dreams: Stop racism. Be safe. Be respectful. Stop selling drugs to people. Have a good life.

Janessa

I have a dream that all people can believe in God and worship him without having to go to jail. To have a right to believe in what they want to believe in is my dream.

Gretal

I have a dream that all racism will end, and that people will be treated fairly. I also dream that abuse in general would stop. I have a dream that people would stop abusing community property because it costs tons of money to repair or buy new property.

Nayeli

I have a dream that one day we could be like Martin Luther King Jr. and fight for our rights. I have a dream that all people will do what's right and not hurt other people.

Asusena

I have a dream that all parents will stop hitting and yelling at their kids. I have a dream that we will not have to be afraid to go outside and feel like we're being watched or get kidnapped. I have a dream that we all can be friends, boys and girls, and not fake friends.

Melinda

I have a dream that people would stop selling drugs to other people or possibly kids. I have a dream that people will not make fun of people because of their looks. I have a dream that people will stop killing others, and that racism will end.

Clarke

I have a dream where everyone is nice to each other, and we all get along. I have a dream that no one gets bullied for any reason, and that everyone is equal.

Alasia



My dream is for this world will be safer. I have a dream that there would be no more guns and violence. That is my dream!

Dasanny

I have a dream that racism would end, and everybody would be nice to each other. I have a dream that cancer will be cured. I have a dream that COVID-19 will end.

David

I have a dream that there will be no guns and no more violence. I have a dream that there will no more homeless people on the streets and the world will be a better place to live for everyone.

Gianna

I have a dream, and that dream is there would be no more wars and people stop fighting one another. I have a dream, and that dream is for world peace.

Alex

I have a dream we live in a world without world wars, and we will have PEACE!

Ryan

I have a dream that there will not be any more shootings or murders. I also have a dream that people are not bullied, and everyone will be treated equally.

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I have a dream that one day, people would stop polluting the oceans and stop littering trash outside. I also have a dream that everyone would be kind to each other and not bully, fight, steal, or kidnap other people.

Jonathan

I have a dream that wars will stop because if we have a World War 3, earth will be destroyed by our nuclear technology. I have another dream that terrorism will stop. Something else I want to stop is racism. Furthermore, I also want school shootings and people fighting each other to STOP!

Adriano

I have a dream that violence will stop, and that criminals would stop doing crime. There would be no more murders, kidnapping, or drugs being used. I have a dream that cancer and COVID-19 will be gone.

Auren

I have a dream that everybody is nice and kind to each other. ♡ I have a dream that people would stand up to bullies and anyone who judges other kids/students for their color or for any reason.

Lastly, I have a dream that everybody would spread peace and joy to each other! ♡ 😊

Amelia

I have a dream to stop global warming and the people of this world will live in peace.

Raul

MARTIN
LUTHER
KING JR.
Day



I have a dream that racism will stop, and that all students will feel safe at school. I have a dream that COVID-19 will stop, and we won't have to miss school or wear masks anymore.

Aristan

My dream is that I don't want any more wars so we can live peacefully. I don't want anyone to get bullied by other people.

Cassandra

I have a dream that there is no money because people are so blinded by greed and will do anything to get more. I have a dream that everyone takes what need for FREE! I have a dream that the world would have no more wars. Wars lead to World Wars and everyone would suffer. I have a dream that there are no weapons, no violence, and no fighting to keep our world in peace.

Thomas

I have a dream that people, especially women, will be able to leave their homes without being afraid. I have a dream that doctors will find a cure to major illnesses like cancer and infectious diseases. Finally, I have a dream that the earth will be safe and clean for its people.

Jerica

I have a dream that all my students know that they are capable of great things; that they are respected, listened to, unique, and that they are worth it.

I dream that my students would enjoy their 5th grade year; that they try their best to learn and know that their actions now really are going to affect their future.

I dream that my students would bring kindness to everyone, lend a hand, and be good examples for others.

Finally, **I dream** that all my students would have the courage they need to climb every mountain, to stand up, to speak up, and to bring positive changes to the world.

Mr. Pham



January Character Awards RESPONSIBILITY

Do what you are supposed to do; Persevere; keep on trying! Always do your best; Use self-control; Be self-disciplined; Think before you act-consider the consequences; Be accountable for your choices.

Citizenship

Responsibility



John



Alasia



Kyle



Jerica

Valentine Celebrations

This year Valentine's Day will be very special. Our Class is having a "Valentine Challenge" for students to create and decorate a container to hold Valentine cards and grams. There will be prizes for the best 3 containers. The challenge is due and judged on Feb. 11.

The school is also selling **Valentine Grams**. You can buy grams for parents, family, teachers, and for friends. Each gram costs 1\$ for a card and Fun-Dip candy. There's also the "Bear Gram" which costs 3\$ and comes with a card, Fun-Dip, and a cute teddy bear. The Grams will be delivered on February 11.



Technology Update

In February, we will celebrate Black History Month. Our class will use the internet to find information on a person that made an impact on Black History. With the researched information, we will create a 10-slide Google Presentation. However, instead of standing in front of class to do the presentations, we will video record ourselves presenting and then play the video for the all the students.

We will also begin to create our own website in February so we can upload our reports and pictures. In writing, Google Docs is being used to type our Opinion Writing. Computers, the internet, and different programs like Lexia/Reading Plus and i-Ready are being used to support our 5th Grade curriculum.

Winter Carnival December 17, 2021



These and more
Carnival pictures are
posted on our website:
www.ClassTimes.us



Thank You

- Our Class would like to thank all parents that donated to our class store during the winter carnival. Our carnival cannot be successful without the wonderful goodies and snacks in the Santa Store.

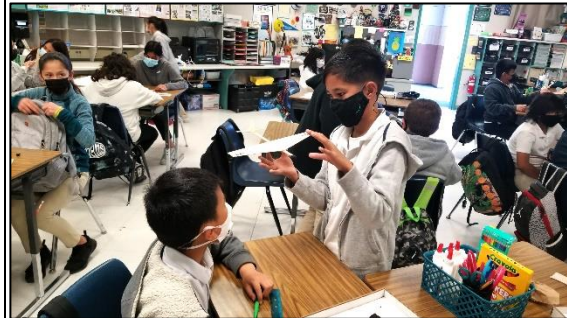
- Special thanks to Parents and Students who had given Mr. Pham Christmas and Birthday gifts. He was really happy and was nearly in tears.



S.T.E.M.

Our class has been incorporating **Technology, Engineering, Art, and Math** into our **Science** program. We focus on these areas together not only because the skills and knowledge in each discipline are essential for student success, but also because these fields are deeply intertwined in the real world and in how students learn most effectively.

In January, we did the Balsa Wood Glider Building project. In the coming months, we will explore more STEAM projects such as electronics, robotics, air-powered rockets, 3-D augmented reality, and bridge building. There are many more fun STEM activities to do. 😊



what's up

February 2	Lunar New Year Celebration
February 11	Valentine's Challenge
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February 14	Washington's BD - No School
February 18	Trimester 2 Ends
February 21	President's Day - No School
February 23	Alex's Birthday