# Our Classroom News

Week of: April 21-24

## EARTH DAY April 22

### HOW TO love THE EARTH



#### A Note From Mr. Yazzie

Hello, Scout Families! We are pleased to share that the Easter egg coloring and party were successful! A big shout-out to Tinecio Morgan and Harlan Pablito for their efforts in coordinating the Easter festivities. As we approach the final five weeks of school, I am happy to report that we have successfully covered all core English Language Arts, Math, and Science standards through our Beyond Textbooks program. During the remaining weeks, we will focus on reviewing and introducing some 6th-grade lessons, particularly in math. Beginning next week, students will participate in their NWEA benchmark assessments, which will help us gauge your child's growth throughout the school year. Thank you for your continued support! GO
\*SCOUTS GO!

#### A Peek At What We Are Learning:



Students will complete their Greek Mythology unit this week. After that, they will be introduced to their final trade book of the school year, titled "Heroes of the Water Monster" by Brian Young.



Students will be challenged to create their own myths to explain some natural phenomena. Students will then type their first and final drafts on Google Docs.



Students will continue to resolve real-world word problems while selecting the appropriate measurements for their analysis. Then, students will be introduced to ratios.



Students will explore the fascinating concepts of animal adaptations, examining how various species have evolved unique traits to survive and thrive in their environments.



Diné Studies According to Ms. Benally, students will be introduced to the preparation and cooking of traditional foods and delve deep into the cultural significance and history.

#### Spelling Words:

I. vacant 2. insistent 3. reversible 4. patriotism 5. finalist 6. honorable 7. contestant 8. observant 9. urgent 10. pessimist 11. comfortable 12. absorbent 13. optimism 14. journalism 15. novelist 16. terrible 17. frequent 18. laughable 19. radiant 20. collectable

