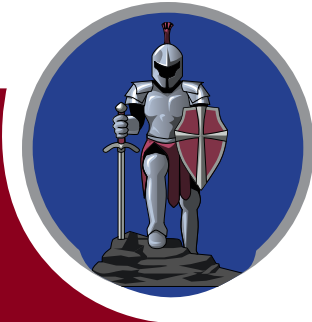


THE GOOD NEWS

VALLEY CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

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I love you, O Lord, my strength. The Lord is my rock, my fortress and my deliverer; my God is my rock, in whom I take refuge. He is my shield and the horn of my salvation, my stronghold.
—Psalms 18:1-2

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Chapel Worship Team

If you sing or play an instrument & are interested in joining the Chapel Worship Team please contact Mrs. Peacock.

Spirit Day—Sports Dress

This Wednesday, January 29th is a Spirit Day. Show your school spirit by wearing your favorite sports clothing. Please be mindful in selecting modest clothing and footwear which complies with school guidelines.

2020-2021 School Year Early Enrollment

Early enrollment will begin February 3rd, 2020 for the next school year. You will receive an email from the office this week with the requisite paperwork. The Emergency Contact and Consent form will come to you already completed to save you time!

VCA in the Spotlight Talent Show

Join us January 28th to see the talent exhibited by our students and staff. Please send in permission slips if you have not already done so.

This Friday is a Minimum Day

January 31st is a Minimum Day. School is out at noon.

Chain Reaction Youth Group

Pastor Tim hosts youth group each Wednesday at 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM. Youth group is open to all 6th-12th graders regardless of where they attend school. Hope to see you there!

Congratulations

Students of the Week

Pre-K	Hunter Harvey
Kinder	Grayson Tillman
First	Max Salas
Second	Peter Maniago
Third	Tristan Travers
Fourth	Shane Gregory
Fifth	Christian Gonzalez
Sixth	Jenesys Sikorski
Seventh	Valeria Morales
Eighth	Cyril DeGuzman

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
January 27 th 4th Grade Field Trip	January 28 th In the Spotlight Talent Show 7 PM	January 29 th Spirit Day—Sports Dress 	January 30 th	January 31 st Minimum Day
February 3 rd 2020/2021 Early Registration begins.	February 4 th	February 5 th	February 6 th	February 7 th Awards Chapel 9AM
February 10 th	February 11 th PTF Meeting 3:30	February 12 th	February 13 th	February 14 th Lincoln's Birthday Observed. No School Daycare Open
February 17 th President's Day No School Daycare Closed	February 18 th	February 19 th	February 20 th	February 21 st

Pre-K Our class is enjoying all of the fun activities & began learning their vowels and sounds! Ask your child to sing "The Fish are Gonna Bite" by Mary Rice Hopkins to you. Don't forget that Friday is a minimum day.



Kindergarten Have a blessed week!

First Grade Welcome to 3rd quarter! We will begin our Science class this week and continue with that through the end of the year. Science Fair packets will go home this week. Participation is optional in First Grade, but highly encouraged. I do give extra credit to students that participate. This Wednesday is Spirit Day so come in your Sports Dress. Friday is also a minimum day and school is out at noon.

Second Grade Third quarter begins! Permission slips and payment are due by next Monday, Feb. 3, for our field trip. Tuesday, Jan. 28, is the annual talent show. Wednesday, Jan. 29, is Sports Day. Packets for the Science Fair Projects will be sent home this week. The science fair projects are optional in 2nd grade. Please sign and return the bottom portion of the report cards.

Third Grade Welcome to the third quarter! We start our science unit this week. Science Fair packets will be sent home this week. This project is optional however, I will offer extra credit points for those who participate. Please sign and return the permission slips for our upcoming field trip to Lifehouse Theatre.

Fourth Grade I hope you had a fabulous weekend and have enjoyed our San Juan Capistrano field trip today. We have a Language Quiz over subjects and verbs on Tuesday, and a History Test on Chapter 8 on Wednesday. Also, our 2nd payment for Sacramento is due on Wednesday. It's \$126 per student, and \$182 per parent, which is \$308 for both. Lastly, on Friday your 2nd Science project deadline is due. Please turn in your hypothesis, materials list, and procedures. Have a great week!

Fifth Grade Please make sure your child eats breakfast in the morning. Many are starving by 11:00 am and unable to concentrate on their work. Science project information went home last Friday. We will be ending history and starting on science Monday.

Sixth Grade Science project information went home with your student last week. Students will need to decide on project topic and inform Mr. Bryant by February 3rd.

Seventh Grade Do not forget, since we are coming up on report card season, you are free to come and speak with Mr. Sweiss for any reason, or questions you have for your young scholar.

Eighth Grade Final payments are due to ACTs by Jan 31, 2020 for our DC, NY trip. GREAT NEWS! because we have more attending than we originally planned, our price has decreased. Those that have paid in full will be receiving a refund of \$80.00 per person, and those who have not made final payments have an \$80.00 reduction to that payment. Please keep in mind that you will have baggage fees, tour guide tip, and other expenses. Hopefully this will help to offset those costs.

8th grade has a mid-term on Wednesday covering English chapters 1-9. Students should choose a book for the 3rd quarter book report at this time. This is a free choice book selection and students may use a book that they are using for Science or History Fair research to lighten their load this quarter.

B I B L E V E R S E S

Pre-K	2 Corinthians 9:7b
Kindergarten	Mark 1:11
First	Luke 2:52
Second	Nehemiah 4:6
Third	Psalms 34:7-8
Fourth	Hebrews 11:1
Fifth	1 Samuel 15:24-25
Sixth	Romans 12:1-8
Seventh	Hebrews 11:7
Eighth	John 6:37-40

THIS WEEK'S RIDDLE: A MAN LEAVES HOME AND TURNS LEFT THREE TIMES, ONLY TO RETURN HOME FACING TWO MEN WEARING MASKS. WHO ARE THOSE TWO MEN?

PREVIOUS RIDDLE: WHAT CAN YOU BREAK EVEN WHEN YOU DON'T PICK IT UP OR TOUCH IT?

ANSWER: A PROMISE.