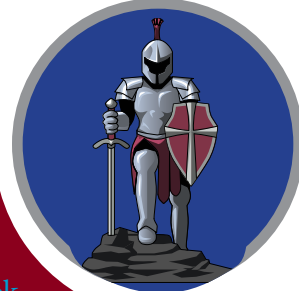


THE GOOD NEWS

VALLEY CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

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He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn over all creation. For by Him all things were created that are in heaven and that are on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or [e]principalities or powers. All things were created through Him and for Him.

—Colossians 1:15 & 16

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Thursday Snack Bar

Our fundraiser continues this week! Please come by and support us. We will be selling nachos, hot dogs, cup of noodles, candy and more! All proceeds go to fund future 5th - 8th grade field trips.

Science Fair

Our Science Fair will take place the week of March 20th. Science projects are required for students in 4th through 8th grades. Projects are optional for students in kindergarten through third grade. Participating students should be working on their projects now.

2023-2024 Enrollment

We are currently enrolling students for the next school year. Enrollment is open to the public as well as currently enrolled students. Some classes are nearly full. If you have not yet enrolled, please see Mr. Mayer to have any questions answered. If you have friends or family members interested in enrolling children at VCA, they are welcome to join us at the Open House on March 21 at 7 PM.

Spring Pictures

Studio 1 photography will be at VCA on Tuesday, March 28th to take Spring Pictures. Watch for information coming home this week. Only students who pre-order photos will have their pictures taken.

March Spirit Day

Wednesday, March 29th is Crazy Hair/Crazy Hat day. Show your school spirit by donning your craziest hat or hair style.

Chain Reaction Your Ministries

Students grade 6 - 12 are invited to join Pastor Tim for youth group Wednesdays from 6:30 - 8:30 PM. Children do not need to attend VCA to attend youthgroup. Check out their [Instagram](#) for the latest updates.

Congratulations

Students of the Week

PreK Alyssa Lee

Kinder Isaac Jenkins

First Grace Chavez

Second Gracie Diaz

Third Caden Seewoster

Fourth Alvin Hariri

Fifth Sofia Montolfo

Jr. High Alyssa Harris

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
3/13/2023	3/14/2023 3rd Grade Field Trip	3/15/2023	3/16/2023	3/17/2023
3/20/2023 Science Fair	3/21/2023 Science Fair Open House 7-8 PM	3/22/2023	3/23/2023	3/24/2023
3/27/2023	3/28/2023 Spring Picture Day	3/29/2023 Spirit Day Crazy Hair/Hat	3/30/2023	3/31/2023 Minimum Day School is out at noon
4/3/2023 Easter Break Daycare Open	4/4/2023 Easter Break Daycare Open	4/5/2023 Easter Break Daycare Open	4/6/2023 Easter Break Daycare Open	4/7/2023 Easter Break Daycare Open

FROM THE TEACHERS:

Pre-K -

Hello parents and grandparents! I hope you all are doing well! Looks like we're in for more rain! With all this rain it's going to be a beautiful spring! I can hardly wait! Don't forget our babies are performing a song in chapel Friday! Chapel starts at 9:00am! I hope to see you there!

Kindergarten -

Hello Kindergarten families! Your children did an excellent job leading flags in chapel on Friday. I'm super proud of them! Please remember that we have Open House coming up on Tuesday, March 21st at 7 PM.

First Grade -

Science Fair projects are due March 20th. Open House is coming up March 21st from 7-8pm. I still need approved drivers in order to have a field trip this spring. Please turn in the necessary paperwork to the office this week! We have begun practicing for our Spring Play. If your child has a part or a solo please work with them at home as well. We look forward to sharing our performance of "Jonah" with you soon. Blessings!

Second Grade -

Everyone did a wonderful job on their cereal box book reports! Progress Reports will go home this Friday. Next Tuesday, March 21, is our school's "Open House" from 7pm- 8pm. Your child is so excited to show you their classroom, so come anytime between 7pm and 8pm! Our school Play is on April 28, so mark your calendars for that too! We also want to say happy birthday to Gracie!

Third Grade -

We have a fun week ahead! On Tuesday we have our whale watching field trip. Please be here by 8:15am so we can leave right at 8:30am. Remember to wear your burgundy shirt and sunscreen. Also, you'll need a lunch and bottled water.

This is your final week to work on your optional Science project. It is due next Monday 3/20. "Open House" is the day after, and I would love to show next year's 3rd grade class your US maps. So, if you have still them please bring them to class this week. Thanks!

B I B L E V E R S E S

Pre-K	John 11:25a
Kindergarten	Psalms 111:4
First	Isaiah 63:7a
Second	Matthew 9:36
Third	Acts 4:31
Fourth	Psalms 143:10
Fifth	1 Peter 3:8
Jr. High	Matthew 21:9

Fourth Grade -

We had our first Gem Jar - Game Party this past Monday. It was fun to see what games each student was drawn to. We will be learning about spending time with God during our Bible Lessons this week. It is a great habit to establish when children are young. Our new chapter in math is all about measurement, time, and temperature. Language will focus mainly on pronouns and antecedents for pronouns, with some review of alphabetical order and dictionary work, before our test on Friday. Please encourage your child to work on completing their Science Fair Project. It is due next Monday, March 20th. Open House is on Tuesday, March 21st. I am looking forward to seeing all of you there.

Fifth Grade -

As we "Spring Forward", please remember your Science Fair Project is due on March 20th.

We will have a math test on chapter 11 and you're to continue reading your biography book this week.

Junior High-

Each child is required to complete the Science Fair Project, which is worth two test grades and must be completed 99% on their own. Science Fair is next week on the 20th and 21st; everything must be turned in on the 20th. 7th grade has a history test on Tuesday. 6th and 7th have a math test on Wednesday. 6th grade has a history test on Wednesday. 7th grade has a science test on Friday. 6th grade has a castle project that is due on Tuesday, April 11th, but if they finish the castle early, they may turn it in on the 21st for bonus points. We will be performing our ASL song on Friday, March 24. Regrettably, the Medieval Times field trip has been canceled due to lack of drivers. The week after Easter Break, April 10-14, is Standardized Testing. Please ensure your child has plenty of sleep and healthy foods for that week. Progress Reports go home Friday, March 17.

