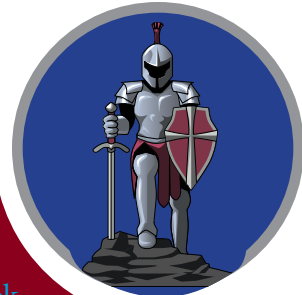


THE GOOD NEWS

VALLEY CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

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Create in me a clean heart, O God,
And renew a steadfast spirit within
me.

—*Psalm 51:10*

Chain Reaction Your Ministries

Students grade 6 - 12 are invited to join Chain Reaction 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 Gavyn Day
Kinder Brianna Garcia
First Grace Gomez
Second Mila Beecher
Third Noah Morris
Fourth Jax Brady
Fifth Peter Maniago
Jr. High Cecylia Villa Carbajal

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Yearbooks

It's time to order your 2022-2023 Yearbooks! Order forms were sent home on Monday, May 1st. Get your orders in early. Yearbooks will be distributed in June.

No More Thursday Snack Bar

Last Thursday, was the final Thursday snackbar of the year. Please be sure to make other arrangements for lunch. Thank you all for making our Snack Bar a success this year! Thank you to all who donated their time, donated supplies and food items, and those who helped serve EVERY Thursday. We appreciate you!

Summer Getaway

Our summer program, "Summer Getway" will begin June 20th. More than just childcare, children will experience worship & Bible time, academic lessons, and a selection of excursions such as painting, baking, science, acting and more. Sign-up sheets were sent home last week.

School Lunch Changes

Beginning May 22, all lunch orders need to be paid in cash the day of the order. The final day for school lunches is June 8th

2023-2024 Enrollment

Enrollment for next year is ongoing. Some classes are nearing capacity. If you intend to enroll, please make arrangements to do so before classes are full.

May Spirit Day

May 31st is Patriotic Dress day. We look forward to seeing you all in your Red, White, & Blue, or in any other creative way you choose to display your patriotism.

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
5/8/2023	5/9/2023	5/10/2023	5/11/2023 Kindergarten Mother's Day Tea, 10 AM	5/12/2023
5/15/2023	5/16/2023	5/17/2023	5/18/2023	5/19/2023
5/22/2023	5/23/2023	5/24/2023	5/25/2023	5/26/2023 Minimum Day
5/29/2023 Memorial Day No School Daycare Closed	5/30/2023	5/31/2023 Spirit Day Patriotic Dress	6/1/2023	6/2/2023

FROM THE TEACHERS:

Pre-K -

Hello parents and grandparents! This month our color is black and our shape is octagon. Important date to know-May 26th we will be leading the flags and performing a song! Chapel starts at 9:00a.m.! You may sit in the first 3 rows on the right hand side until after our performance! I hope you are able to attend! I will be reminding you as it gets closer!

Kindergarten -

Congratulations to Levi Quevedo for the most pledges and the most money raised during our Pre-K/Kinder Walkathon. And a huge shout out to all of the parents and students for all the money you raised!

Thursday is our Mother's Day Tea at 10am! We can't wait to celebrate our amazing moms!

First Grade -

First Grade is opening Chapel this Friday. All parents are always welcome to attend. As a reminder, there will be no more nacho fundraiser sales on Thursdays; please send your child with a lunch on Thursdays for the remainder of the school year. Information on Animal Projects went home last week. The project counts towards your child's Science grade and is due May 22. Have a blessed week!

Second Grade -

This week we begin learning about Daniel from the Bible. We will be finishing chapter 16 in math. We are starting chapter 9 in science, about animals. I am planning our last field trip and a permission slip will go home soon. Have a great week!

B I B L E V E R S E S

Pre-K	Jonah 2:2
Kindergarten	Psalms 23:1-3
First	Acts 1:8
Second	Psalms 138:3
Third	Hebrews 10:36
Fourth	1 Corinthians 2:9
Fifth	John 4:23
Jr. High	Galatians 5:22-26

Third Grade -

Thanks for all your dessert donations for our teacher appreciation luncheon last week. Everything was so yummy, and I felt so blessed!

This week we only have 1 extra test besides our Bible verse and Spelling. We have a Language quiz on Wednesday over adjectives and the types of sentences. Our final project of the year, our "Animal Notebooks" are due this Friday.

Fourth Grade -

The garden is looking great! We will spend some time there this week, weeding and watering, as well as checking on the progress of the plants. In math, we will still be working with fractions. (Test will be next Tuesday.) Language involves lots of adjectives, knowing the difference between helping, linking, and state of being verbs, and diagramming sentences to include adjectives and predicate adjectives. As the weather begins to warm up, please make sure your child has a water bottle, so they are able to stay well hydrated.

Fifth Grade -

This week, please review past quizzes and activity pages to help prepare for the tests we will have this week. Well done on your science biomes as each one was creative and unique. Please bring in an empty gift bag to class on or before Friday, as we are preparing a special Mother's Day gift for our mothers.

Jr. High -

Jr High has their Session 2 Christology test on Tuesday. They must study for this test. The book report has been assigned. Their fictional book should have been approved by 5/5. The finished report is due 6/9. 6th grade has an English and Science test on Tuesday. Jr. High is starting to prepare for our Medieval Faire. Be on the lookout as more information will be sent out soon. Yearbooks are now for sale for \$15. Order yours as soon as possible. Distribution will occur in June.

