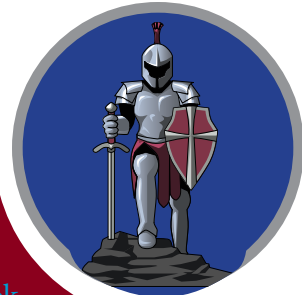


THE GOOD NEWS

VALLEY CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

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And you, fathers, do not provoke your children to wrath, but bring them up in the training and admonition of the Lord.

—*Ephesians 6:4*

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 Grace Rodriguez
 Kinder Mila Cruz
 First Nicholas Carr
 Second Hayden Rodriguez
 Third Excel Owolade
 Fourth Sofia DeAnda
 Fifth Raine Julien
 Jr. High Alejandro Lomeli

Informational Links

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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
5/15/2023	5/16/2023	5/17/2023	5/18/2023 Medieval Faire 9:30-11:30	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 5th - 8th Grade Field Trip	6/1/2023 5th - 8th Grade Field Trip	6/2/2023 5th - 8th Grade Field Trip
6/5/2023	6/6/2023	6/7/2023	6/8/2023	6/9/2023

FROM THE TEACHERS:

Pre-K - Hello parents and grandparents! I hope you all are doing well! Thank you all for the thoughtful gifts! You have no idea how much they meant to me! Thank you so much! Another reminder that we will be leading the flags and performing a song in Chapel on May 26th at 9:00!

Kindergarten - Wow! Thank you so much for all of the thoughtful cards and gifts! Mrs. Tami and I feel so blessed and appreciated! Thank you!

We will be opening up for chapel Friday morning.

All parents are welcome to attend.

Please keep eyes open for the date & time of our upcoming activities: Donuts with Dad | End of the year party |

Graduation.

Have a blessed week!

First Grade - Thank you so much for all the wonderful gifts, treats, cards, and heartfelt expressions of appreciation last week. My heart is very full. It is truly my pleasure and privilege to teach your children. Beginning this week and continuing through the end of the year our weekly Math Facts test will be mixed facts 0-10. It will be timed at 4 minutes. Animal Projects are due Monday. I can't wait to learn about everyone's favorite animal! Have a great week.

Second Grade - All I can say is, WOW! I feel so blessed from all the nice gifts from everyone, thank you! Progress Reports will go home on Friday. Permission slips for our last field trip will go home on Monday. Starting next week you will have to pay cash only for school lunches. Have a wonderful week!

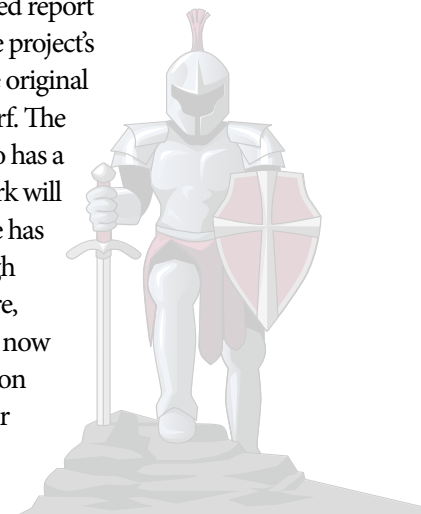
Third Grade - First of all I wanted to thank my parents for your wonderful gifts during "Teacher Appreciation Week". You were so very generous, and I was sincerely blessed!

If you didn't get your Animal notebook turned in on Friday, you can still do it this week for partial credit. We have 3 extra tests this week. Science and Language are on Wednesday, and Math is on Friday. Remember to keep reading your "Swiss Family Robinson" for homework each night, and start memorizing your last poem "Our Flag" to be recited on 6/2.

Fourth Grade - As the weather is warming up this week, please make sure your child brings a water bottle to school each day. We are finishing up our chapter on fractions with a test on Tuesday, and then, we will move on to Measurement using the Metric System. In Language, we are still working with adjectives, pronouns, predicate nominatives, and diagramming sentences to include all of those. We will be having a test on Thursday. The garden is coming along nicely.

Fifth Grade - Thank you all for your many gifts of love, flowers, and gift cards! I was truly blessed! This week, we will participate in the Medieval Fair on Thursday this week on campus. Don't worry, this is a free event so no money is needed. We will continue reading the book "Joni" and learning about her struggle with paralysis. Stay tuned for details on our end of the year party which will be coming home soon once those details are finalized.

Jr. High - Jr High has their Session 3 Pneumatology 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. 7th grade's final science project's due date is being moved up as the original date had a conflict with Camp Surf. The new date is May 30. 6th grade also has a final project due June 6. Paperwork will be sent home this week. 7th grade has an English test on Tuesday. Jr. High is preparing for our Medieval Faire, which is Thursday. Yearbooks are now for sale for \$15. Order yours as soon as possible. Distribution will occur in June.



B I B L E V E R S E S

Pre-K	Psalm 116:1
Kindergarten	Psalm 23:1-4
First	Colossians 1:10
Second	Psalm 34:4
Third	Hebrews 10:24
Fourth	1 Corinthians 15:52
Fifth	John 4:23
Jr. High	Romans 5:18-19