

The Natural Wonder

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Upcoming Dates

February 3rd No School, Teacher Work Day

February 8th Early Release

February 8th Family STEM Night, 6:30-8:00

February 14th Valentine's Day Party, 2:30-3:30

February 17th First Grade Field Trip - National Museum of the American Indian

Reminder!

We will be conducting many assessments over the next few weeks. Please ensure that your child gets a good night's sleep, eats a healthy breakfast, and comes to school on time each day.

Save the Date – Family STEM Night

Please join us for our annual Family STEM Night on Wednesday, February 8th from 6:30-8:00 p.m.! Volunteers are needed. Please e-mail Ms. Lin at stephanie.lin@apsva.us. We split up the night into two shifts (6:30-7:15 p.m. and 7:15-8:00 p.m.) so that you have some time to enjoy the STEM night with your child. Thanks so much!

Valentine's Day Cards



Valentine's Day will be celebrated in your child's classroom on Tuesday, February 14th. If your child wishes to bring in and pass out Valentines, he/she must bring a card for everyone in the class. A list of students from your child's homeroom class will be sent home in Friday Folders.

Ask Your Wonder:

- What he/she has learned about nonfiction text features?
- To tell and explain his/her favorite part of a story.
- To make connections to a story.
- To count collections of coins and discuss strategies for counting.
- To extend a growing or repeating pattern.
- To share what he/she has learned about Jamestown Settlement and the Powhatan.
- To discuss ways that he/she can show responsibility at home and at school.

From, Ms. Chai, Ms. Chgerubim, Ms. Goodman, Ms. Pollard, Ms. Rifkind, Ms. Spohn, Ms. Symonds, Ms. Wilson, Ms. Worley, Ms. Zukas