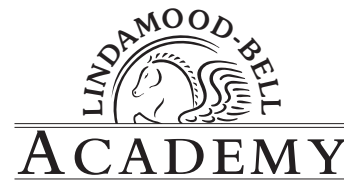


Academy Magic Newsletter



It's hard to believe we only have

about eight weeks of school left. It's definitely time for me to start planning our End of the Year Rally and Graduation!

March was an eventful month for our Academy students! Not only did we take some time off for Spring Break, but our students engaged in some great educational projects and learning activities.

Some of our students had a month-long focus on weather and climate change and as a project, learned to track the weather in their local areas and be weather reporters for a day. We were especially impressed by our student weather reporters Ravi and Ethan in Fairfax, VA and those in Pasadena, CA as well!

There was a March Madness Reading Challenge issued between our East Coast 2nd-grade Small Classroom and the East Coast 4th-grade Small Classroom. Their goal to read 1000 minutes in March was not only achieved, but surpassed as they read for a total of 1702 minutes! Competitive sisters Luci and Gabi logged a whopping 592 minutes each! Their group mates Emmett, Christian, and others also put up impressive numbers, and everyone showed their passion for reading.

Finally, the Charlotte students celebrated both Black History Month and Women's History Month in March with a "Lesser Known Heroes" party during one of their breaks. They got to celebrate folks who may not be widely taught about, but made some amazing contributions to our history and culture.

I'm so excited to see our students finish the year strong! Keep up the great work Academy students!

Emily Jayne
Director of Lindamood-Bell Academy

Upcoming Events

APRIL

- 1-2** Spring Break
- 5** NO SCHOOL - UK only / Easter Monday
- 7** Wacky Wednesday / Pajama Day
- 14** Wacky Wednesday / Backwards Day
- 21** Wacky Wednesday / Camouflage Day
- 28** Wacky Wednesday / Jersey Day
- 29** Pajama Book Day



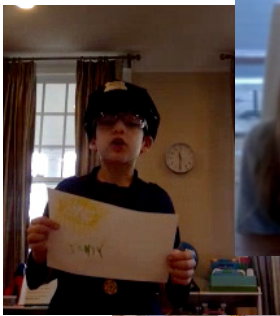
Reed D in Pasadena

Academy has allowed Reed to become a much more independent and engaged student. Being able to differentiate lessons in the moment has given him access to grade-level content at his own pace. For the first time, Reed was eager to talk about his school day and even work on homework assignments with his family. His creativity and sense of humor has been shining through project-based learning that changes each month.



This past holiday season, Reed was able to see his curriculum come to life with a community project designing Christmas cards for a local care home. It has been incredible to watch Reed progress and participate more each week, and I can't wait to see what he has to show us next!

Our Academy Community



Complimentary online Academy Retests for Academy students will be held during the month of April. Contact your local Learning Center for more information.

Enrollment for the 2021-2022 school year is here! Please reach out to your local Learning Center to receive special Early Enrollment or Alumni Rates. The deadline to receive your special rate is April 30th, 2021.

The Four Rs

of Transitioning Back to School after Spring Break

Spring break can be a time when families are constantly on the go, and we often don't have much down time to relax, or even sleep. When it's time to get the kids back to school, it can be exhausting and overwhelming. Here are four basic tips that can help make this transition more smooth:

1. Reset the sleep schedule. Getting back into the sleep routine can be a huge help in transitioning back to school. Getting eight to ten hours a night makes a huge difference for our students.
2. Resume the routine. Not only do we need a sleep plan, but we need to get back into the daily routine as well. Having set times to wake up, eat, do homework, and do activities takes the guesswork out of the day for students, allowing them to more easily focus on the tasks at hand.
3. Recreation. Make sure children have time to play and just be kids, not students. Play comes in all forms and making sure our kids of all ages are including a variety of recreation or play in their day is important.
4. Relax. Don't forget to make time to just chill. Not only do we as parents need this, but so do our students. Let's remember to give those hard-working brains a rest.