

hey all,

i just got a quick update from chris and i wanted to pass it on. you may hear from your students working in the garden. the 3rd and 2nd years have been studying angiosperms, monocots, and dicots. i know jack feels very proud about how beautiful the garden is, and how his hard work has contributed to it. don't forget we are collecting seeds, plants, and/or money for garden enhancement. if you missed the list with requested seeds just ask chris to send you another. i'm looking forward to clip some old flower heads, loaded with seeds with jack.

this week, our children will feel the 'Big Bang'. first years have also been studying land forms, continents, oceans, geometric solids and much more. the 3rd years has received their jr. great books and their spelling dictionaries! one student said, "now i feel like a 3rd year!" the children are also studying the pathway to war, check out the door into the classroom for more info. coming soon 'trout in the classroom'!!! more info to come on this great program.

now, how can you help and become more involved in the life of the classroom? chris and debra could use some help with cutting and laminating materials. we need someone who can go to the petstore for food for room pets, worms, crickets, grubs. this is a fun and gross job, it should appeal to someone. we also need used tennis balls. if you can help with any of these tasks, please let chris know.

quick reminder, tuesdays are specials day. the children go to phys. ed., music, art, library and more. make sure your student has appropriate shoes for gym. it's really hard to play kick ball with your platform sandals or even with your crocs flying off.

hope all is great with you and your student!

yours,

michelle