

The Carabao Chronicl

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Maria A. Ulloa Elementary School • 110 Catalina Lane, Dededo, GU 96929 • 671-632-5176/8090 Fully Accredited for Grades K - 5 by the Accrediting Commission for Schools Western Association of Schools and Colleges CAMPUS OPENS AT 7 AM ◆ HOMEROOM BEGINS AT 8:15 AM ◆ SCHOOL ENDS AT 2:43 PM ◆ OFFICE CLOSES AT 3:30 PM

Principal





Principal's Message

Dear Parents/Guardians,

It is the holiday season once again! I truly appreciate your patience and understanding through these challenging times with COVID and concerns affecting our school. We will continue our efforts to welcome all our students for In-Person instruction and to ensure health and safety measures for everyone.

I completely understand the frustration that accompanies this, and your support has been greatly appreciated. Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions or concerns, as we will work with you to accommodate your individual needs the best we can as circumstances arise.

Again, I appreciate all your support! Please take care and stay healthy during this holiday

season!

With much appreciation always, Mrs. San Agustin





Important Announcements

Refer to school calendar to see important updates and upcoming holidays. If you have any questions, please contact your child's respective teacher.

December 8 - Our Lady of Camarin Holiday (NO CLASSES)

December 20 – 31 Christmas Break

December 25 – Christmas Holiday

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STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES (SLO)

Model Citizens Academic Achievers Users of Technology Engaged Learners Solution Seekers

BE Respectful BE Responsible BE Safe



MISSION STATEMENT Maria A. Ulloa Elementary School will ensure that all students are academically, physically, and socially prepared to succeed in their next level of education and to progress towards becoming productive, ethical, and global-

minded members of society.

KINDERGARTEN

Hafa Adai Parents and Guardians,

In Kindergarten we learned about the Food Groups and where the food come from. We had a guest presentation about the topic by Miss Sanchez and Miss Perez from UOG. We are also learning the sounds c,u,w, h,g. We are counting from 1-50 and identifying 0-10. Pls. practice blending sounds and reading CVC words.

Kinder Team

K-12 Ms. J Silvestre, K-14 Ms. Imelda, K-15 Ms. A Silvestre, K-16 Ms Aguon, K-17 Mrs. Conner



Hello Parents/Guardians & Students!

The Second Grade Teachers would like to wish you all a SAFE and JOYOUS holiday season! As we continue to make the most out of everything and to have a fantastic school year, we ask that you please contact your child's teacher if you should have any questions or concerns.

Here is what we are learning this quarter:

Phonics: Vowel Team sounds, dipthong & digraph sounds.

Reading: Reading Strategies: Retelling (oral & written) Language: Nouns, Special

Nouns, Pronouns, Sentences

Math: 2-digit addition & 2-digit subtraction

Science: Habitats
Social Studies: Holidays

*Please continue to practice reading daily and to complete daily assignments.

Teacher Contact Information

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Visit the 2nd grade website here!



1st Grade Greetings

Hafa Adai Parents and Students!
We would like to welcome you back to school after a restful break. As we approach a full 5 day school week ahead, we want to encourage you to continue

to practice the skills listed below, especially over the upcoming winter break.

Here is a preview of what we are learning this quarter:

Reading: Digraphs and Decoding words **Language:** Common, Proper and Possessive Noun **Math:** Counting from 0 – 75

Add and subtract within 20.
Demonstrate fluency within 10.
Science: Animals – Animal Habitats
Social Studies: Government Officials

Friendly reminders:

- If your child feels sick, please keep them at home to recover.
- Continue to practice with your child the proper way to wear their masks, wash their hands, and keep their distance.







3rd Grade

Hafa Adai Parents and Guardians! Thank you for your continued support for your child's education as we end the year 2021.

For the month of December, we will be learning:

Reading - Asking and Answering Questions; Sequencing
ELA - Finish Possessive Nouns, Pronouns
Writing - Opinion Writing

Math - Parts of Multiplication and Division, Multiplication
Properties, Fact Family

Social Studies - Maps, Tables, Graphs, and Charts
Science - Ecosystems

Virtual Christmas videos due December 10 to Mr. Paciente at ccpaciente@gdoe.net



Håfa Adai Carabao Family!

Whoohoo!! We have reached our halfway mark for the School Year! This month we want to focus on "Generosity".

Generosity is willing to give and share what you have. You can be generous with what you have, your time and talent. Check out the chart below. A bucket filler is a person who does a generous act of kindness. Tell us how can you be a bucket filler?







How can YOU be a BUCKET FILLER?

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Resource: Tales from a Very Busy Teacher

Raky news

Happy Holidays!

Promoting Literacy #2: Family Reading Challenge (extended)- We are extending our Reading Challenge for the month of December. Students and their families may complete the 10 challenges using hard copy printed books or eBooks. Reading Challenge Forms will be sent home Nov 29. Students may turn in the forms when done to get a small reward.

Promoting Literacy #3: SHOUTOUT to CARABAO-READERS - Awesome reading, Carabaos! Our students read many books during the months of October 1 to November 23. A total of 679 books were checked out by students. Happy Reading!

Book borrowing is ongoing. Students have selected and checked out pre-selected from a cart. Books remain in the classroom and then returned on the next library class day.

Returned books are quarantined for 2 days and re-shelved on maintenance day every Friday.

EBooks are available for use at school and home. Log in to the library website at http://maueslibrary.weebly.com/ Click on the EBooks tab to choose a site to visit to read ebooks.

December lessons continue with library priority skills, digital citizenship and coding

Notable Children's Digital Site

Smithsonian Fun Stuff for Kids and Teens

Link https://www.si.edu/kids

Smithsonian's Fun Stuff for Kids and Teens is a curated collection of interactive activities, games, and exhibits. Discover and explore art, history, culture, nature and science with many of the Smithsonian's museums: meet the Zoo's animals, create with the Learning Lab, bring a treasured object "home" through the wonders of augmented reality, and play and learn through games from the Smithsonian Science Education Center.

Special Literary Days

12/6 - 12/12 - Hour of Code Week @ Code.org (https://code.org/)

12/10 - Dewey Decimal System Day (Melville Dewey 's Birthday

12/21 - Celebrate Short Fiction Day

Carabaos Gettin' in the Spirit!













Ho Ho Ho! Check it out!

