



The Carabao Chronicle

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Dear Carabao Families,

As our summer begins, I would like to express how grateful I am to be leading such an amazing community of students, parents & staff. It has been an amazing year! I am so proud of all of the achievements and accomplishments of our students here at Maria A. Ulloa Elementary School. These successes would not be possible without your support and dedication. Reflecting on the past school year, we have had positive memories and progress as we returned back to the “New Normalcy” as a result of the COVID. We continued successful traditions such as Mes Chamoru, a Virtual Christmas “Cool Carabao” assemblies, monthly PTO meetings, National Elementary Honor Society Induction.

Despite the challenges this school year due to the COVID, we are always focused on the improvement of our school in all aspects. We are now focused with Accelerated Learning to improve our students’ academic level by providing ASPIRE, the Early Bird Tutoring and Summer School Programs. We will continue to emphasize the social & emotional learning of all of our students by incorporating “Mindfulness Strategies” which helps students with attention, emotional regulation, and compassion. So enroll your child(ren) and complete the registration for the Summer Program by May 6. The Summer Program will be from May 13 – July 22, 2022 from 8:00 a.m.- 12:00 p.m. with Breakfast and Lunch being provided for students.

A special thanks to you, the parents and guardians who have contributed in one way or another. Thank you for your cooperation and partnership between home and school, which is so important. Special Thanks to our PTO members. We appreciate all that you do each and every day for our school and our children! Lastly, I want to relate my sincere gratitude to all our GDOE team, MAUES Teachers and Support Staff for their continuous hard work and commitment for our students each day for every school year. I appreciate their great support and assistance as well to our Dededo Mayor Melissa Savares and her team, Sodexo and Lucky staff for providing services for our school. Together, we will continue to progress and share experiences that will remain in our hearts for years to come. The passion and strength within our community makes our school truly a special place for our children and a place that I am not only extremely proud to lead, but also one that I can call my other HOME. Have a safe and enjoyable summer! See you next year!

Warm Wishes,
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.

May 17 - 5th Grade Drive Thru Promotion at 9:00 AM

Kindergarten Drive Thru Promotion 1:00 PM

May 18 – 20 – 1st Grade to 4th Grade In Class Certificate Giving

May 20 - Head Start Promotion at 9:00 AM

May 24 – 4th Quarter Ends LAST DAY OF CLASSES

MAY '22						
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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

3B's

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.

HAPPY TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK!

May 2 - May 6

Celebrate your teacher this week, here are some ideas:

MEMO MONDAY

create a note or a card for your teacher.

TREAT TUESDAY

treat your teacher with their favorite snack

WRITE IT

WEDNESDAY

pencils, Pens, and Markers are some ideas to give your teacher on this day

THOUGHTFUL THURSDAY

think of your teacher's favorite drink & gift it to them

FLORAL FRIDAY

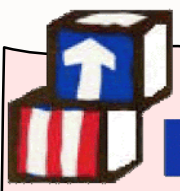
give your teacher a flower on this day



Hafa Adai! This month is sponsored by 2nd grade!

We hope you look have enjoyed all our special events and spirit weeks this school year. We look forward to more fun and exciting themes next year!

If you have any questions, please contact your child/ren's teacher!



Head Start



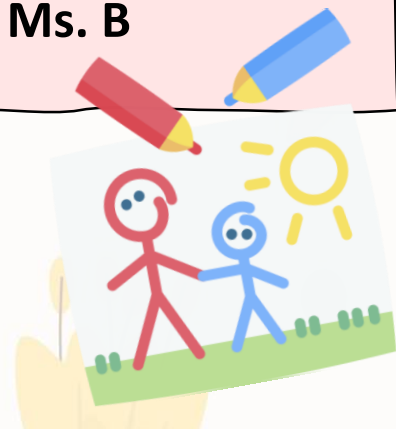
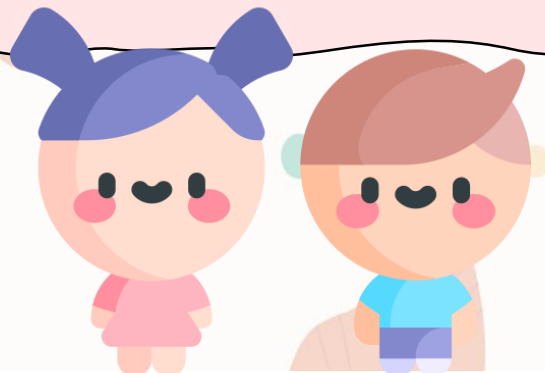
Hafa Adai Head Start parents/guardians,
Many of us have fond memories of kindergarten. What we might not remember is the anxiety and excitement we may have felt leading up to our entry into elementary school. The final weeks of school can be scary, fun, and exciting all at the same time, and not just for your children! It is understandable for you to experience a range of emotions about your child moving from Head Start to kindergarten.

When children go through big life changes, such as transition from Head Start to elementary school, they may have big feelings that they are not able to easily communicate. In our program, we welcome you to come and talk to use about how to support your child at home and ease any anxiety they may feel. We know that this is an important milestone in your child's life. We are here to support your family.

We have also started our next Creative Curriculum Study "Getting Ready for Kindergarten", and have begun transition activities, such as transition from eating in classroom to school cafeteria and in the coming weeks a tour of our school's kindergarten classrooms and meeting kindergarten teachers.

Thank you parents/guardians for your continued support in your child's Head Start journey!

-Mrs. Pangelinan, Ms. Kat, Mrs. Ungacta & Ms. B



KINDERGARTEN



Maria A. Ulloa Kindergarten

**Drive Thru Promotion on
Tuesday, May 17, 2022
from 1:00 PM – 2:00 PM**

Please adhere to the following:

- Each person in the vehicle must wear a face mask. Passengers riding in the pickup bed will not be allowed.
- Enter from Ysengsong Road and follow the traffic flow.
- Post your child's name and room number on the dash/windshield. You may decorate your vehicle to celebrate this event and wear Sunday's best.
- Do not exit your vehicle, Promotional Certificate will be handed through the passenger right window.
- Kindergarten Promotional banner will be hung behind the library for picture taking.

Hafa Adai Families !

We are so pleased to announced our end of the year promotional ceremony! Please see the graphic above and adhere to all guidelines when arriving to campus. We can't wait to see you there! Congratulations to all our wonderful kindergarten students this year!



Welcome to 1st Grade

Hafa Adai Parents and Students!

The end of the school year is fast approaching and want to congratulate all our first graders for working so hard and persevering this school year. We are so incredibly proud of you all.

Additionally, we would like to thank all our community partners, parents, and guardians for their continuous support this school year, we couldn't have done it with you!

In lieu of a grab and go drive through ceremony, 1st grade will instead be giving awards in class. This is scheduled for May 18 and thus students are still scheduled to attend school as normal. Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact your child's teacher or the school office at 671-632-5176.

Have a safe and fun Summer !

Love: 1st Grade

For the last time, for 4th quarter, here is a preview of what we are learning:

Reading: Main Idea and Supporting Details

Language: Types of Sentences

Math: Counting from 0 – 120

Add and subtract within 20.

Demonstrate fluency within 10.

Science: Seasons

Social Studies: Landforms

A HUGE SHOUT OUT TO OUR COOL CARABAOS FOR APRIL

Nasha Reyes – Room 6

Mila Faith Diaz – Room 10

Silas Nuguid – Room 11

Contact Us!

Room 6 Ms. Amanda Chen – agchen@gdoe.net

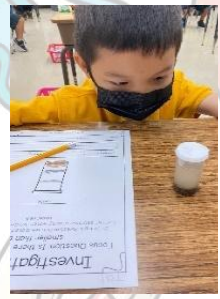
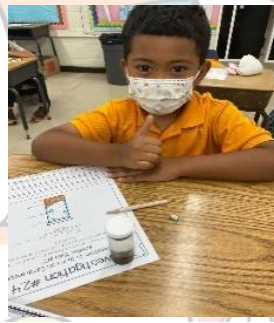
Room 10 Mrs. Debra Miller – dgmiller@gdoe.net

Room 11 Mrs. Florisa Torcelino – ftorcelino@gdoe.net





SECOND GRADE



Have a **WONDERFUL** and **SAFE** Summer!

From: **Second Grade**

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Mrs. Cruz (Room 3) tashpcruz@gdoe.net
Ms. Sumbang (Room 4) mpsumbang@gdoe.net
Ms. Lebrun (Room 7) eclebrun@gdoe.net

Hafa Adai Parents & Guardians, please take the time to go over any assignments and notes given to your child. Continue to practice reading at home with your child.

READING - Comprehension: After reading with your child, Identify the main idea and key details Ask & Answer reading comprehension questions in a complete sentence

ELA (English & Language Arts) - Grammar: Use irregular verbs in a sentence (oral & written)

MATH - Addition & Arrays: I can add to solve arrays & write a matching equation.

3rd Grade

Hafa Adai Parents and Guardians,
Thank you for your continued support and patience!
A Huge Shout Out to our Cool Carabaos for the month of April.

Rm.22 ---Ysabelle Tinoso

Rm. 23 --Shane Scharff

Rm.24 --Jaemalla Magat

Rm. 25 --Zoe Valenzuela

Rm. 27- - Liam Tolentino

For 4th quarter::,The following subject areas we will be learning in :

Reading ---Ask and Answer Questions, Main Idea

ELA ----- Commas in a Series , Conjunctions

Writing ----- Explanatory Writing

Math ----Money , Time

Social Studies - Create and Interpret Timeline

Science -----Human Body System



4TH GRADE

Hafa Adai 4th Grade Parents!

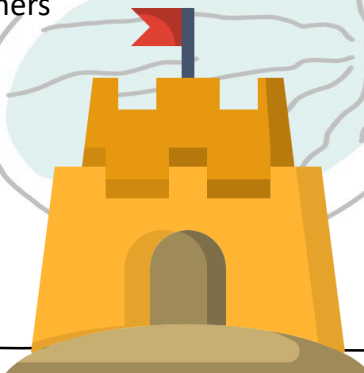
We've reached the end of our school year and we are so proud of what your kids have accomplished! We are also thankful for your partnership and support this school year. We have also finished our District Wide Assessment and AimsWeb tests. Thank you for ensuring that your children came to school to take part in those tests.

We would like to inform you that our End of the Year Awards will be given in class for the face-to-face students. That means we will not be holding a grade level ceremony or drive thru for parents to attend. Online students can pick up their awards from their teacher on campus. This will be scheduled for May 19, 2022. Students must still come to school as scheduled. Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact your child's teacher.

We have closed our unit on Climate Change and Natural Resources these past few weeks. We are proud to show some of the projects that were created to reflect what they've learned.

Have a great summer and see you next school year!

-4th Grade Teachers



BIG Shout Out #1 to our AMAZING students! They read and borrowed 349 books, returned 375 books, renewed 4 books online and used 76 books as resources in the library. Carabaos are READERS!

BIG Shout Out #2 to Ethan G (4th grade) for submitting the only bookmark design. His creative bookmark will be copied and available for next school year.

BIG Shout Out #3 to Tofen S (5th grade) and Erickson L (5th grade) for completing the Spring Library Reading Challenge.

Special Literary Days

**Get Caught
Reading Month**

**5/2 - 5/8
Children's Book
Week**

I can't wait for summer, when school days are done,
to spend the days playing outside in the sun.
I won't have to study. No homework, no tests.
Just afternoons spent on adventures and quests.
Instead of mathematics and writing reports,
I'll go to the park and play summertime sports.
Instead of assignments, report cards, and grades,
I'll get to play baseball and watch the parades.
I'll swing on the playground. I'll swim in the pool
instead of just practicing lessons in school.
The second the school year is finally done
I'll spend every minute with friends having fun.
I hardly can wait for the end of the year.
I'm counting the days until summer is here.
It's hard to be patient. It's hard to be cool.
It's hard to believe it's the first day of school.

— Kenn Nesbitt

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Topics: School Poems, Seasonal Poems, Sports

Poetic Techniques: Lyric & Dramatic Poems, Repetition



Biba April Cool Carabaos !



Congratulations to all our Cool Carabaos for the month of April! Continue to keep up the good work and modeling the 3B's



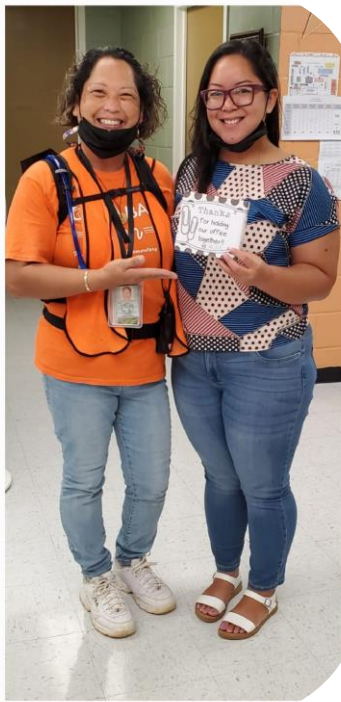
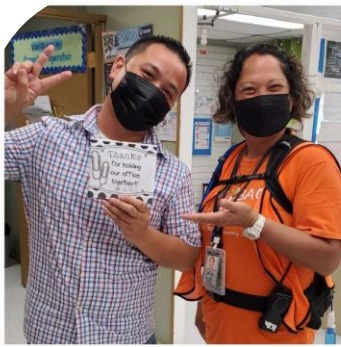
Love Grows Where the Carabaos Go!



Happy Earth Day



Biba Admin Squad & Mrs. Gentapanan!



A School Year's Worth of Memories



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