



Holy Angels

CATHOLIC SCHOOL
A NOTRE DAME ACE ACADEMY

Date: March 2, 2020

WHAT'S BEEN HAPPENING

Holy Angels received the Masters certification for the Indianapolis Thriving Schools Challenge for the second consecutive year. The Thriving Schools Challenge is open to all Marion County schools and encourages schools to create sustainability projects that make our community and schools healthier places to live, learn and grow. Fifth and sixth grade scholars had the opportunity to be recognized at an event with Mayor Joe Hogsett, on February 6th.



CORE VALUES & ROOT BELIEFS

Seek - All of us will learn

Persist - Attitude determines altitude

Excel - We are children of God, we are wonderfully made

Love - We are one family; home, school, community

Serve- I am third

MARCH FOCUS

Core Value: Excel

Root Belief: We are children of God; we are wonderfully made.

Nguzo Saba: Umoja

Habit: Together is better



KEY DATES

March 13, 2020-

End of 3rd quarter

March 16, 2020-

Report Cards- distributed during pick-up

March 17, 2020-

CTEL leaders and Notre Dame representatives visiting Holy Angels

March 30, 2020-

Spring Break begins

OUR PARTNERS

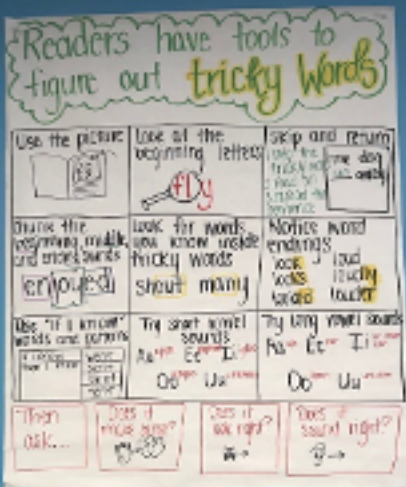
Cathedral High School

Come be a VIP—"Very IRISH Person"—for a day! We invite all 8th grade students to spend a day in the life of one of our students, meeting teachers, attending classes and experiencing what being IRISH is all about! Visiting students will be hosted by a freshman student who has similar co-curricular interests and/or academic abilities. Go to gocathedral.com/shadow for more information or contact Maribeth Cloud at mcloud@gocathedral.com.

LITERACY AT HOLY ANGELS



At Holy Angels we have the goal of improving content knowledge and pedagogy to build balanced literacy classrooms that engage scholars and excite them about reading and writing. We want every adult and scholar that comes through our doors to be life-long learners - ANCORA IMPARO. In February, 4th grade was able to fuse Literacy with Science through the help of Dr. Seuss. A book called *Bartholomew and the Oobleck* is about a king who wishes for a different kind of precipitation than what naturally falls from the sky. Through magic, his wish comes true in the form of a non-newtonian fluid called Oobleck. The king and his subjects come to find that the properties of Oobleck include being extremely sticky and difficult to clean because it is both a solid AND a liquid. HA scholars made this same discovery after making their own Oobleck with water and cornstarch. After this lab, they listed specific properties (or characteristics) of this odd type of matter. Scholars took the lab one step further and made slime. They listed its properties in a Venn Diagram next to the properties of Oobleck. Lastly, comparisons were made between these two types of matter to complete the diagram. Fun and lots of learning was had by all!



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