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2025-2026 Edition #20 01/12/2026



Events & Reminders

Car Line: Ms.Vasquez & Ms.Mayano

Growth, Community, Life

Monday: 01/12/26

- Lunch: Cheeseburger on Whole Grain
- Events: i-Ready Training K-5: Power Reports, Personalized Instruction. 1:15-2:50, ESE Progress Reports Due to Heather – 2:00
- Birthday: Ms. Yamilhet

Tuesday: 01/13/26

- Lunch: Pork Carnitas
- Events: Hope Fund Tutoring 3:30 pm – 4:30 pm, SBTMT Virtual Chair Mtg - 12:30 pm, i-Ready Reading testing GR1 & 2
- Birthday: Ms. Veronica

Wednesday: 01/14/26

- Lunch: Spaghetti w/ Meatballs & Harvest Corn
- Events: Hope Fund Tutoring 3:30 pm – 4:30 pm, LF Monitoring Forms due to Heather, IEP Mtg. – Annual & 33-year: 4th Gr – 1:45pm, Report Card distribution
- Birthday: Kaylee Ventura

Thursday: 01/15/26

- Lunch: Chicken Nuggets
- Event: IEP Mtg. – Annual - 7th Gr – 10:45, IEP Rev. Mtg., 1st Gr – 9:00, WIDA Kinder begins

Friday: 01/16/26

- Lunch: Big Daddy's Pizza
- Events: Hope Fund Chess 3:30pm – 4:30pm, SBTMT mtg. 10:30am, MTSS Contact Mtg at ISC in PM - Heather, WIDA Kinder continues
- Birthday: Natalia Barrios

Saturday: 01/17/26

- Birthday: Jaydy Gutierrez

Sunday: 01/18/26

Prior to Winter Break, our 5th/6th grade Junior Grange members had the wonderful opportunity to visit Sweetwater Organic Community Farm in Tampa. This hands-on experience gave scholars a deeper understanding of the importance and challenges of organic farming and how food, nature, and community are all connected.

Scholars tasted fresh star fruit, mustard greens, and the surprisingly sour but delicious Wood Sorrel. While walking the nature trail, they learned to identify native, non-native, and invasive plant species found in Florida. They also spotted quail and chickens and impressed the farm guides by sharing their knowledge of our own RCMA chickens and coop.

Students helped plant seeds and learned the value of community farming, sustainability, and caring for the environment. Each scholar even received seeds to take home and plant, encouraging learning to continue beyond the field trip.

A special thank you to our Junior Grange advisors for creating such an amazing and meaningful experience. Visiting a working farm in the heart of urban Tampa was truly a memorable and impactful learning opportunity for our scholars.

