



BERLYN BUZZ



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Message from the Principal

Have you heard about First In Math & Study Island? Both are free programs to help your child thrive in Language Arts & Math. Do you know where to find them? Both are on-line and accessible from any computer that has internet access! Do you know your child's username & password to these programs? If not, then ask! All students K-6th have an account for First In Math & 1st-6th for Study Island. Students can collect online stickers on First In Math and earn electronic blue ribbons on Study Island. Make sure your child takes full advantage of these free programs all year long in order to help them achieve and surpass their academic goals!



Guinness book world record!

Berlyn Students supported Michelle Obama's goal to break the Guinness Book World Record for the most people doing jumping jacks in a 24 hour period. People from all over the world participated in this event to promote physical fitness. On October 11th, over 20 parent volunteers helped with official time keeping, supervising, and doing an official count as 1st - 6th grade students jumped for one minute without stopping. Excitement is still in the air as we wait to see if the record was actually broken.

Breaking the Record!

By Joseph B. (5th grade)

I think we broke the world record for doing the most jumping jacks. All Berlyn students came out to be part of the event. Teachers and parents also participated and took many pictures. We all ate enough food to get a lot of energy. Did you do jumping jacks too? If you did, than we probably broke the record for doing the most jumping jacks!

By Ireri J. (6th Grade)

I think Berlyn School did succeed in trying to break the world record for the most people doing jumping jacks. We did it because we have a lot of students and everybody participated in hopes of breaking the record. I know that other schools around the globe also participated in this great effort. Thanks to the worldwide coverage by the TV industry, the internet, and of course the involvement of

Reading buddies!



Berlyn Elementary is very excited about our upcoming partnership with the Ontario Chamber of Commerce, John Elway's Crown Toyota, the San Bernardino County Superintendent's Office, and the Ontario Montclair School District, in bringing to our school the Reading Buddies program. This program is designed as collaboration between businesses, the civic community, and education leaders to "promote literacy and emphasize the importance of reading in daily life and long-term goal achievements." As an AVID elementary school, we welcome this support in preparing our scholars for academic success. Community volunteers will be paired with 1st and 2nd grade classrooms and will come to read to students on six different Friday mornings throughout the year. The program will kick off with a short assembly on Friday, November 4th at 8:50. Thank you, volunteers!

Saturday school







Have you missed a day of school this year? If you have, Berlyn wants to give you the opportunity to clear that absence by attending Saturday School. Our next Saturday School will be on November 5th from 8:00-12:00 a.m. The theme for the day will be autumn. Come learn about this season and all the great things that happen in the fall.



Parking Etiquette

For the safety of our students and all pedestrians, please make sure to follow all Berlyn staff members directions in the parking lots. If someone asks you to drive around the circular driveway again, please do so in order to keep the flow of traffic moving. Do not blow your car horn unless someone is about to hit your car or there is an emergency and you require assistance. Thank you in advance.

NOVEMBER CALENDAR

Monday	October 31	NO SCHOOL - Admissions Day	
Tuesday	November 1	Kindergarten Celebrate! 8:30 a.m. (MPR) Parent English Class 8:30-10:30 a.m.	 (P14)
Wednesday	November 2	Project INSPIRE 8:30-10:30 a.m. (P16)	
Thursday	November 3	OMSD Board Meeting 7:00-8:00 p.m. (Central Language Academy) Parent English Class 8:30-10:30 a.m. (P14)	
Friday	November 4	"Spirit Day" Twin Day  Family Reading Time 7:45-8:15 a.m. (P15) *1 st and 2 nd Celebrate! 8:25 Reading Buddies Kick-off Assembly 8:55-9:15 a.m. (MPR) *3 rd and 4 th Celebrate! 9:15 *5 th and 6 th Celebrate! 9:50	
Saturday	November 5	Saturday Make-up Academy 8:00-12:00 a.m. Theme: Autumn	
Tuesday	November 8	Parent English Class 8:30-10:30 a.m. (P14)	
Wednesday	November 9	Project INSPIRE 8:30-10:30 a.m. (P16) Honor Roll Assembly 5:00 p.m. (MPR)	
Thursday	November 10	Parent English Class 8:30-10:30 a.m. (P14) Site Council Meeting 3:30 p.m. (P16)	
Friday	November 11	NO SCHOOL - Veteran's Day 	
Monday	November 14-18	Parent Conference Week Monday the 14th through Friday the 18th. All Kindergarten students will come to school in the morning 8:15 -11:45 Grades 1-6 will come to school from 8:15-12:40	
Tuesday	November 15	Parent English Class 8:30-10:30 a.m. (P14)	
Wednesday	November 16	Project INSPIRE 8:30-10:30 a.m. (P16) Kindergarten Family Reading Program 4:30-5:00 p.m. Kindergarten Family Math Night 5:00 p.m.	
Thursday	November 17	Parent English Class 8:30-10:30 a.m. (P14) OMSD Board Meeting 7:00-8:00 p.m. (Central Language Academy)	
Friday	November 18	"Spirit Day" College Attire Family Reading Time 7:45-8:15 a.m. (P15)	
Monday	November 21-25	NO SCHOOL - Fall Break 	
Tuesday	November 29	Parent English Class 8:30-10:30 a.m. (P14)	
Wednesday	November 30	Project INSPIRE 8:30-10:30 a.m. (P16)	
Friday	December 2	"Spirit Day" College Attire 	

*Smencils and erasers will be sold during last recess.

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