

# Madison South Elementary

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## Principal's Post

We made it to March! With all of the craziness this year, it is encouraging to make it to this month with things seemingly trending in a positive direction! As we wrap up the end of the 3<sup>rd</sup> 9 weeks, we are getting into a challenging time in the school year. The weather will (hopefully) be warming up and students will start getting excited for spring break and the end of the year. Please encourage them to keep working hard and focus on making great choices in and out of the classroom!

## 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Richland County Spelling Bee

Madison South sent 13 participants this year to the 3<sup>rd</sup> grade spelling bee. It was held Thursday February 18 at the Holiday downtown. There were a total of roughly 10 elementary schools that took place in this year's event. South had 3 finish in the top 20. Pictured below are the participants this year. Macy Moore, Kayliese Clark, David Elliott, Kaedyn Gerhart, Declan Maddy, Carson Mcquillen, Reagan Brooks, Jocelynn Stiffler, Izabella Kenner, Olivia Morris, Kacie Stewart, Sophia Kershner, and Braydan Branam. Congratulations on a great job!



## Upcoming Events

### March 2

Marcos Pizza Night

### March 3

Spring Pictures

### March 12

Remote Learning Day/End of 3<sup>rd</sup> 9 weeks

### March 29-April 5

Spring Break

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## Nurse's Note

With March approaching, we will probably experience all 4 seasons at some point this month. Parents, please remember to make sure your children are dress appropriately. Masks will still need to be worn as well as staying socially distanced. Remember to continue to send water bottles as the weather warms up and students will need more to drink. On a lighter note, March is National Puppy Month! Remember to love those puppies, young and old, and be sure to give them extra love and exercise with the family as the weather turns nicer!

—Nurse Stacey

## 100<sup>th</sup> Day of Kindergarten

Friday, our kindergarten students celebrated the 100<sup>th</sup> day of school! Students in each class participated in a variety of activities that centered around the number 100. They made necklaces with 100 pieces of beads and cereal, sorted 100 items, did 100 different workout activities, and dressed up as 100 year olds. Our kinders are 100 days smarter!



## March 12, Remote Learning Day

A reminder that Friday, March 12<sup>th</sup> will be another remote learning day so our staff can get round 2 of their vaccines. Packets will be sent home prior. Work will be due Monday the 15<sup>th</sup> and count towards grading and attendance for that day as well.