

Paul Ecke Central

Grandparents Day, 2019

Friday, February 22nd 9:00am (K-3) and 10:15 (4-6)



Grandparents Day Essay Contest

The theme for this year's essay contest will be "Hello Summer" in conjunction with the Yearbook theme.

Each essay should be no longer than one page and may be hand-written or typed, with or without an illustration. One essay from each grade level, K-6 will be chosen and read at our Grandparents Day Event and Musical Program. Each selected grade level author will receive a fun prize, so encourage your student to do his/her best work! Please include your child's name, teacher and grade on the essay. An envelope will be in the office for essays to be turned in.

Essays are due Tuesday, February 19th.

The essays will be judged first on strength of story, then structure. We hope that this contest will encourage students to talk with their grandparents or family members in order to pass on any stories of summertime activities or memories that they have experienced. Students may interview their grandparents or other family members to learn about past summer activities or summer events. They may also write about a particular summertime story involving their grandparents or a grandparents memory of a particular summer from their past. Perhaps there is something coming up this summer that they are looking forward to. We understand that some students may not have a living/known grandparent, so feel free to be creative with your stories and with whom your student discusses this topic. Have fun with this opportunity!

Questions?

Feel free to contact Kelson Splavec at kelsonsplavec@gmail.com

*Please remember that if your child will be leaving school early with a grandparent, they will need written permission to do so. Parents may email the school office or send the child with a written note. Please include the name of the person the child is going home with. Thank you!