

# PRINCIPAL & PARENT PARTNERSHIP: OUR JOURNEY

An Achievable Dream Academy

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## MARCH

MARCH has blown in!

We kicked off the month of March with *Read Across America Week*. Students and teachers enjoyed the fun activities.

Our **5th Annual Spring Family Learning Night** is coming March 29th! Mark your calendar! A flyer will be sent home very soon outlining details of this fun, informative family experience.

It's hard to believe Spring is near! This new season is approaching which means it is time for reflection.

Encourage your child to think about how their year has been thus far.

Ask them what areas can

you improve? What will you do differently? How can you **change** your study habits to be more prepared for quizzes or tests?

We are at a very critical time of the year where **attendance, behavior and academics** will be taken very seriously! All of our students are continually learning new information, but our 3rd, 4th, and 5th grade students are also preparing for SOL tests which begin in May.

Please visit our school's website <http://aadacademy.nn.k12.va.us/> and have your Dreamer visit sites to work on skills.

This year is a special year for us as we are FULLY committed to working on our **3rd FULL year of Accreditation** and applying for **Title I School of Distinction**—both top honors!

We certainly appreciate your partnership and support as we finish this journey STRONG!

Yours in education,  
*Mrs. Harris*

## Upcoming Events

March 9	Full Day for Students
March 13	Student-Led Conference Night
March 15	5th Grade Town Hall Meeting 6 pm
March 22	<b>Welcome to Middle School Night</b> for all AADA 5th graders at 6 pm at AAD M/HS
March 26-30	Book Fair
March 29	Spring Family Learning Night (flyer coming soon)
March 30	Full Day for Students

## Good to Know Information...

**MARCH is PERSEVERANCE month!**

This month's citizenship trait is Perseverance. It means doing something even though it is difficult or challenging. Ask your child how they are showing perseverance!

**The Lemonade War Showcase**

All students will create a lemonade war project that represents elements from the story (setting, character, problem/solution, etc.)

**IDEAS: Book Report in a box, diorama, life-size characters.**

**BE CREATIVE!**

**DUE DATE: FRIDAY, MARCH 16th!**

**Student Hours**

**Grades K-2**

9:05 am-3:40 pm  
Half Day: 12:15 pm  
Early: 2:10 pm

**Grades 3-5**

8:20 am -4:35 pm  
Half Day: 11:50 am  
Early: 1:25 pm

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