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Dates to Remember:

Feb. 11 - China Day

**Feb. 13** – Quarter 2 Progress Reports sent home

## ASAP Session 2 ends next week

Session 2 of the QISS After School Activities Program is scheduled to end next Friday, February 13<sup>th</sup>. There were several very cool choices for Grade 2 students in Session 2! I hope everyone has had a fantastic time in their after school activities! There will be more fun options coming up in ASAP Session 3, so be sure to sign up!





The students have continued learning about the way we organize living things. The class learned the distinction between vertebrates and invertebrates, and we have begun our study of vertebrate classes. This week the students have been studying the observable features of mammals and birds. There are some similarities between the two groups, but there are many important differences as well. The students are documenting their findings in their Science Journals!



After learning about polygons and symmetry, the students have been working on a new project to apply their knowledge in a fun and creative way. Each student made their own snowman out of polygons, and they put them together very carefully so that their snowmen are symmetrical. This was a fun project for the students, and they have been doing an outstanding job. You will be able to see their symmetrical snowmen up in the hallway at QISS very soon!