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Dates to Remember:

Apr. 25 to May 1 – Labor Day Holiday May 4 – Return to school May 15 – Q4 Progress Reports

Unit 4 Weather Bar Graph

Grade 2 has been tracking the weather for every single day in Unit 4, and the class is using this data to create a bar graph. The Unit Weather Bar Graph is on display in the LS first floor hallway, and you will see it grow every time you visit QISS. The students have done a great job with this project. You should ask them to explain how it works!

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Hello Grade 2 Parents!

Last week Grade 2 had an exciting day when they arrived in the classroom to find their Mindful Hearts ESLR Train Cars were missing! There were coded messages in the place of each train car, and only one clue to break the code. The students worked together to crack this tricky problem, and when they decoded the messages they discovered that ninjas had stolen their train cars! The ninjas left a clue to the location of each train car, and in the afternoon the class set off to find them.



In addition to the clues, the students also had a map of the QISS campus. The students had to use their new map reading skills to get to the correct location, and then use each clue to find the train cars. It took a lot of intelligence, vitality, and teamwork for the class to succeed, but in the end they recovered all of the missing train cars! The entire class did an outstanding job!



The QISS Talent Show was last Friday, and Grade 2 had some students showing off their talents! Min Xuan played a beautiful song on the piano, and Yurim and her sister Yuri danced to a Korean song. Way to show courage and perform in front of the entire school! This was a wonderful week of school at QISS!