



<b>Reminders</b> <i>Walk to School Day, 10/7</i> <i>No School, 10/8</i> <i>Conferences - 10/14 - 10/15</i>	<b>Congratulations, Cougar Kids!</b> <i>Aidan, Christian, Juliana</i>	<b>Happy Birthday!</b> <i>Zaida - 10/31</i>	<b>I.B. Corner</b> <i>We recently launched our first I.B. unit, For Everything There is a Season, under the theme, "How the World Works."</i>
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## TRYING ON DIFFERENT HATS

*Third Graders Become Meteorologists, Mad Scientists,  
Businesspersons, and ... ?*

It's hard to believe that it is almost time for conferences! We are cruising right along in the third grade, having recently launched our first I.B. Unit of Inquiry (see right). This involved a fascinating field trip to the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) in Boulder our first science experiment of the year.

Third graders excitedly hosted our first Movie Night of the year, handling concession preparation, sales, and greeting. We have hard workers who loved making change for their customers! Thanks to all families who donated snacks for our sales.



*Mr. Carlson flying a plane  
(someone else took the picture!)  
through a sudden thunderstorm.*

Homework Journals are going home every Monday, with a writing assignment and reading log due Friday of that week. Please remind your student that planning ahead, revising, and editing

will help them to produce his/her best work.

Thank you for helping us to maintain our relentless focus on learning!

### I.B. Planner

**Theme: How the World Works**

**Title: For Everything There is a Season**

**Central Idea: People in communities manage, modify, and depend on their environment, which is influenced by weather and seasons.**

**Inquiry into:**

- ☒ how weather patterns change throughout the year
- ☒ how people and organisms adapt because of changes in the weather and seasons
- ☒ how we gather data and communicate data about the weather