5TH GRADE MATH: PI DAY

March 14th (3/14) was Pi Day, a special day for the 5th Grade Math class! This was their very first introduction to the most famous irrational number. Students learned some interesting facts about pi, sang songs, and (pretended to) laugh at Mrs. Fiske's pi jokes. They were stunned to learn how the digits of pi extended infinitely without repeating, and were dazzled when listening to the Pi Day Song by Asap Science that musically showcased pi's first 100 digits! Like any good festivity, our Pi Day celebration was topped off with miniature apple pies...circular shaped, of course.





HERE IS WHAT OUR 5TH GRADERS ARE SAYING ABOUT PI DAY:

- "I learned that pi has an infinite amount of digits." -Sophia K
- "I loved hearing the pi jokes." -Olivia
- "I learned that 3.14 written backwards is PIE." - Hannah
- "I loved the Pi Day song! "- Lisa
- "I love that pi goes on forever." Anthony
- "I loved how our amazing teacher Mrs. Fiske made us amazingly delicious apple pie treats and taught us so much about pi." -Harrison
- "I loved everything!" -Ivy



SOME FUN FACTS ABOUT PI:

- Pi is the ratio of circumference divided by diameter. This result is 3.14 for every sized circle!
- Albert Einstein, one of the most famous mathematicians, was born on Pi Day (March 14th) in 1879.
- "I PREFER PI" is a palindrome it is spelled the same backwards and forwards.
- Pi and the letter P are both the 16th letters in their alphabets.
- The official animal of Pi Day is....a pi-thon!



