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November 14, 2020

SOUTHSIDE'S

VISION: To learn, to dream, to laugh, to love every child every day - whatever it takes!

MISSION: To use data-driven instruction for progress monitoring, so that each student is learning, succeeding and reaching above and beyond their potential every day.

IMPORTANT DATES

11/16 - PTO Meeting - sign up on southsidepto.org - Monday's meeting is at 9:00 AM

11/18 - Planning Day for Teachers - **NO School**

11/25-11/27 - Thanksgiving Holiday - **NO School**

11/30 - Return to school

WHAT'S NEW AND NOTEWORTHY?

Mayor's Feed the Hungry Program

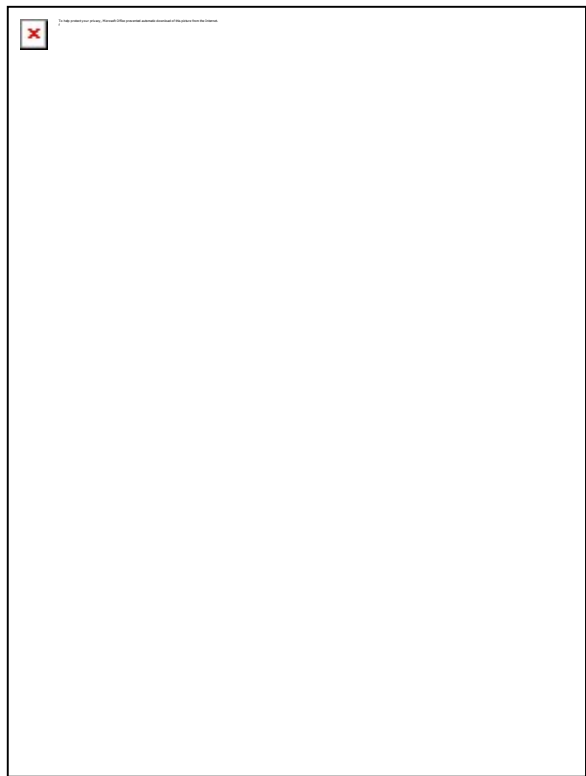
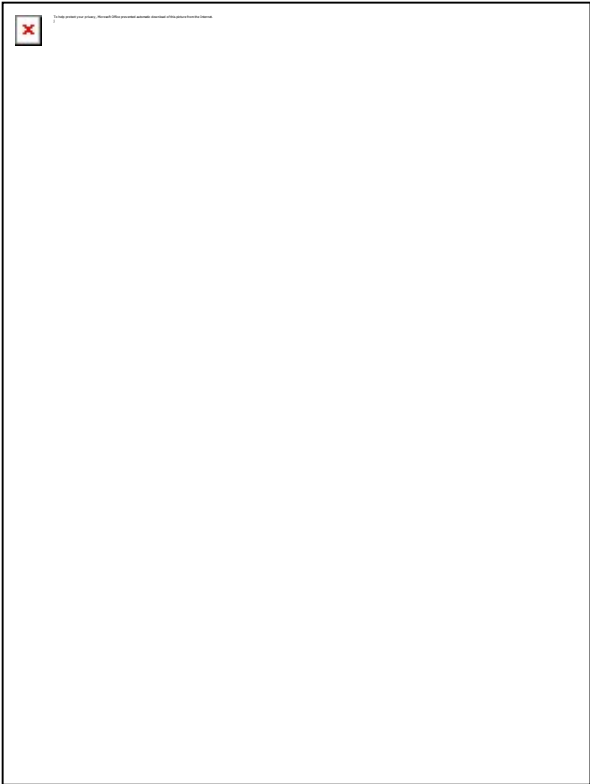
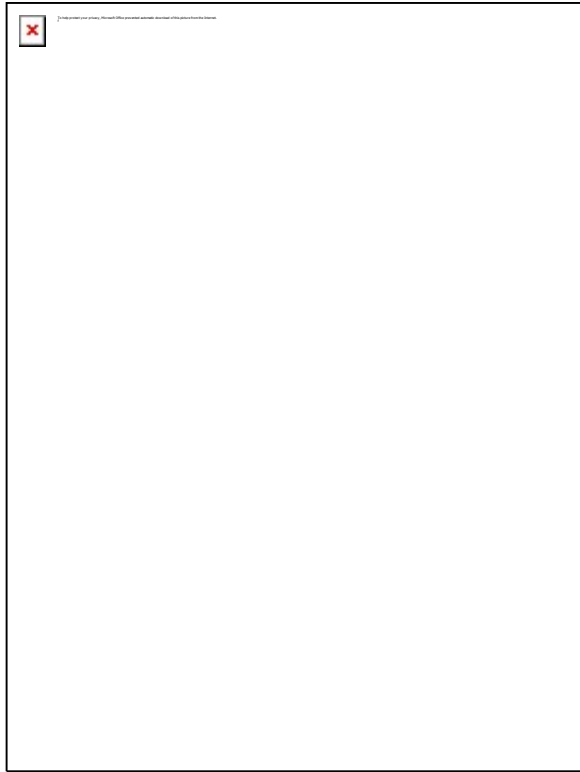
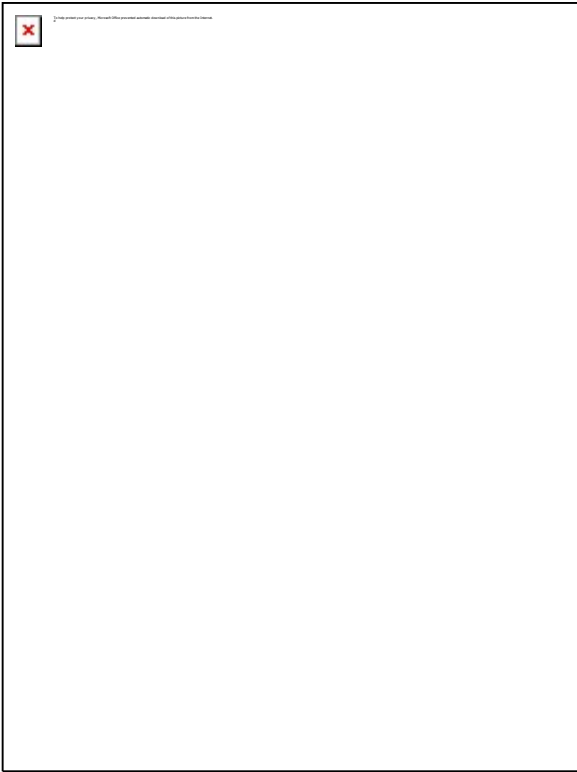
This year we will not be collecting cans for this important cause at the organization's request. Rather, if you would like to donate to the program, please consider a donation directly at: <https://mayorsfeedthehungry.org/>

Just \$10 will feed one person and \$50 will feed a family. We thank you for your consideration as we approach upcoming holidays.

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT SOUTHSIDE?



Partial Products Fruit Punch

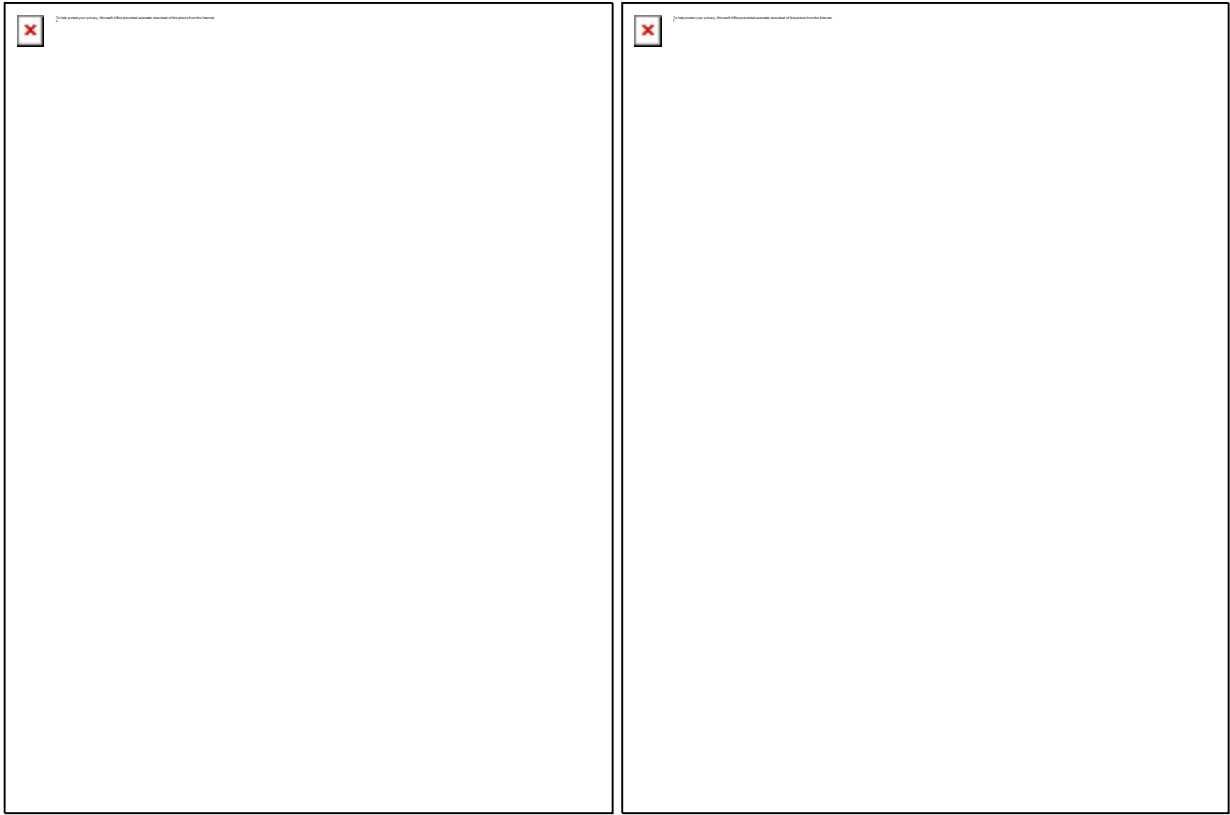
Mrs. Casanas and Mrs. Eicher's classes worked on three digit by two digit multiplication using several strategies this week in Math class. The students explored using area models and then the strategy of using partial products. They practiced using partial products through playing a game called partial products fruit punch. Who doesn't love learning through games!?



Celebrating World Kindness Day

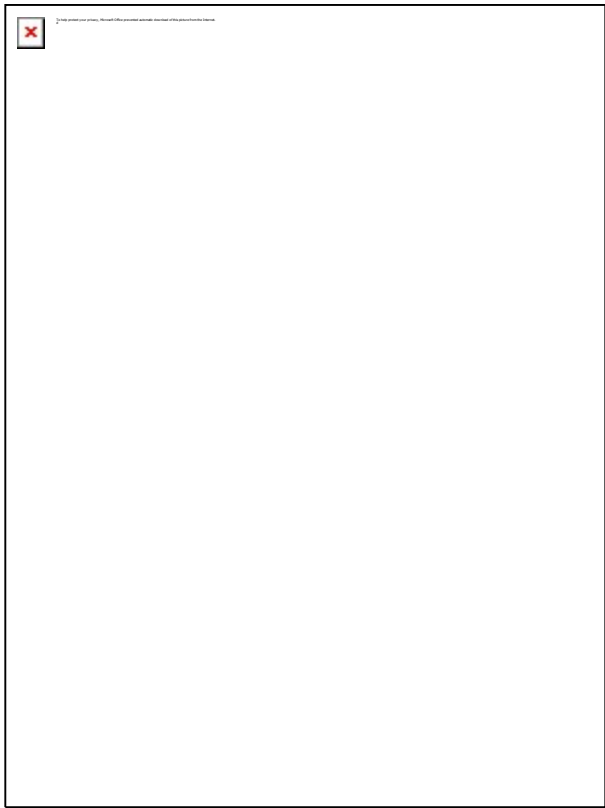
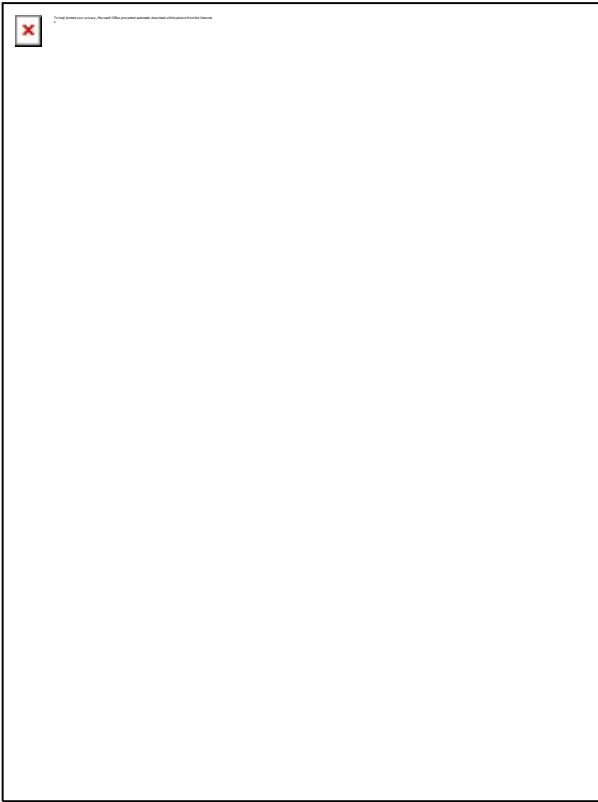
On Friday, for *World Kindness Day* Mrs. Dooley helped Mrs. Sobo Hall's class spread kindness by creating bags of goodies for those in need. The bags included a water bottle, water flavoring, cheese crackers, a tooth brush, tooth paste, oranges, a Slim Jim and a sweet note. Kindness, no matter how small is never wasted.

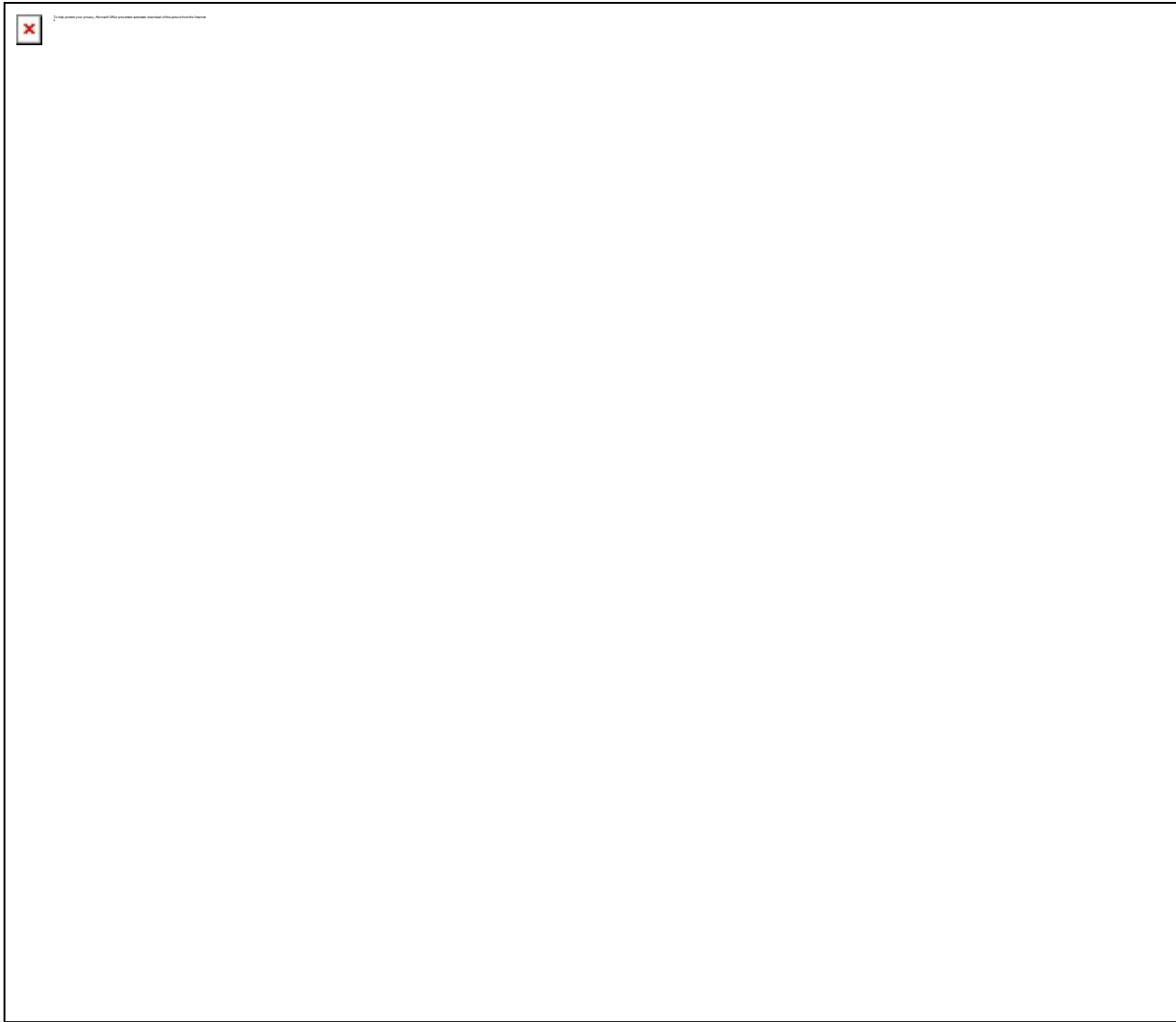
	
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Practicing Patterns

In technology class with Mrs. Alba this week, kindergarten students practiced color, movement and shape patterns. We love our Specials teachers who always do their best to reinforce grade-level curriculum for our teachers.





IMPORTANT REMINDERS

Dismissal Manager

Thank you to everyone who has worked with us through the launch of Dismissal Manager.
A few reminders:

1. We will be using the button instead of the QR Codes moving forward - yay!

2. Even if your student is a gate WALKER with a walker tag - you should create a Dismissal Manager account. There will be times like this last Wednesday when you will need to have it.

3. When you use the carline to pick up your child you must still use your yellow hang tag. Just email me directly if you still need one: jennifer.nzeza@sarasotacountyschools.net. In addition, please "activate" your button as soon as you enter the car loop at Osprey.

Have a wonderful weekend! Stay safe!

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