

Newsletter
3/8/2019

Law Day: Over the last two weeks the students have been working on their law day essays. This years topic has given us the opportunity to really grasp how a law works and how involved an institution such as a school can get involved when it comes to cyberbullying and our First Amendment rights. Please feel free to discuss this topic with your child and understand their point of view.

~ Students have finished their first drafts and will be editing for the next week and a half. The essays will be turned in on Friday, 3/22/19.

Nike commercial: In honor of International Women's Day I shared the new Nike commercial with my students. I asked the students to write and share their thoughts of the commercial and the impact it is supposed to make on our society. It was interesting to hear their opinions. Please ask your child to share their thoughts with you!

Novel Study: On Monday, the students and I started our classroom novel, Dear Martin by Nic Stone. The novel is about an Ivy League-bound African-American student named Justyce who becomes a victim of racial profiling.

St. Baldrick's Day: The third year hosting the St. Baldrick's day event was a success. We are so proud of all of the Plato students and staff who chose to participate in this amazing experience. We were lucky to have heard from two cancer survivors and understand the rough journey they went on to be with us today. As a school we raised \$15, 000 and are hoping to continue to raise more and more each year!



Reminders:

March 15: Greek Program 10 am at the Bridge!

ROOM 2 BAKE SALE!

March 21 & 22: Conferences! Please do not forget to sign up.

March 22: ½ day 12 pm dismissal

March 25 - 29: SPRING BREAK!

Have a great weekend,
Ms. Alexandra

