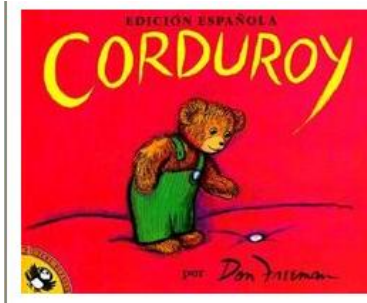


December 2011

On Tuesday, December 6, 2011, Mrs. Truppo and Ms. Hueston collaborated with the Parent University night for the Spanish Bilingual population. Parents of students from grade K-2 were invited to a family reading night of Corduroy. Bilingual students in kindergarten and first grade listened to the story Corduroy in Spanish while the teacher used questioning techniques to enhance vocabulary and comprehension. Parents worked together with their children to complete making and sewing a Corduroy bear. A basket of books in Spanish were supplied to the Bilingual parents to share and enjoy with their children.



On Tuesday, December 13, parents of students in Grades 3- 5, were invited to participate in another Parent University. The hour long presentation was divided into 5 sessions, designed to show parents how to help their children in reading comprehension, vocabulary, grammar, writing, and how to use Tumblebooks, an online library. Mrs. Smoler and Ms. Wong collaborated in the planning of Parent University and gave presentations on Tumblebooks and Vocabulary, which also included ESL interventions.

