



# Fourth Grade News



## What's Going On in 4th Grade?

### Spelling Words

retitle	nickel
towel	gentle
battle	barrel
coastal	model
metal	untangle
simple	ankle
eagle	marvel
special	juggle
total	squirrel
trouble	riddle

### Review Words

labor	mirror
doctor	temper

### Challenge Words

signal	fossil
quarrel	article

### Math:

We will wrap up our chapter on customary measurement this week and move into metric measurement. We will be using multiplication facts and convert units from one to another so please practice multiplication facts at home.

### Reading:

"Weird and Wondrous Rocks" is the story of the week. We will work with the vocabulary for the story, how many syllables and sounds in each of the vocabulary words, do the collaborative questions and learn about the author. We will also do Scholastic News to enhance our use of reading skills and finding evidence.

### Science:

This week in Science we will be working on light reflection and vision. We will do the discussion questions and vocabulary then watch the video and complete the comprehension questions. We will also work on learning about the sun and other stars.

### Writing:

We wrapped up our correspondence letter writing last week. This week we are starting our new writing which is imaginative narrative writing. We will explore the topic, discuss the writing sample, work with vocabulary we will learn with the writing and prepare to read the example text.

### Spelling:

Our words this week have the final schwa sound followed by an L. We have talked all year about how we will see the schwa sound in the dictionary and how letters with the schwa have a different sound. We will take our test on Friday.

### Social Studies:

We have moved to the west so we will learn about the economy and the journey to the west. For SD Road Trip we will travel to Deadwood.

### Grammar:

We will work with end of sentence punctuation and capitalization this week.

### Mrs. Kane's Contact



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## Dates to remember....

Circus Tickets sent home with students (if you need another ticket for a younger sibling, please contact Mrs. McGregor—while supply lasts)

**April 18-21** Easter break/no school

**April 20**—Rawley birthday

**April 30:** PK-2 field trip-Brookings Children's Museum

**May 16:** Tentative last day of school; dismiss at 1:00

Elementary Awards and Field Day- starting at 8:30 am in the big gym—there will be a parking lot picnic that day also for

students and parents.

**May 17:** Graduation 6:30 pm

Any questions about any of these dates, please contact Mrs. Kane or the front office at 363-5025.

Have a great week!