



Fourth Grade News



What's Going On in 4th Grade?

Spelling Words

bloom	brook
cookbook	foolish
tool	bush
shampoo	crooked
put	booth
wool	raccoon
stool	hook
proof	groom
prove	roof
group	soup

Review Words

fruit	crew
trunk	rescue

Challenge Words

cartoon	bookstore
childhood	choose

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Upcoming Dates:

Oct 12: Quinn birthday

Oct 15: Parent/Teacher conferences

Oct 15: Dismiss at 1:00

Oct 16: No School

Math:

We are wrapping up our chapter 2 and will do the end of the chapter review then review in groups. Please practice addition/subtraction and multiplication facts at home. We will then move to multiplication and division.

Reading:

"The Game of Silence" is our story of the week. We will work on that this week and next. We will learn about the genre, discuss the vocabulary,

and more. We will read the story next week and take a comprehension quiz over it next week too.

Science:

"How can we test what keeps the ball moving?" is our topic of the week. We will develop and follow an investigation plan that includes details such as measuring.

Writing:

We are working hard on our informational text about apex predators. Students are researching animals at the top of their food chain.

Grammar:

We are continuing to work with pronouns this week. We will discuss using I and me and review possessive

pronouns and discuss antecedents.

Spelling:

Our spelling words this week will have the /oo/ sound, like last week will be spelled throughout many different letter combinations.

Please practice the words at home and we will work with them at school.

Social Studies:

"The Daughters of Liberty" and "Ben Franklin goes to England" will be our topics this week.

Penmanship:

We will work on joinings and specific letters in penmanship this week. Our writing is really improving in penmanship.

Fun ways to practice spelling words

- **ABC order:** Write your words in alphabetical order.
- **Word Sort:** Sort your words by vowel sounds, patterns, syllables, etc.
- **Repetition:** Write your words 3 times each
- **Sentences:** Write a sentence for each spelling word.
- **Word Art:** Draw a picture and write your words in the picture.
- **Story time:** Write a short story using all your words.
- **Chalk:** Write your words outside using sidewalk chalk.
- **Letters:** Write each word as many times as there are letters in the word.
- **Out loud:** Spell your words out loud 2 times to a brother or sister, mom or dad.
- **Trace Around:** Print your spelling words neatly. Take a colored pen and draw an outline around the word, closely following the shapes of the letters. Close your eyes and remember the shape.