



Fourth Grade News



What's Going On in 4th Grade?

Spelling Words

bunch	clue
fruit	trunk
argue	amuse
crumb	suit
crew	rude
tune	trust
juice	dew
refuse	stuck
truth	rescue
young	brush

Review Words

scent	heard
vein	peak

Challenge Words

undercover	bruise
accuse	stew

Upcoming Dates:

Oct 9: End of 1st Qtr

Oct 12: Quinn birthday

Oct 15: Conferences

Math:

We will be doing some fluency practice this week with addition and subtraction. We will wrap up our chapter and then have our **chapter test on Thursday**. Please practice addition and subtraction facts at home.

Reading:

"Blind Ambition" is our story of the week. We will discuss the genre, work with the vocabulary words, and take a comprehension quiz over the story. We will also do Daily Oral Language each day.

Science:

"How does the ball start moving in the first place?" is our topic of the week. We will complete an investigation and learn about force and collisions.

Writing:

The students are exploring the concept of apex predators as they write in their informational text about an animal with no predators.

Spelling:

Our spelling words this week all have /u/ spelling sound. This can be spelled with /ui/, /ue/, /u_e/ and more. Please practice the words at home and we will work with them in the classroom. We will take our test on Friday this week.

Social Studies:

Taxes and Tyranny, Tea and the Culture, Samuel Adams and the Sons of Liberty and finally John Hancock and Patrick Henry will be our topics this week in Social Studies.

Grammar:

We are still working with pronouns. We will discuss pronoun antecedent agreement and possessive pronouns.

Penmanship:

We will review the letters A, D, G, O, C, and Q this week. We will be sure to keep in mind size, slant, shape and space when writing our letters.

Have a great week!

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Parent Teacher Conferences

Last week a link was sent out for you to sign up for parent teacher conferences. Once you have picked your time, please keep track of it. I will send home slips reminding you of your time. We will have 15 minutes to go through how your

child is doing in class, any concerns, their current grades and NWEA Maps testing results. If there is a conversation that might take more time, we can set up another time before or after school to have that conversation.

Please keep in mind your time, as I probably have another family before and after you and don't want to change their schedule as that might affect other class conferences as well. If you have any questions, please feel free to ask!