

January 10: In-house Pioneer Museum field trip

January 12: Literacy Testing by appointment

January 15: No School

January 19: Report Cards go home

Specials Block Schedule

unless there is a snow day or delayed start

January 8: White January 9: Crimson January 10: Silver January 11: Navy

We are Titans!

CHARACTER FOCUS FOR THE YEAR: WISDOM WITH SPECIFIC ATTENTION TO THE TITAN'S CREED LINE: TITANS TAKE OWNERSHIP OF AND FIND JOY IN LEARN-ING.

FOURTH GRADE CHARACTER FOCUS FOR JANUARY <u>HUMILITY :</u> is not regarding yourself as more important than another person.

DINNER DISCUSSION: Read and discuss the meaning of this quote: "A man wrapped up in himself makes a very small bundle." – Benjamin Franklin

SAYINGS FOR JANUARY:

-Go to pot -Can't hold a candle to it -Lightning never strikes twice in the same place -When it rains, it pours

- Make hay while the sun shines

TITAN BUDDY FOCUS: Valuing humanity with strengths that manifest in caring relationships. Focusing on love, kindness and social intelligence.



Your 4th Grade Update

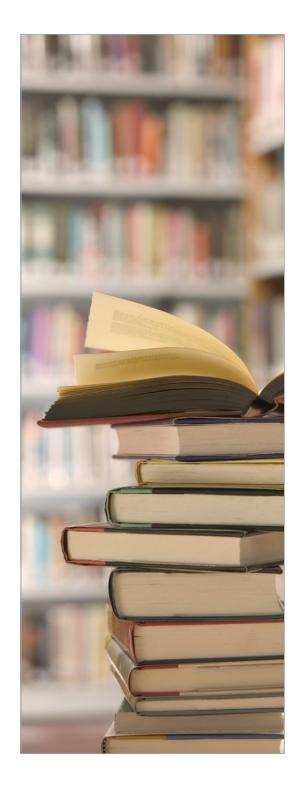
Happy New Year & Welcome Back Everyone!

What a joy it has been to gather together in our classrooms once again and listen to student's stories of holiday adventures and relaxation. We look forward to growing together in 2024.

On another note, your classroom teacher will contact you if your student needs to be literacy tested. Remember we do not literacy test all students in 4th grade. Please continue to encourage students to read for 20 minutes each night and study for spelling, recitations and math facts (goal is to complete 40 facts in 2 minutes).

Thank you,

The 4th Grade Team



FOURTH GRADE CLASSICAL EDUCATION UPDATES

Read Aloud: The Hobbit	Science: Processes that Shape the Earth	Literature: Big Wave	Grammar: Fix It- "The Nose Tree" Week 15	History: Finishing Ancient China
Dimensions Math: <u>Chapter 8:</u> Lessons 8-9 Test Ch. 8	Spelling: List 12 <i>suc/cess/ful</i> <u>Rule 22:</u> applies be- cause when used as a suffix we write /ful/ with one /l/.	Writing : Colorado Biographies	Recitation: <i>Paul Reveres Ride</i> by Henry Wadsworth Long- fellow Link: <u>Paul Reveres</u>	Assessments: Math Ch. 8 Test 1/11 Spelling Test List 12 on 1/12

Ch. 9 Lesson 1

<u>Fourth grade level academic expectations for absences</u> <u>are as follows:</u>

Please continue to study your spelling words, recitation, and math facts. (Spelling lists are provided on the TCA website and in homework binders).

It is the student's responsibility to check in with their teachers upon returning to school for other missing assignments, etc. It is also the student's responsibility to check with their Core-Knowledge teacher (History/Science), for any missed assignments. *Some subjects cannot be re-taught and may require extra time, such as literature, writing, and grammar.*

As part of a Classical Education, students should be reading for enjoyment a minimum of 20 minutes per day.