

4th Grade Weekly Newsletter

Week of April 14, 2019



Reminders

- Wednesday, April 17th - Students meet at 22nd Street at 8:30 for Triduum Prayer Service (Family members are welcome to join us!)
- Thursday, April 18th - Easter Vacation Begins
- Monday, April 29th - School Resumes
- Wednesday, May 1st & Tuesday, May 2nd - **NYS Math Tests**

Academic Information

Religion:

- Easter
- 40 Days Lenten Challenge - Students are working on committing acts of kindness, gratitude, caring for the environment, giving, helping the school community, making new friends, & doing the right thing!
- Ten Commandments Project (all work done in class)
- Resources:
 - Text: Sadlier We Believe

ELA:

Reading:

- Book: A True Patriot: The Journal of William Thomas Emerson (A Revolutionary War Patriot, Boston, Massachusetts, 1774) by Barry Denenberg
- Suggested ixl.com section(s): Review: C.1 - C.5; H.1 - H.5; I.1 - I.3

Writing:

- Writing Historical Fiction - Students complete, edit and share stories
- Suggested ixl.com section(s): N.1 - N.5

Vocabulary:

- Context specific vocabulary
- Using Context Clues to determine the meaning of unknown words and phrases and to determine how they are used in context
- Suggested ixl.com section(s): N.3 & N.4

Grammar/Word Work:

- Editing
- Spelling: Inflected Ending Review & Variant Correspondences
- Suggested ixl.com section(s): CC.5 - CC.7; Q.1

Math:

- Review for State Tests
- Khan Academy: Students should be working on Khan Academy Monday-Thursday for approximately 15 minutes per night as part of homework. (It has been assigned on the homework board each day.)
- Text: GoMath!
- Suggested ixl.com: Geometric Measurement: BB.9- BB.12
- Reteach & Enrich Packets
 - These packets will be e-mailed to students at the beginning of each chapter.
 - Reteach is for simple review and practice.
 - Enrich packets provide a challenge

Science:

- Matter
- Ch. 4: Lesson 2 - Measurement & Lesson 3 - Properties of Water
- Text: New York Science Grade 4
- Suggested ixl.com: B.1, B.2, C.1 - C.3, F.1

Social Studies:

- Unit 3: New York and the New Nation
- Chapter 6: New York and the American Revolution
- The Declaration of Independence
- Resources:
 - a) Text: Social Studies New York
 - b) Suggested ixl.com: B.1 - B.8
 - c) Liberty's Kids

Guidance:

- Resource: Missouri Dept. of Education

Hakuna Matata!



