



Fourth Grade Newsletter

For the Week of October 9th — 13th



Math

This week we will continue to understand and solve problems with multiplicative comparison. We will then explore factors, multiples, and prime numbers

Please study multiplication facts at home!!! It is very important to have multiplication facts memorized before we move into division.

Reading

NOVEL STUDY: "Charlie and the Chocolate Factory" by Ronald Dahl, Week 3



Science

We will continue with the weather unit by discussing the three states of water and what has to occur for water to have a change in state (solid, liquid, or gas).

Social Studies

This week we will discuss the Articles of Confederation, the battles of the Revolutionary War, and the father of our country, George Washington.

Important Information—PLEASE READ!

Due to numerous conflicts that have occurred between students over the last two weeks in the classrooms and at recess, we respectfully ask that your child not bring toys of any kind to school. This includes, but is not limited to: Beyblades, Pokémon cards, toy cars, and dolls. Dr. Wilds has stipulated that phones and tablets not be brought to school. If they are needed for communication between parent and child after school, it is important that you child understand that they are not allowed out in the classroom and may not be taken outside at recess. Unfortunately, we have had issues in the past with students taking pictures of other students and posting them on social media. Fidget spinners are also not allowed at school, as they too become a distraction and disrupt the learning environment. Please contact your child's homeroom teacher if you have any questions.

Brain Pop and Brain Pop, Jr., are available to your child at home! They may log on at home with their lunch number and "tigers1" as the password. These sites have great videos, quizzes, games, and other activities on most of the topics that we cover in the classroom. Check it out!

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News and Important Dates

- 10/9—Reading Bowl practice @2:45
- 10/12—ESOL Title 3 Night 6:00-7:30 pm
- 10/16-10/20—Bus Driver appreciation week
- 10/16—Reading Bowl practice @2:45
- 10/17—JES Title III Meeting 6:00—7:30 pm
- 10/20—Fall Festival
- 10/23—Reading Bowl practice @2:45
- 10/30—Reading Bowl practice @2:45
- 10/31--Halloween
- 10/30—11/3—Red Ribbon Week

Visit our 4th Grade site at Weebly:
<http://jasperelementary4thgrade.weebly.com>

In an effort to help support the Weekend Food Program/JES Paw Pack program, each school in the district is being designated as the collection site for one item. **JES is now the POP-TART SCHOOL!** A box labeled "**Pop-Tarts for Paw Packs**" will be in the front lobby for the remainder of the school year and will serve at the drop-off point for any student or parent who would like to donate Pop-Tarts to the Weekend Food Program!

It is Fall Festival time again! Our basket theme is "Family Movie Night". You may donate items that relate to the basket or make a monetary donation and we will do the rest! Items may include: movies, popcorn, candy, soda, and/or gift cards. Five dollar movies count, too!!!

Vocabulary—"Charlie and the Chocolate Factory"

Week 3

1. obstinately—not willing to change your opinion or actions
2. waft—to move lightly about, carried by a wind or wave
3. incinerator—a machine that burns garbage
4. pander—to encourage the bad habits of someone else
5. gallantly—polite and attentive
6. precipice—a steep or high part of a mountain

