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Friday Newsletter

4th Grade

May 24, 2024

Dear 4th Grade Families,

We had a wonderful week in 4th grade and hope you did as well! This was a well balanced blend of work and play with our math MAP test and Field Day! Thank you to those who volunteered, we had a great time! As always, please reach out with any questions. Have a fantastic weekend!

All the best,
4th Grade Team

Announcements

- [2024 Rising 5th Grade Summer Reading](#)
- [2024 Summer Math Letter](#)

Important Dates

- Monday, May 27- School Closed (Memorial Day)
- Tuesday, May 28- Last Mass of the School Year
- Wednesday, June 5- Last Day of School (11:30 Dismissal/End of Year Awards Ceremony/Blue and Gold Day)

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Social Studies

This week in SS, students finished our last chapter which focuses on Virginia history throughout the last century. We are covering a variety of topics such as World War I & II, technological changes, the Civil Rights movement, and more!

Next week, we will have our test over this chapter. It is scheduled for Thursday, May 30.

Science

This week in Science we have been exploring the exciting world of space in Chapter 10. We've learned about how objects like planets, moons, comets, and asteroids move around in the solar system. We also talked about other amazing things we can see in the sky, such as stars and constellations. The students had a great time working on their solar system models and planet projects. They're very enthusiastic about their work and creativity. Next week, we will continue Chapter 10.

The Ch. 10 Test is scheduled for Wednesday, May 29.

Solar System Projects will be due at the end of class on Thursday, May 30 (Students are given 2 weeks to complete this group project. This will be both an in and out of class project with specific times carved out of our science class to work on it).

Math

This week in Math, our students have been busy! We took our MAP test and also completed our test over Unit 14. In this unit, we learned about symmetry, different types of lines and angles, and polygons including triangles and quadrilaterals. Next week, we will be having an end-of-year inventory assessment. This test will help us see how much the students have learned in all areas of our 4th grade math curriculum.

Language Arts/Reading/Writing

This week in LA, students continued our last unit which will focus on historical fiction. Students have been placed in book clubs in which they will read a historical fiction book. We will also read *Number the Stars* as a class to go along with what we learn about World War II.

Next week, students will continue to work on the Suitcase Project. This will be the culminating project for Language Arts. It is due on Monday, June 3.

Theology

This week in Theology, we have been learning about the different ways we can pray. We also discussed how the theological virtues- faith, hope, and charity- work together to help us in our prayers. We began Unit 4 Lesson 20- "Why is the Lord's Prayer called the perfect prayer?" A beautiful lesson to explore this very important prayer.

There will be a Unit 4 Lesson 20 quiz on Friday, May 31. Our Unit 4 Test is scheduled for Tuesday, June 4th.