



Bee News: Fourth Grade News



Doing As Eagles Do

January 12th, 2024

Curriculum Corner

In math, we continued our work on Module 5 this week. Module 5 is on fraction equivalence, ordering, and operations. This week students learned how to represent fractions using tape diagrams, number bonds, and using number sentences (addition and multiplication). Students also learned about improper fractions. Additionally, students worked on their I-Ready Math Diagnostic for winter.

In reading, we continued our second reading unit. This reading unit is a nonfiction/informational unit. We are reading a book called *Everything Weather* to guide instruction. This week students learned to decode the hard parts of nonfiction readings. Additionally, students worked on their I-Ready Reading Diagnostic for winter.

In writing, we continued our narrative (realistic fiction) unit. This week students continued their realistic fiction drafts.

In social studies, we continued our second unit on exploration of Washington. Students learned more about the Lewis and Clark Expedition.

We are doing social emotional learning (SEL) every Wednesday. We are learning about emotional management.

Dear Parents,

Happy Friday! We had a very busy week in the classroom. This week students worked on their I-Ready Reading and I-Ready Math diagnostics for winter.

Important Note: I will be absent from January 18th to 25th as I will be receiving surgery to treat an important medical issue that I have been struggling with the past few years. I will do my best to respond via email but please ensure you keep the office/Mrs. Keegan in the loop on anything urgent. I will have the same sub each day during my absence and will be in contact with her throughout my time gone to ensure the best educational experience for the class. I will also be writing detailed sub plans so everything runs smoothly during my recovery time.

Please note that we have a three day weekend this weekend! We are honoring Martin Luther King Jr. on Monday (January 15th) and have no school.

I hope you all enjoy an amazing three day weekend! Happy Martin Luther King Jr. Day! Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks so much,
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Important Dates

January 15th

**Martin Luther King Jr. Day:
No School**

January 26th

**Teacher Work Day:
No School**

February 2nd

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