



Bee News: Fourth Grade News



Doing As Eagles Do

November 17, 2023

Curriculum Corner

In math, we are working on module 3. In module 3 students are learning about multi-digit multiplication and division. This week students worked on division. Students practiced long division with remainders, area models, place value charts, and arrays.

In reading, we completed unit 1 this week. In unit 1 we read a book called *The Tiger Rising*. *The Tiger Rising* was used to guide instruction. Students completed the first part of the End of Reading Unit 1 Assessment this Friday. We will continue this assessment on Monday. On the assessment, students are reading stories and responding to comprehension questions using text evidence to support their claims.

In writing, we are working on our second unit (realistic fiction/narrative). Students have been doing free writes to help them grow their ideas.

This week we continued our first science unit on Energy Conversions. Students are taking on the role of systems engineers to help a town called Ergstown. Students are investigating this question: What happened to the electrical system the night of the Ergstown blackout?

We are doing social emotional learning (SEL) every Wednesday. This week we learned about emotional management.

Dear Parents,

Happy Friday! The students had a wonderful week in school and worked very hard. I am SO proud of this group of amazing students!

Next week is a short week (only two days long). Students have Wednesday—Friday off of school for the Thanksgiving holiday. I am very thankful for this group of wonderful students!

It was incredible having an opportunity to meet with you all for parent-teacher conferences last week. Please don't hesitate to reach out with any follow-up questions regarding the students progress reports or with questions regarding anything else that you would like to discuss further. I am always available via email and am happy to meet in-person again as needed throughout the remainder of the school year. I believe that a strong partnership between teachers and parents is the foundation for a successful fourth grade education for your student.

I hope you all have an amazing weekend and upcoming Thanksgiving break. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks,
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Important Dates

November 22nd– 24th

**Thanksgiving Holiday Break:
No School**

