

# NOVEMBER



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## 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Newsletter

November 12 - 16, 2018

### Reminders:



- Please make sure that your child is **picked up by 3:30** everyday.
- Please have your child **read for at least 30 minutes** every day!
- Pizza Hut Book has begun, so students can earn a free individualized pizza if they complete their reading log indicating that they have read for the entire month of November.



We are having our 4<sup>th</sup> grade Thanksgiving Feast on **November 14<sup>th</sup> at 11 am** in the multipurpose room. If you would like to volunteer to help set up the room, please contact your child's homeroom teacher via email. We will need parent volunteers to help set up at 10:30 am. If you have not signed up to bring something, please go to the following sign up link:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0948afa72fa1f49-4thgrade4>

### WHAT'S GOING ON?



We will be doing a fundraiser selling hot chocolate. Any donations of hot chocolate packets will be appreciated.

We will be selling hot chocolate for \$1 to raise money for future field trips.

### Important Dates:

\* Test dates are tentative and may change \*

**Nov 12** – Book Fair begins

**Nov 14** – Thanksgiving Feast @ 11 am

**Nov 14** – Literacy Night

**Nov 15** – Fall Picture Day Make Up

**Nov 19 ~ 23** – Thanksgiving Break

**Nov 30** – Holiday Shop Preview

**Nov 30** – Weather and Climate Test

**Nov 30** – Personal Finance Test

**Dec 3** – November Book It Log Due

### We'll Be So Busy!

**Math** - Students will generate a number or shape pattern that follows a given rule and identify apparent features of the pattern that were not explicit in the rule itself. Please remind students to review their math notes and study guide for the Benchmark 2 Test (Chapter 4-6) on November 14.

**Social Studies** - Students will continue to learn about personal finance and the elements of a personal budget. They will take the Personal Finance test on Friday, November 30<sup>th</sup>.

**Language Arts** - In reading, students will learn to identify the perspective and point of view, and use context clues to identify meaning of words. In grammar, students will continue to write and identify vivid verbs used to show personification. In writing, students will rewrite their paragraphs neatly on notebook paper or type it on the computer to glue on a large piece of construction paper to make their mini-magazine. They will draw or glue photographs of pictures related to their topics.

**Science** - Students will continue to learn about tools such as thermometers, rain gauges, wind vanes, barometers, and anemometers can be used to gather weather data. Patterns can be observed in weather data and can be used to make predictions about future weather. Weather describes the conditions outside at a certain place and time while climate describes the general conditions over a long period of time. The Weather and Climate test will be on Friday, November 30<sup>th</sup>.

### Wish list

**Hyon** – Smarties; any prizes for the prize bin

**Baker** – Skittles

**Nguyen** - prizes for the prize bin

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