



HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY!

4th Grade Newsletter

February 11-15, 2019

New Life Academy of
Excellence
Where Educating is Our
Number One Goal



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 February.



Please Support the 4th Grade Fundraiser!

We are selling mechanical pencils for \$1. Also, for the month of February, we will be selling ring pops for \$1. Any donations would be appreciated greatly!

The proceeds directly benefit our trip to the High Museum of Art field trip in March.

WHAT'S GOING ON?

On Tuesday, **February 12**, we will be going to Tellus Science Museum. Please make sure your child is at school **by 7:30 am**. We will board the bus promptly at 8 am. Students should wear their school uniform shirt with jeans and sneakers. They will need to bring a brown paper bag lunch to be thrown away. Students should **not** bring any electronics on this field trip. There is a gift shop, so students may bring money to purchase items.

We'll Be So Busy!

Math - Students will learn about relative sizes of measurement units within one system of units km, m, cm. Students will practice how to express measurements in a larger unit in terms of a smaller unit and record measurement equivalents in a two-column table.

Social Studies - Students will begin a new unit in abolition and suffrage movements. They will study the contributions and challenges faced by Susan B. Anthony, Frederick Douglass, Elizabeth Cady Stanton, Sojourner Truth, and Harriet Tubman.

Language Arts - In reading, students will analyze information presented visually, orally, or quantitatively and explain how the information contributes to an understanding of the text in which it appears. In grammar, students will practice identifying and writing similes. In writing, students will revise and edit their opinion essay.

Science - Students will continue the unit on Light. Students will learn that transparent objects let light pass through without forming a shadow. Translucent objects let only some light through and create a light shadow. Opaque objects do not let any light through and form a dark shadow.

Important Dates:

* Test dates are tentative and may change *

Feb 11 – High Museum of Art Field Trip Fee & Permission Slip DUE

Feb 12 – Tellus Museum Field Trip (Wear your school uniform shirt with jeans)

Feb 13 - Chapter 10 Math Test

Feb 14 – Progress Reports go home

Feb 15 & 18 – Student/Teacher Holiday

Feb 20 & 21 – Early Release Days

Feb 28 – Black History Program

Feb 28 – Six Flags Read to Succeed Log DUE

Mar 1 – February Book It DUE

Wish list

Hyon – Smarties or Skittles for prizes

Nguyen – Pencils

Baker – candy for the treasure box

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