



WE GO MARCHING ON!

4th Grade Newsletter

March 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 March.



<https://wbte.drcdirect.com/GA/portals/ga>

GA Milestones Dates to Remember

ELA Section 1 – April 22 (Mon)

ELA Section 2 – April 23 (Tue)

ELA Section 3 – April 24 (Wed)

Math Section 1 – April 29 (Mon)

Math Section 2 – April 30 (Tue)

WHAT'S GOING ON?

YCT is the international standard Chinese Test provided to students. 4th grade will be taking the YCT Level 1 Test on **Thursday, March 28th**. Please have your student study Chinese at home at least 15 min daily.

YCT Level 1 Nouns: <https://quizlet.com/109302662/yct-level-1-nouns-flash-cards/>

YCT Level 1 Verbs: <https://quizlet.com/180604448/yct-1-verb-flash-cards/>

We'll Be So Busy!

Math - Students will learn how to draw points, lines, line segments, rays, perpendicular, and parallel lines.

Social Studies - Students will explain the events leading to the Civil War, the importance of cotton, differences between the northern and southern economy, and analyze how tariffs increased tension between the North and South. They will also explain the political decisions Missouri Compromise, Compromise of 1850, Fugitive Slave Law, and Kansas-Nebraska Act in regards to slavery.

Language Arts - On Monday, students will take the 2nd Semester Interim District Assessment. Students will identify the structure the informational text is written and answer text dependent questions. In grammar, students will identify and write adjectives and adverbs. In writing, students will paraphrase the facts they read in the informational texts and begin their first draft of the informational essay.

Science - Students will begin a unit on sound. They will learn that sound waves are produced by vibrating objects and changing the strength and/or speed of vibrations affects the sound we hear.

Important Dates:

*Test dates are tentative and may change *

Mar 11 – ELA 2nd Semester Interim District Assessment

Mar 12 – Math 2nd Semester Interim District Assessment

Mar 13 – Science 2nd Semester Interim District Assessment

Mar 14 – Social Studies 2nd Semester Interim District Assessment

Mar 21 – SWCC Town Hall Meeting @ 5:30 pm

Mar 26 – High Museum of Art Field Trip

Mar 28 – YCT Testing

Mar 29 ~ Apr 5 – Spring Break

Wish list

Hyon – tissue boxes

Nguyen – pencils

Baker – tissue boxes

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