



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



4th Grade Newsletter

March 25 - 29, 2019

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.

YCT Testing

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/>

WHAT'S GOING ON?

High Museum Field Trip – March 26th

We will be going on our final field trip on March 26th. Students are **required to wear their school uniform** and bring a **packed lunch** in a ziplock bag or brown paper bag. It may rain, so it is important students bring a rain jacket. It is not recommended that students bring a bag.

Important Dates:

* Test dates are tentative and may change*

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

Apr 22 – GMAS ELA Section 1

Apr 23 – GMAS ELA Section 2

Apr 24 – GMAS ELA Section 3

Apr 29 – GMAS Math Section 1

Apr 30 – GMAS Math Section 2

We'll Be So Busy!

Math - Students will practice how to use different test taking strategies and math skills to complete multiple choice and constructed response questions.

Social Studies - Students will explain the importance of the Battle of Bull Run and the impact of the Emancipation Proclamation. Students will also describe the character traits of Clara Barton, and the effects of Sherman's march to the sea.

Language Arts - In reading, we will review the 2nd Semester Interim. Students will practice answering text dependent questions related to pi. In writing, students will revise their first drafts to add more details to their facts, use a variety of transition words, and revise their conclusion to make it strong and memorable.

Science - Students will learn light and sound are two forms of energy that can be used to send signals. Many everyday devices use light and/or sound to communicate information.

Wish list

Hyon – prizes for the prize bin

Nguyen – pencils

Baker – tissue boxes

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