



# READ! READ! READ!

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Where Educating is Our  
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## 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Newsletter

August 19-23, 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!
- If you have not already joined Class Dojo, then please do so. You should have received an email from your child's homeroom teacher. All of the 4<sup>th</sup> grade teachers use it to communicate behavior, assignments, and reminders.



### Class Websites:

- [www.newlifeacademyga.com](http://www.newlifeacademyga.com) → Staff Directory → 4<sup>th</sup> Grade → Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Hyon & Ms. Nguyen's Class

Join your child's homeroom teachers' Class Dojo by accepting the invite emailed to you.

### What's Going On?

We look forward to seeing you at Curriculum Night this coming Tuesday, August 20<sup>th</sup> at 6:15 pm.

Please email your child's teacher to be added to their class email list if you have not done so already.

### Important Dates:

\* Test dates are tentative and may change \*

**Aug 19** - Chapter 1 Place Value Test

**Aug 20** – SWCC Town Hall Meeting @ 5:30 pm

**Aug 20** – Curriculum Night @ 6:15 pm

**Aug 22** – Ecosystems Lesson 1 Quiz

**Aug 22** – ClubSciKidz In-School Field Trip  
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**Aug 23** – Proper Nouns Quiz

**Aug 23** – Spelling Test

**Aug 27** – ClubSciKidz In-School Field Trip

**Sept 2** – Labor Day! No School!

### We'll Be So Busy!

**Math** - The Chapter 1 Place Value test will be on August 19<sup>th</sup>. Students will learn how to add and subtract multi-digit whole numbers using the standard algorithm.

**Social Studies** - Students will continue to learn about the events that led to the American Revolution. They will study the Tea Act, the Boston Tea Party, Patriots and the Loyalists.

**Language Arts** - In reading, students will learn how to think deeply about characters by paying attention to a character's actions and motivations. They will also read closely to details that reveal character's desires, obstacles they encounter, and their struggles to overcome them to best understand both characters and story. In grammar, students will write and identify the proper nouns. Students will need to be able to identify adjectives as well on the quiz. In writing, students will write small moments or scenes that show what the character wants and the struggles their character may face to get what they want. They will also sketch out possible story arcs for stories.

**Science** - Students will continue to learn about how energy flows in an ecosystem. They will have a quiz on Thursday, August 22.

### Class Wish List

**Baker** – small treasure box prizes  
**Hyon** – Skittles, Starbursts, or prizes for the prize bin  
**Nguyen** – Starbursts or treasure box prizes

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