

# Fourth Grade News

Week of Apr. 12<sup>th</sup> – Apr. 16<sup>th</sup>, 2021



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## Spelling Words

No more spelling words. Only vocabulary words.

## Dates to Remember

The next testing week will be the week of May 3<sup>rd</sup>. Virtual parents, be sure to call and schedule an appointment at the safe site. You only need 1 appointment.

5/3 - vocabulary, reading, and math test for purple

5/6 - vocabulary, reading, and math test for gold.

**MAAP State Testing Dates:**

ELA - 4/19 Purple and 4/22 Gold

Writing - 4/20 Purple and 4/23 Gold

Math - 4/27 Purple and 4/30 Gold

**\*\*Virtual Students ONLY. No appointments will be made. Students MUST arrive at the safe site no later than 7:45**

ELA 4/19

Writing 4/20

Math 4/27

## Skills of the Week

**Reading:** Review

**Writing:** Review

**Math:** Two-dimensional shapes, symmetry reviewing for state test (bootcamp)

**Social Science:** Fossils and Rocks

## Reminders

-All assignments are due by 5:00 pm

-You have **TEAMS** assignments **EVERYDAY** when you aren't at school.

-All students must have 90 minutes each week in *ready* math and reading

-You can check grades at any time on *now*.

## Virtual Student Reminders

**Be on time for your live session**

**Have all your materials already with you**

**Be sitting at a table**

**Have your camera turned on**

**Mute your mic**

**Change your background setting**

## Academic Words

symmetry

line segment

line

parallel lines

perpendicular lines

intersecting lines

two-dimensional

angles

main idea

key ideas

theme

character traits

## VOCABULARY WORDS

1. defiant, adj. refusing to obey (58)
2. heroine, n. a woman who is respected for bravery or good qualities (heroines) (61)
3. foil, v. to prevent someone from doing something or achieving a goal (foiled) (63)
4. jeer, n. an insult or put-down (jeers) (63)
5. traitor, n. someone who betrays his or her country, government, or a group he or she belongs to (63)
6. bewitching, adj. charming, captivating, or enchanting (64)
- 7.. abound, v. to be present in large quantities (abounds) (64)
8. dread, v. to look ahead to the future with great fear (66)
9. laden, adj. heavily loaded; carrying large amounts (66)
10. suitor, n. a man interested in marrying a certain woman (66)
11. formidable, adj. extremely powerful; worthy of respect (66)
12. burly, adj. strong and heavy (66)
13. woo, v. to try to get someone to love you (wooing) (67)
14. splendor, n. extreme, awe-inspiring beauty (67)
15. provoke, v. to cause something to happen; to bring out anger in a person or people (provoked) (72)
16. console, v. to comfort or try to make someone feel better and less sad (72)
17. melancholy, adj. sad or depressed (74)
18. skeptical, adj. doubtful (79)
19. revere, v. to respect or honor (revered) (79)

### **More important information:**

- Students are now required to get 45 minutes in of iReady at home so that teachers can optimize instructional time in the classroom. Mrs. Eaves and Mrs. McDill have made assignments on Teams to remind students.
- Your student must pass Reading and Math to be promoted to the 5<sup>th</sup> grade. Students can and will be retained this year. This is a district policy. Students can also fail due to absences. Attendance is still taken on “Distance Learning Days”. If your child is not completing assignments for Reading AND Math on “Distance Learning Days”, they are receiving 3 absences each week.