

# CHALK TALK NEWSLETTER

## 4th Grade Newsletter

### Important Dates:

October 5- Fall Picture Day  
October 6- CLE Choir- Laurel Park- 12:00  
October 9- PTO meeting -5:00- CLE Cafeteria  
October 11- End of 1st 9 weeks  
October 12- Grandparents' Day  
\* 1:50-2:20 CLE Cafeteria  
October 13- Little Cat Color Run  
October 17-18- Parent/Teacher Conferences  
October 19- Flex Day- No School  
October 24- Watchdog Meeting- 6:00  
October 26- PTO School Store  
October 27- CLE Choir- Hendrix- 12:00  
October 31- Halloween/Oct. B-day Snack day

### Week of October 8th-12th

#### Reading:

- \*Reading Comprehension Strategies: Steps that good readers use to make sense of text.
  - \*Making Connections: the text reminds us of something in our life, another book that we have read, or something going on in the real world
  - \*Questioning: Asking questions to help understand the text
  - \*Visualizing: Creating pictures in our head as we read
  - \*Inferring: using our background knowledge along with clues from the text to make an educated guess
  - \*Transform: reading can have an impact on the way we think about something
  - \*Elements of Fiction
  - \*1st 9 weeks Review and Wrap up
- Writing/Grammar:
- \*We will be reviewing sentence structure and how to write a good paragraph.
  - \*use writing rules to revise/edit paragraphs

#### Math:

- \*Metric unit Conversions
- \*Continue practicing Multiplication Facts

#### Activity Time: 8:20-9:10

Bonner: M-Art, T-G.T., W-Library, TH-P.E., F-Music  
Fisher: M-Music, T-Art, W-G.T., TH-Library, F-P.E.  
Krell: M-P.E., T-Music, W-Art, TH-G.T., F-Library  
Tyler: M-Library, T-P.E., W-Music, TH-Art, F-G.T.

Lunch-12:30      Recess-1:00

### Science- Mystery Science Lessons STEM Activities

STEM stands for Science, Technology, Engineering and Math  
Mystery Science: Animals and how they respond to their environment

#### Science

Structure and Functions of Plants/Animals

Social Studies: Voting Rights

### Reminders

- \*Students may bring a water bottle to have in class
- \*Classrooms tend to be a little chilly, so you might have your child bring a lightweight jacket to wear if needed
- \*If your child changes how he/she will go home, please send a note to the teacher and contact the office
- \*Make sure to have car rider tags visible when picking up your child