

# CHALK TALK NEWSLETTER

## 4th Grade Newsletter

### Important Dates:

January 8- School Starts Back for students  
January 11- Report Cards will be sent home  
January 21: MLK Jr Day-No School

Please be sure to have your child read over the break. Ask them questions about what they are reading or watching to spark conversation and have them think more about the content that they are taking in.

Week of January 8th - 11th |

Reading: Informational Text

\*Reading Comprehension Strategies: Steps that good readers use to make sense of text.

- Main Idea
- Drawing Inferences/Questioning
- "Zoom In"
- Making Connections

\*Introduce Nonfiction Text Structures:

- Descriptive
- Cause/Effect
- Problem/Solution
- Sequencing/Chronological Order
- Compare/Contrast

Writing/Grammar:

\*We will be reviewing sentence structure and how to write a good paragraph.

\*use writing rules to revise/edit paragraphs

\*Informational/Explanatory Writing  
Research

### Math:

- Division With Remainders
- Factors and Multiples

And...Keep 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

**SCIENCE:**

Energy

### 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.