## 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Weekly Update

## This Week's Focus

## Reminders

NWEA testing will begin on Monday, September 26th. These tests will be done on the computer, and they will test the studnets knowledeg in language arts, reading and math.

## Spelling Words - Test on Thursday

1.tiger 8.supply 15. title 2.reply 9. tomato 16. pine 3.note 17. overhead 10. stove 4.crow 11 drive 18 chose 5.oak 12. Roll 19. hollow 6.iron 13. below 20. file

14. groan

Challenge Words

7.alike

1. eerie 2. huddle 3. pesky 4. reins 5. squall

**Upcoming Events** 

September 21<sup>st</sup>- Picture Day

Reading-\* Sarah Plain and Tall - This historical fiction piece was a Newbery Award winner and can be found on pages 69-89 in the textbook. If your child has a harder time with comprehension, a great strategy would be to re-read the story before the Reading Quiz on Friday. The students have a S.R.G (Silent Reading Guide) with every story. This guide contains the vocab words that we focus on for the story and questions related to the story.

Religion- Chapter 10-In this chapter students will learn that we follow the Second Commandment by respecting and honoring the name of God. They will also learn that we show that same respect for the name of Jesus, the Son of God.

\*\*\*ROOM 10 Mass on Tuesday.

Math- As we wrap up Chapter 1 ending with Rounding and reviewing place value concepts, continue to explore the variety of online tools. The students now have the password for My Math website

https://connected.mcgraw-hill.com/connected/login.do and IXL math, and Splash Math. Encourage extra practice especially if they say "No Homework" ☺

Social Studies- Students will be taking the Chapter 1 test on Tuesday, September 20<sup>th</sup>. This test will cover the five regions of the United States, the landforms found in the region, the climate, as well as resources found within the region. We will begin Ch. 2 on Wednesday. This chapter will discuss how the United States is a diverse nation made up of people from many different backgrounds, the government of the United States and citizens' right and responsibilities.

Science – Finishing metric system with a Puddle Question homework- due Friday, September 23. We will be exploring Classification of living things, making cell models, and looking at animals in this next chapter. Any samples of pond water for looking at under a microscope would be greatly appreciated We will finish the chapter "Getting Ready for Science" without a chapter test.

Lanuguage Arts- The focus will be on subjects and predicates students will be combinding sentences and correcting run-on sentences.