

Fourth Grade's 8/27/14 Edition of For Your Information...

- -WEDNESDAY FOLDERS ARE DUE BACK EACH FRIDAY!!! Your child will receive a check if his/her folder is not turned in on Friday for failure to "Be Prepared."
- -Please be sure to review and SIGN all papers in the "Return to School" pocket of your child's Wednesday folder. Papers in the "Keep at Home" pocket should be taken out and kept at home.
- -PLEASE NOTE: The start of the school day is 7:40 AM. The TARDY bell rings at 7:55!
- -MANY STUDENTS STILL DO NOT HAVE GLUE, SCISSORS, AND PENCILS. These are required supplies for 4th grade. Please make sure your child has these supplies DAILY. If you are unable to acquire supplies for your child, please let Mrs. Ingram (counselor) or your child's homeroom teacher know so we can help get your child the supplies he/she needs to be successful at school. Beginning next week, if your child does not have the supplies he/she needs for each class, a check may be issued for failure to "Be Prepared."
- -This coming Monday, Sept. 1, is Labor Day and there is NO SCHOOL! ©
- -Progress Reports go home in 2 weeks!! (Wednesday, Sept. 10th)
- -There are still yearbooks in the front office that have not been picked up from last year. Please stop by the front office or have your student come by to pick up all pre-ordered yearbooks. Also, we have yearbooks for sale if you did not buy one last year. The cost is \$20.
- -Please be advised that bus passes will no longer be issued to allow students to "jump buses". Bus passes will only be distributed to students who are new to Hesse and are not in First Student's data base or for emergency purposes which will be evaluated on a case by case basis.

Reading News - Mrs. Thompson - Elizabeth.Thompson@sccpss.com

Skill Work: More Inferencing!

Homework: No vocab - reading comprehension packet to complete instead (due Friday)

AR: Read 15 to 20 mins. a night of AR. GOAL: 15 AR points a Marking Period

Math News - Mrs. Buck - Lindsay.Buck@sccpss.com

<u>Skill Work:</u> This week: Comparing and Rounding Numbers Next week: Centers, word problems, and adding/subtracting multi-digit numbers fluently

Quizzes/Tests: We had a quiz over place value and naming large numbers today (Wednesday)!

Multiplication timed test on Friday!! The fact your child will be tested on can be found on the cover of his/her homework packet. Please make sure your child is practicing multiplication facts EVERY night!

Timed tests will occur EVERY Friday!! Also, as a reminder, your child has math morning work that is turned in EVERY Friday. The back of the morning work is for a GRADE that counts as a quiz/classwork grade (40%). The morning work is in your child's binder ALL WEEK LONG, and yes, YOU can check over it for them!! Your child is also welcome to turn it in to me so I can check over it and help

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them with missed problems before it gets turned in for a grade.

MAP TESTING will begin soon... I will notify you when we are given dates!

<u>Reminders:</u> Visit our math class website for homework, announcements, and LOTS of awesome games to practice what we're learning... http://mrsbucksmathclass.weebly.com - click on the "This Week in Math" tab, then "This Week's Lessons" to see all the games and tutorials related to what we're learning right now!!

ELA News - Miss Brown - Elisabeth.Brown@sccpss.com

<u>Skill Work:</u> We are finishing up our whole group essay this week! We planned, wrote, and are now revising and editing. If your student misses a day, please check my website for the most current copy of the essay, so they won't be behind. We have a vocabulary quiz this Friday. Next week, due to Labor Day, we will have a shortened tic-tac-toe to go along with our ten spelling words. We will continue working on reviewing parts of speech. We are working with pronouns, adjectives, adverbs, nouns, and verbs.

Quizzes/Tests: Vocabulary quiz this Friday!

S.S./Science News - Mrs. Wilkerson - Cecelia.Wilkerson@sccpss.com

<u>Science</u>: We are studying the solar system followed by stages of the moon! When we get to the moon, I am in need of Oreo cookies to model the stages. Please have your student let me know if you can send in a bag of cookies next week. If your child should not eat these after their performance check, let me know. Thank you in advance for your help.

Upcoming Important Dates

Sept. 1 Labor Day Holiday!! ©

Sept. 8 PTA Meeting at 6 PM!

Sept. 10 Progress Reports go home!!

Sept. 25 Student Holiday! (Staff Planning Day)

Sept. 26 Staff/Student Holiday!

Uniform Reminders!!!

-Hunter green or white tops ONLY!
-Jackets must unzip completely and be school colors - NO hoodies or sweatshirts allowed.

