

# "Four" Your Information

About Addison's 4th Grade

Week of September 9 – 13, 2019

# Recading & Language Arts

In ELA we are working on grammar skills. Students continue to develop their narratives. We are revisiting the elements during the process.

Identifying theme will still be our focus. We plan to test by the end of this week and move to the next reading standard.

Vocabulary books will return this week, so we are able to get unit 2 completed before September break.

#### Math.

This week we will be working on addition and subtraction. Students will be expected to regroup with both operations, and to solve word problems.

#### Science/Social Studies

We are moving through the causes leading up to the American Revolution. We will be covering the Boston Tea Party and the Boston Massacre. Prominent people students will need to be familiar with are: King George, George Washington, John Adams, Sam Adams, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, Paul Revere, Crispus Attucks, Thomas Jefferson, and Ben Franklin. After the Declaration of Independence, we're going to war! Students will learn about key battles: Lexington and Concord, Saratoga, Yorktown. It is very advantageous for students to study their notes (SS journal) or Studies Weekly for a short time every day.

## AC Reading & Language Arts

Vocabulary Workshop Unit 2

Study of theme continues with stories across cultures

<u>Sign of the Beaver</u> – Who owns the Land? And Body Biographies

Narrative Writing – Conferencing with Office 365 document sharing.

#### AC Math

We will continue working on Exemplar problems, specifically the explanation portion. We will also be working on addition & subtraction with both whole numbers and decimals.

### Upcoming Dates

Sept. 10 – Firehouse Subs PIE night

Sept. 13 – PTA Family Fun Carnival 5-8pm

Sept. 14 – East Cobber Parade

Sept. 20 – FBI breakfast

Sept. 23 – 27 No School: Fall Break

Oct. 1 – Zabxy's PIE night

Oct. 3 – Picture Day

Oct. 4 – STEM day

#### Reminders!

Due to  $5^{th}$  grade testing,  $4^{th}$  grade will be having specials from 7:55-8:40 Monday through Thursday this week.

Please keep in mind that this is a 4<sup>th</sup> grade newsletter. All classes move at different paces.