

Fourth Grade News

Week of May 8th

Missions are going home this week! Parents, please come, either before school or after school, to help students remove them from the classroom.

If you have not already, please turn in your chocolate fundraising money by the 22nd of May.

Need some summer reading ideas? Visit the book fair all next week!

This week in english we will be looking for story structure and visualizing what we read. This weeks story selections will be *"The Girl Who Loved Spiders"*, *"Web Wise"*, and the poems *"The Spider/Spider Ropes"*. We will be finishing our 5 paragraph essays. In grammar we will be using comparison words.

Spelling words are: Final Schwa + /r/ Sound

enter	banner	sugar	shower	motor	collar
labor	finger	mirror	beggar	favor	bother
fever	doctor	temper	actor	polar	sweater
traitor	whenever				
* calendar	* error	* popular	* barrier	* director	

*challenge words

Vocabulary words are:

peculiar	intends	captured	nourishing	glances
observes	assist	favor	condition	memorable

Also: therm=heat, meter=measure, photo=light, and vac=to be empty

Science: We continue to learn about matter and if time will look at and work with the periodic table.

Math:

We will be learning about decimals. We learned so far about tenths, and hundredths and will learn about thousandths. We will also learn to add and subtract mixed decimals.

History: As we begin the 20th century in our study of California we will be looking at some of the most important changes to the state and country as well as some important events that happened throughout the world.