



WSES ~ 4th Grade

November 2014

Newsletter

What's Up in 4th Grade?

READING: Students continue to the strategies for being a good reader. What does a good reader look like? Students are reading for purpose, making connections and talking about the setting of a story. Students are working on summarizing and analyzing the characters of the stories they are reading.

LANGUAGE: We are continuing Writers' Workshop this month. Students are learning the purpose for writing and the writing process, including brainstorming and graphing their thoughts and ideas. Students are also learning to revise their writing.

SOCIAL STUDIES: Students are concluding studies of Native Americans and will then move into a study of early settlers to Texas.

SCIENCE: Students are working on forms of energy and will be moving into electricity, conductors, and insulators. Students will then begin experimenting with forces.

MATH: Students are learning about multiplying 2, 3, and 4-digit by one digit multiplication and will move into 2-digit by 2-digit multiplication. Keep them studying those facts! ☺

November Dates to Remember

NOVEMBER 3: COATS FOR KIDS DRIVE BEGINS
4TH GRADE FIELD TRIP TO AQUARENA SPRINGS
(MEADOWS CENTER FOR WATER AND ENVIRONMENT)

NOVEMBER 4: SUBS R US TRAINING AT DSES, 8 AM
1ST GRADE FIELD TRIP TO ZACHARY SCOTT THEATER
5TH GRADE STUDENT LED CONFERENCES AT 8 AM

NOVEMBER 5: 3RD GRADE MATH CBA
CAC MEETING, 3:30 PM
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NOVEMBER 6: THANKSGIVING LUNCH, A-L
5TH GRADE SCIENCE CBA
FIRST GRADE MUSIC PROGRAM, 6:45 PM

NOVEMBER 7: THANKSGIVING LUNCH, M-Z

NOVEMBER 11: VETERAN'S PROGRAM, 8 AM – GYM

NOVEMBER 13: PK FIELD TRIP TO HEB

NOVEMBER 14: LAST DAY OF RUNNING CLUB FOR THE FALL SEMESTER
FINAL DAY FOR COATS FOR KIDS DRIVE

NOVEMBER 17: FOOD DRIVE BEGINS
4TH GRADE MATH CBA THIS WEEK

NOVEMBER 18: 3RD GRADE FIELD TRIP TO SAUER BECKMAN FARM

NOVEMBER 19: 3RD GRADE FIELD TRIP TO SAUER BECKMAN FARM

NOVEMBER 20: 3RD GRADE FIELD TRIP TO SAUER BECKMAN FARM

NOVEMBER 21: LITERACY PARADE, 9:00 AM – GYM

NOVEMBER 24 – 28: THANKSGIVING HOLIDAYS!
ENJOY THE TIME WITH YOUR FAMILY!