

Mrs. Sheehan's Classroom News 4th Grade April 9-13th

IB Theme: Reflection



This Week's Learning

Spelling: Spelling words will be passed out on Monday. The children should practice their words using the ideas on the Spelling Contract Sheet or the Spelling Jobs packet that is sent home. They can turn in homework for Class dojo points. Test is on Friday, April 13th.

Reading: This week we will be finishing our reading of "Lunch Money" by Andrew Clements and then taking an end of book comprehension test. Book Clubs have been formed for our Author Study on Roald Dahl. Each book club will be reading a different book by the author and completing information sheets and vocabulary on the book. The books that are being read are "Charlie and the Chocolate Factory", "James and the Giant Peach", "The BFG", and "The Witches".

Writing. We will be using the types of figurative language to begin reading, analyzing and writing our own poetry. Students will be writing many different types of poetry over the next few weeks.

Cursive: The children will be asked to complete more of their work in cursive. The daily work will be given a cursive grade as well as a grade for the assignment.

Religion

Chapter 11, One Holy People. This chapter focuses on we the people of the church. We will look at Pentecost and the gifts of the Holy Spirit that have been given to us.

Star Student

April 30-May4 Olivia Heintzman
May 7-11 Chase Culberson
May 21-25 Nathaniel Skonier

Information and the sheets pertaining to star student are available at any time. They are located below the "I Wonder" bulletin board.

Up Coming Events:

4/13 Father/Daughter Dance in auditorium

4/16 Mass 9:30-10:30

4/17 International Fest in auditorium

4/16-20 Usborne Book Fair

Auction

4/19-4/20 Spring Student Led Conferences:

My homeroom link:

http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0c48aaaa2ea3f49-boucek

4/25

Garden Time 11:15-12:00

5/4-5/5

IB unit of Study

We are finishing our unit on Regions are formed based on shared Characteristics. The children will be presenting their Region Slide Show beginning Monday.

Our next unit, Indigenous people express their culture based on the resources available to them, will begin the week of April 16th. In this unit we will be learning about the early people that lived in these regions and how they met their needs based on the resources available to them.

I will be giving students the opportunity to show me if they have met the challenge to place all fifty states in their correct place on a map on Friday, April 13th.