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Fourth Grade Newsletter

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ENGLISH

Week of November 1st:

- ❖ **Reading:** Moving Into English pages 62-69-The Surprise Party.
- ❖ **Grammar:** Introduce: Language handbook 105-107 complete and simple subjects.
- ❖ **Writing:** Completion of first drafts. Conferencing with teacher and understanding of how to peer edit/self edit. 6+1 traits used and understood in depth. Spelling test on Thursday November 5th.
- ❖ **Spelling:** Spelling words written in spelling practice book every Sunday. Spelling test every Thursday. Spelling test November 5th.
- ❖ Grammar Test November 3rd

Week of November 8th :

- ❖ **Reading:** Moving Into English pages 76-91-City Green.
- ❖ **Grammar:** Introduce: Language handbook 108-110 complete and simple predicates.
- ❖ **Writing:** Conferencing. Revising, editing to be reviewed and understood. 6+1 traits to be used. Publishing of paragraphs.
- ❖ **Spelling:** Spelling words written in spelling practice book every Sunday. Spelling test every Thursday. Spelling test November 12th.

Week of November 15th:

- ❖ **Reading:** Moving Into English pages 92-99-Helping Out
- ❖ **Grammar:** Introduce: Language handbook 111-113 compound subjects and predicates.
- ❖ **Writing:** Completion of final drafts of 6+1 paragraph writing. Understanding how to use and recognize Prefixes and Suffixes.
- ❖ **Spelling:** Spelling words written in spelling practice book every Sunday. Spelling test every Thursday. Spelling test November 19th.

Week of November 22nd :

- ❖ **Reading:** Moving Into English pages 100-107-Getting the Job Done.
- ❖ **Grammar:** Introduce: Language handbook 111-113 compound subjects and predicates.
- ❖ **Writing:** Discuss and write notes about descriptive writing-Paragraphs. Begin class descriptive paragraph. Topic-Kuwait. Prewriting, 6+1 traits to be used. Review of traits and how they can be used in descriptive writing.
- ❖ **Spelling:** Spelling words written in spelling practice book every Sunday. Spelling test every Thursday. Spelling test November 26th.
- ❖ Reading Test November 23rd

MATH

Week of November 1st:

- ❖ Add 2, 3, and 4- digit numbers (Extra worksheets)
- ❖ Subtract 2 and 3- digit numbers (Extra worksheets)
- ❖ Add and subtract 4- digit numbers (Lesson 3: textbook pages 48-49 workbook page: 12)

Week of November 8th :

- ❖ Subtract Across Zeros (Lesson 4: textbook pages 50-51 workbook page: 13)
- ❖ Adding and Subtracting Problem Solving (Extra worksheet)
- ❖ Lines and Rays (Lesson 1: textbook pages 364 & 365 workbook: page 88)

Week of November 15th:

- ❖ Math Test on Tuesday, November 17th (You will find the study guide in the Math copybook)
- ❖ Classify Angles (Lesson 2: textbook pages 366 → 368 workbook: page 89)

Week of November 22nd:

- ❖ Line Relationships (Lesson: 3 textbook pages 370 - 371 workbook: page 90)
- ❖ Classify Triangles (Lesson 2: textbook pages 382 & 383 workbook: page 93)

SCIENCE

Week of November 1st:

- ❖ Physical changes Lesson 4:(selected concepts on textbook pages E44 → E47)
- ❖ Heat Lesson 3: (selected concepts on textbook pages F34)

Week of November 8th:

- ❖ Science Test on November 10th (You will find the study guide in the Science copybook)
- ❖ How Does Light Travel?
- ❖ Light (Lesson 2: Bouncing Light Activity workbook p: 28 – 29)

Week of November 15th:

- ❖ Light (Lesson 3: The Colors of the Rainbow Activity workbook p: 31)
- ❖ Light (Lesson 4: Classifying Materials Activity workbook p: 34)

Week of November 22ns:

- ❖ What Causes Sound? (Textbook p: F54)
- ❖ How Does Sound Travel Through Different Materials? (Textbook p: F56)
- ❖ How Do We Hear Sound? (Textbook p: F57)

Test Dates:

Math Test:

November 17th

Science Test:

November 10th

English Test:

Grammar-November 3rd

Reading-November 23rd

Principal

Grade 4 Teachers

