



Fourth Grade Newsletter

March 2008

ENGLISH

Week of March 2nd:

- ❖ **Reading:** America is..., pages 266-279 in the *Moving into English* textbook.
- ❖ **Grammar:** subject and object pronouns, pages 138-139 in the *Language Handbook*.
- ❖ **Writing:** We will continue working with narrative writing.
- ❖ **Spelling:** Plurals. There will be a spelling test on March 6th.

Week of March 9th:

- ❖ **Reading:** Who's Who in the United States, pages 145-146 in the *Moving into English* textbook.
- ❖ **Grammar:** Adjectives and articles, pages 141-142 in the *Language Handbook*.
- ❖ **Writing:** We will continue working with narrative writing.
- ❖ **Spelling:** Words like answer and motor. There will be a spelling test on March 13th.

Week of March 16th:

- ❖ **Reading:** Puptown Rules, pages 286-295 in the *Moving into English* textbook.
- ❖ **Grammar:** Test on Pronouns. *The test will be on, Wednesday, March 19th. Look for a study guide in your child's homework diary.*
- ❖ **Writing:** We will continue working with narrative writing.
- ❖ **Spelling:** Words like bottle and eleven. There will be a spelling test on March 20th.

Week of March 23rd:

- ❖ **Reading:** Wolf Island, pages 296-309 in the *Moving into English* textbook.
- ❖ **Grammar:** Comparing with adjectives, page 147-148 in the *Language Handbook*.
- ❖ **Writing:** We will continue working with narrative paragraphs.
- ❖ **Spelling:** Compound words. There will be a spelling test on March 27th.
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Week of March 30th:

- ❖ **Reading:** Guess Who, pages 310-317 in the *Moving into English* textbook.
- ❖ **Grammar:** Comparing with adjectives, page 147-148 in the *Language Handbook*.
- ❖ **Writing:** We will continue working with narrative paragraphs.
- ❖ **Spelling:** Words with suffixes. There will be a spelling test on April 3rd.

MATH

Week of March 2nd:

- ❖ Zeros in Division Textbook p: 302 , 304/ workbook p: 74
- ❖ *Math test on Wednesday, March 5th. Look for a study guide in your child's homework diary.*

Week of March 9th:

- ❖ Find Area Text book 630 → 632 + extra worksheet
- ❖ Problem Solving: Choose the operation Textbook p: 176, 177 / workbook p: 45

MATH CONTINUED...

Week of March 16th:

- ❖ Collect and organize data Textbook p: 114 → 116
- ❖ Line graph Textbook p: 138 - 139 / workbook p: 35

Week of March 23rd:

- ❖ Read and write fractions Textbook p: 446 – 447 / Workbook: p: 109
- ❖ Equivalent Fractions Textbook p: 448 → 450 / workbook p: 110

Week of March 30th:

- ❖ Compare and order fractions Textbook p: 452 → 454 / workbook p: 111

SCIENCE

Week of March 2nd:

- ❖ Chapter 13 Lesson 7: How Does Electricity Flow? Pages F78 – F79. We will be learning what an electric circuit is, and what is a closed and an open circuit.

Week of March 9th:

- ❖ Chapter 13 Lesson 7: How Does Electricity Flow? Pages F82 – F83. We will be learning the two types of circuits, series and parallel circuits. *Science test on Wednesday, March 12th. Look for a study guide in your child's homework diary.*

Week of March 16th:

- ❖ Chapter 13 Lesson 8: What is a magnet? F 90 – F 91 We will explore the properties of magnets and magnetic field.
- ❖ Chapter 13 Lesson 8: What is an electromagnet? F 92 We will explore what electromagnets are.

Week of March 23rd:

- ❖ Chapter 13 Lesson 8: How Is Electricity Made? F 94 We will compare electric motors and generators.
- ❖ How Does Current Get to Your Home? F 96 – 97 We will explore how electric current is delivered to our homes.
- ❖ How Can You Use Electricity Safely? F 98

Week of March 30th:

- ❖ *Science test on Wednesday, April 3rd. Look for a study guide in your child's homework diary.*

TESTS THIS MONTH

- ❖ English: Grammar test on Wednesday, March 19th.
- ❖ Math: Math Test on Wednesday, March, 5th
- ❖ Math: Math Test on Wednesday, March, 26^h
- ❖ Science: Test on Wednesday, March 12th.
- ❖ *Science test on Wednesday, April 3rd*



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