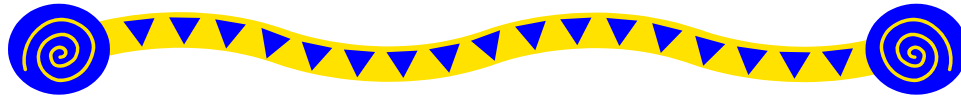


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Fourth Grade Facts

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Ahead...**



December 2016

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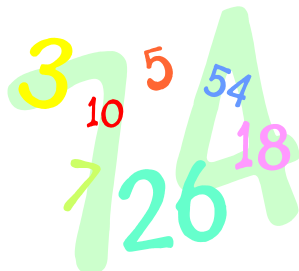
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Math

This month students will be studying division of multi digit numbers (4 digit by 1 digit) using place value. During this time, students will learn a variety of strategies to ensure success. After this unit, students will be solving word problems that deal with intervals of time.

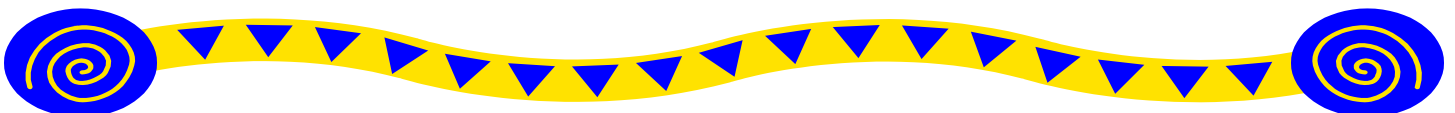


Reading and Writing



Reading—Students are using informational texts to focus on three reading concepts. Students will first use information texts to paraphrase key details in order to summarize what they have read. Following that, students will use evidence from the text to support an author's claims. Students will also be collecting and analyzing information from multiple sources.

Writing— Students are going to be working on an inquiry project in which they develop a club for their school. During this project, students will research all the aspects of running a club/business. Students will then propose their club to Dr. Joseph.

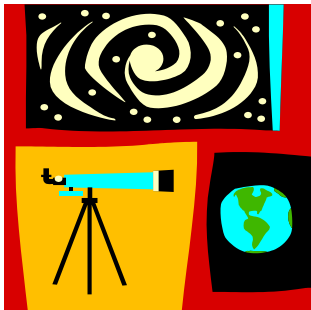


S.S. and Science

Students are continuing their study in Social Studies to start the month focusing on European Explorers, such as Christopher Columbus, Amerigo Vespucci, and Ferdinand Magellan.



Science continues with observations of our Eco columns including what harm pollutants have on the Eco columns. Students will take that learning and translate it to real world problem solving.



Reminders:

- Lunch \$\$ for Accounts
- Please have students attempt all problems on Math Homework.

Cougars of the Month

Congratulations to the following 4th graders for showing excellence in following their ABCs:

Daniella Degbe

Samuel Mendez

Steve Hernandez

Mi'Angel Harrison



Important Dates:

- December 8—Fall Make-up Pictures
- December 15-Winter Choral Concert
- December 26-January 2— Winter Break (No School)

