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# Fourth Grade Facts

**A Look  
Ahead...**

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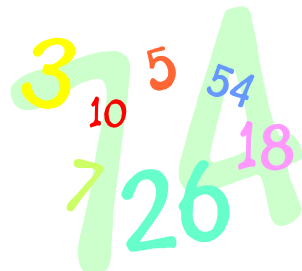
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## Math

Students will start the new year off by solving word problems involving mass, intervals of time, money, and multiplicative comparisons. To begin the 3rd marking period, students will be partitioning number lines to order fractions from least to greatest. They will also be comparing fractions with unlike denominators.



## Reading and Writing



**Reading**—Students are studying informational texts and will use evidence from the text to support an author's claims. Students will also be collecting and analyzing information from multiple sources. Once they have collected the information, they are going to compare the information to come up with a new thought about a concept. Moving into marking period 3, students will be studying Greek Myths.

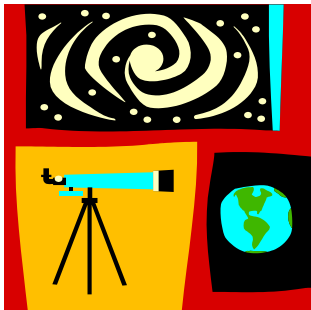
**Writing**— Students are going to be working on an inquiry project in which they develop a club for their school. During this project, students will research all the aspects of running a club/business. Students will then propose their club to Dr. Joseph.

## S.S. and Science

In science, students will be observing and researching how technology and pollution effects our environment, especially the Chesapeake Bay. Students will also be able to identify and describe seasonal weather conditions



In Social Studies, students are going to build their knowledge of the first American settlements. Students will be researching why settlers wanted to leave Europe and come to the new world.



### Reminders:

- Lunch \$\$ for Accounts
- Continue to read 20 minutes a night, and have students study basic multiplication facts daily.

## Cougars of the Month

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

Hanifah Mahmoud

Alaysha Staples

Christian Davis

Chané Rochelle



### Important Dates:

- January 16th- No School
- January 20th- No School
- January 23rd or 24th- 4th Grade Field Trip to Smith Center
- January 26th- Marking Period 2 Ends
- January 27th- No School (Professional Day)
- January 30th- Marking Period 3 Begins

