

## Hello 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Families!

Happy Friday! What a beautiful week we had. Here is a quick snapshot of what we covered:

### Eureka 4: (Grade 4, Module 5)

- **Lesson 18:** Add and subtract more than two fractions.
- **Lesson 19:** Solve word problems involving addition and subtraction of fractions.
- **Lesson 20:** Use visual models to add two fractions with related units using the denominators 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10, and 12.
- **Lesson 21:** Use visual models to add two fractions with related units using the denominators 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10, and 12.
- **Mid Module 5 Assessment**

### Eureka 4/5: (Grade 4, Module 6)

- **Lesson 11:** Compare and order mixed numbers in various forms.
- **Lesson 12:** Apply understanding of fraction equivalence to add tenths and hundredths.
- **Lesson 13:** Add decimal numbers by converting to fraction form.
- **Lesson 14:** Solve word problems involving the addition of measurements in decimal form.
- **Lesson 15:** Express money amounts given in various forms as decimal numbers.
- **Lesson 16:** Solve word problems involving money.

### ELC:

- Students are embarking on a second round of self-directed Literature circles – in which they plan reading schedules and meeting content. We are wrapping up our autobiographies and embarking on our next essay in which will identify connections between the author's life & work. Our spelling theme for this upcoming week is Trigraphs.

### Benchmark:

- We continued our 5th unit: Technology for a Green Future
  - Our essential question for this unit is How do we make decisions about developing new technology?
- We read “Town Tackles Energy Debate,” and discussed the difference between a Solar Power plant and a Natural Gas Plant and how they would both help the town of Hopeville.

- We also read about “Green Transportation Solutions,” and discussed Green Cars like Hybrid Cars and Battery powered Cars and Renewable Fuels like biodiesel and ethanol.

**Social Studies:**

- We learned about St. Augustine, Florida & Maryland’s first settlement at St Mary’s City.

All 4<sup>th</sup> graders will have nightly math and reading homework. We encourage you to set up a homework spot in your home that is stocked with pencils so that your 4<sup>th</sup> grader is ready to review the day's math concepts. Your child should be reading 20 minutes every night. Math homework goes along with the eureka lessons listed above. Any homework assigned in Science, Social Studies, or Health will be assigned at the teachers discretion.

If you have any questions, please let us know.

Sincerely,

The 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Team

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| <div>  <b>Ashburton SGA Kindness Spirit Week</b>  </div>      |                                                                                                                                                                |                                                                                                                                                                                                          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
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| February 13th - February 17th                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                                                |                                                                                                                                                                                                          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| <b>Kick-Off for Kindness</b><br><b>Monday</b><br>February 13                                                                                                                                                                      | <b>Tender-Hearted</b><br><b>Tuesday</b><br>February 14                                                                                                         | <b>Wild For Kindness</b><br><b>Wednesday</b><br>February 15                                                                                                                                              | <b>Thumbs Up</b><br><b>Thursday</b><br>February 16                                                                                                                                                                           | <b>Together Forever</b><br><b>Friday</b><br>February 17                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| <p>Let's get ready to kick-off an amazing week of spreading kindness.</p>  <p>Wear clothing to represent your favorite sport or sports team!</p> | <p>Get even more inspired to be kind to others!</p>  <p>Wear pink or red!</p> | <p>Wanna know a great way to put a smile on someone's face?!</p>  <p>Wear your wackiest and wildest clothing today.</p> | <p>Wow! Thumbs up to you! It is SO easy to be kind. Let's make today even easier.</p>  <p>Wear your pajamas or favorite comfy clothes.</p> | <p>Time for each grade level to come together and remember all of the ways we can be kind to each other forever.</p>  <p>Wear the color that matches your grade level!</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>K - Purple</li> <li>1 - Red</li> <li>2 - Blue</li> <li>3 - Yellow</li> <li>4 - Green</li> <li>5 - Orange</li> </ul> |