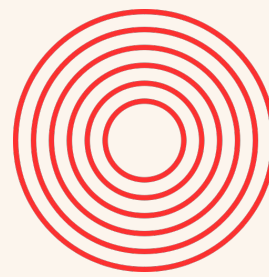


# Fourth Grade Newsletter



## What's Happening This Month

(12-9) Permission Slips Go Home for Field Trip  
(12-13) Reading District Assessment  
(12-16) Math and Science District Assessments  
(12-17) The Houston Children's Museum Comes to Askew! 5:00–6:30pm  
(12-18) Toy Drive Donations Due  
(12-23---1-3) No School Winter Break  
(1-6) No School for Students  
(1-7) First Day of School for Students  
(1-8) Fourth Grade Field Trip to Houston Museum of Natural Science  
(1-20) 3rd Six Weeks Report Cards Sent Home

## What We Are Learning

### Reading:

12/9 - 12/13: Informational Text - main idea and details, making an inference, text and graphic features, and author's purpose

12/16 - 12/20: Elements of a Drama, including plot elements

### Math: Unit 9: Decimal Place Value

SWBAT represent, add and subtract decimals to the hundredth place.

**AOT / Social Studies:** AOT: CT 4.6C Identify

**generalization fallacy** in text or speech and CT

4.6D Identify **ad hominem fallacy** in text or speech

**Strategy:** Watch a show together and ask, "Did they judge everyone or just one person?" or, "Did they focus on the idea or the person?"

SST: SWBAT identify leaders important to the founding of Texas as a republic and state.

**Science:** Patterns on Earth - Explore Renewable and Non-Renewable Resources

## Reminders:

- Visit the PTO website for school updates and activities at [www.AskewPTO.weebly.com](http://www.AskewPTO.weebly.com)
- Join 4th Grade Remind: Text **@askew4thg to the number 81010 (Williams, Black, Humphrey, Scott)** **@askew4t to the number 81010 (Tryon, Epps)** or enter the correct code on the app.
- **We need assistance with translating correspondence that is sent home (Spanish, Pashto, Farsi). If you are available and able to translate, please contact us.**
- Instruction begins at 8:00 am. Students are counted tardy at 8:05 am.

### Attendance

Per the Texas Education Code (25.092) and FEC (LOCAL), a minimum attendance requirement of 90% of class meetings for the award of course credit. Students who have accumulated more than 10% absences in their courses during the school year will have asterisks (NG) printed on their report cards next to the courses in which the excessive absences occurred.

## Contact

4th Grade Planning  
M- F from 12pm to 1pm

## Student Resources

Students are able to practice at home with these  
Clever resources that we use in the classroom

**Amira (reading)**

**BrainPop**

**Zearn (math)**