

4th Grade Rocket Weekly Update

Fourth Grade will be taking a field trip to the Science Museum this Wednesday! If you are bringing a lunch from home, be sure it is in a disposable lunch sack labeled with their name.

You may have noticed that our reading and math homework are starting to resemble OCCT-type questions and that we ask for a parent signature. We highly encourage you to do this homework along with your child to help them and talk through these types of questions that they might see on the real OCCT test in April.

Upcoming Important Dates:

3/8 - Field Trip 3/9 - Spring Open House 5:30-6:30 pm 3/13 - Spring Break Begins! 3/20 - 3/24 - Jump Rope for Heart

Have you signed up to be a part of the John Rex Team for the OKC Memorial Kids Marathon?

Reading/Language-Ms. McCall <u>mmccall@johnrexschool.org</u>

This week in reading, we will be finishing up on our figurative language practice. We will focus on similes, metaphors, hyperbole, **onomatopoeia, alliteration**, and idioms. Students have been practicing a reading skill called UNRAAVEL. For the next three weeks, you will see about 3 reading passages come home that your child needs to UNRAAVEL. Please take the time to sit down with your child to work through each passage. They have been instructed to get these signed or initialed and to return them the next day. Your student will HIGHLY benefit from your guidance and support. The OCCT Reading Test has been bumped up to April 4th and 5th.

HW: No Reading Log until after testing (Your child should still be reading though!) UNRAAVEL reading passages weekly (more info on class dojo)

Math-Mrs. Liles

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This week we are learning about geometry! Angles, shapes, perimeter and volume are what we are taking a look at together.

HW: This week students have 10 questions on fractions that they received in class and are due Friday (no $\frac{1}{2}$ sheet of paper this week).

Science/Social Studies-Mrs. Feagins

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Please check your child's agenda and ClassDojo for the latest in PLTW.