

### 4th Grade Rocket Weekly Update

Thank you for checking out the updates for this week! <u>Parents:</u>

Since the weather is changing, we are seeing students in their fall attire This is to remind you that leggings and socks are to be the solid colors of blue, black, white and brown. Patterns are not part of the uniform. If you have questions regarding the uniform or our uniform policy, please contact Mrs.

Fulmer.

Also, our "Lost and Found" tote is overflowing with jackets and sweaters. Feel free to check the tote which is located by the elevator for your child's clothing. We are also requesting that you put your child's name somewhere on their coats and jackets so we can get them back to their rightful owners. The Salvation Army will be here to pick everything that is left on November 18th.

### **Upcoming Important Dates:**

\*\*NO Fall Parties\*\* 11/16-4th Grade to Devon Ice Skating Rink at 9:45 am 11/28-Bedlam Food Drive begins (details to come soon!) 12/16-Enrichment Cluster Showcase Have you signed up to be a part of the John Rex Team for the OKC Memorial Marathon?

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

We are wrapping up Unit 3 in reading this week. We will continue our focus with Historical Fiction. Students will get a project menu for their reading time. They will also receive a Thanksgiving writing prompt tic-tac-toe sheet. They must complete one row (3 prompts total) by Thursday. Reading logs are due FRIDAY, Nov. 18th. Remember they are turned in every two weeks. Students will not have a log next week. Our next Library day is Tuesday, November 22nd. Please continue to sign up as a chaperone! Thanks!

> **HW:** Nightly Reading Log (Due Friday, November 18th) Writing prompt Tic-Tac-Toe Due Thursday

#### Math-Mrs. Liles wliles@johnrexschool.org

This week we will continue practicing multiplying 2 digits times 1 and 2-digit numbers. If you notice that your student doesn't have their multiplication facts mastered for 1-12, please spend time with them at home working on those facts. I have not sent a new Monday Math this week but students are always encouraged to continue those activities at home. A new Monday Math Sheet will be sent home the Monday following Thanksgiving.

Here's a great idea to to do some math talk over the Thanksgiving break! Ask your students to help with the cooking. Talk to them about if you are having to double or half your recipes and how to measure those ingredients. We will be begin working heavily on fractions soon so that would be a great way to show them fractions in the real world!

**HW:** practice multiplication math facts at home

# Science/Social Studies-Mrs. Feagins jfeagins@johnrexschool.org

This week we will continue our Landforms and Bodies of Water lessons. In the next couple of weeks, we will be making landform dioramas. I need for each student to bring ONE shoe box (Does not matter the size) by November 11th.

Dear Parents,

In order to best serve the needs for our students, we will no longer be using Class Dojo to document points regarding student behavior in the classroom. We **WILL** continue to use the Class Dojo messaging/picture features as a method of communication. Mrs. Feagins homeroom will no longer use Liveschool for points. She will be using Class Dojo for messaging/pictures. Today students were introduced to a new 3-Step Plan for incorrect behavior.

**Step 1:** Students will be given a nonverbal or verbal reminder by the teacher.

**Step 2:** Students will verbalize to the teacher what they are doing incorrectly and what the behavior looks like when done correctly.

**Step 3:** If the incorrect behavior continues, the student or teacher will write in the agenda. <u>It is VERY important that parents are checking student agendas and signing them nightly as this is where the behavior will be documented.</u> If the student receives a mark in their agenda and it is not signed the following day by a parent, a call home will be made. Students that receive excessive marks in their agenda will call home and report their behavior. Discipline referrals will be written for repeated offenses, as necessary.

We will be tracking and rewarding good behavior and kindness as well! Ask your student about the **Fuel Up Rocket beads**!