

**Subject:** Weekly 4th Grade News (5/6/2019)

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Happy Sunday Families!

"Your mind is a garden. Your thoughts are the seeds. You can grow flowers or you can grow weeds." I hope you guys are enjoying Cinco de Mayo. We just left off of an exciting week and jumping into another one. The field trip was a success. Thank you to all the chaperones who volunteered their time. It made my job that much easier. Field Day is this week and 4th grade is ecstatic. In last Friday's email, I sent you more information about this event. We will be tie dying shirts on Tuesday. We ask that all students bring in a white t-shirt by Tuesday. This can be old or new. Dollar Tree is known for carrying plain t-shirts and one parent reported a sale at Wal-Mart for \$2. Let me know if you need assistance getting a shirt.

I am still missing a host of grades from a lot of you. Please check your child's daily folder every Thursday.

I wish you all fabulous weeks ahead. Make the best of it!

Here is your weekly news:

**Important Dates:**

**Tuesday, May 7th-** Tie Dying Field Day shirts

**Wednesday, May 8th** -Ch. 10 Math retest (all students scoring less than a 70 \*see grade packet\*  
-Light and Sound Energy Quiz

**Thursday, May 9th** - Field Day

**Friday, May 10th** - Civil War Retest (students scoring less than a 70)

**May 13th - May 20th** - State Testing

**Looking Ahead:**

**Friday, May 31st** - 4th Grade Award Ceremony -10am

**4th Grade Happenings:**

**Math-** In math, we will continue with Ch. 11-Customary Measurements. This week we will continue converting units. Several math books came home this weekend. On Friday, we will have a review session preparing us for state testing.

**Writing-** In writing, students will be creating their own stories choosing from a list of characters, settings, and conflicts. We will also be looking at the TDA rubric and analyzing different writing samples using the rubric.

**ELA-** In reading, we will be integrating PBL by reading and answering comprehension questions based off of Sound Energy. In grammar, we will be reviewing common nouns, verbs, and adverbs. For spelling, we will be doing things differently this week. Our theme for spelling is field day. We will distribute field day words on Monday. Instead of a quiz, we will compete in a Sparkle game: Battle of Royale. Spelling words: **outside, running, sweat,**

**games, teamwork, hot, sunscreen, stations, relays, and laughing.**

**PBL-**

In PBL, we have been learning about light and sound energy during our PBL and reading block. The students have truly enjoyed learning this new content. We will continue reviewing and researching this week on sound. On Wednesday, there will be a light and sound energy quiz.

Parents let me know if you have any questions or concerns about any 4th grade happenings. I look forward to an awesome week ahead and I wish you all a fantastic week.

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