

WHAT IS MY CHILD LEARNING IN 4TH GRADE?

WHEN YOUR CHILD IS ENGAGING IN MORNING WORK, HE/SHE IS ...

- Becoming part of a classroom community through sharing, journal writing, and team building activities.
- Developing a growth mindset and setting goals.
- Preparing for the day and organizing homework/materials.

IN LANGUAGE ARTS, WE WILL...

- Read and discuss several novels and short stories while focusing on reading skills and strategies
- Learn to write a five-paragraph essay
- Focus on key vocabulary and spelling
- Use text to explain our responses to discussion questions

IN MATHEMATICS, WE WILL...

- Add, subtract, and understand place value with numbers up to one million.
- Learn multi-digit multiplication and division.
- Add, subtract, multiply, compare, and order fractions.
- Solve multi-step word problems.
- Justify and/or explain our answers.

IN SOCIAL STUDIES, WE WILL...

- Learn about United States geography with a focus on culture, climate, landmarks and landforms of the five regions.
- Use primary and secondary sources to examine slavery and the Civil Rights Movement.
- Research the structure of the United States government.
- Explore the history of immigration to the United States.
- Understand basic economics and the importance of financial literacy.

IN SCIENCE, WE WILL..

- Learn about the layers of the earth, plate tectonics, weathering, erosion and the rock cycle.
- Study the major body systems and their functions and components.
- Identify renewable and nonrenewable resources and the pros and cons of each.
- Discuss the importance of sustainability.

IN 4TH GRADE, WE WILL BE AMAZING!

