

April NEWSLETTER

WHAT ARE WE LEARNING?

Reading: Students are working on their reading comprehension skills which include classifying and categorizing, clarifying, summarizing & identifying causes/effects. We are finishing up our unit on our changing nation. We will begin our unit on animals and their habitats later this month.

Writing: Students are learning how to write a variety of narrative pieces, including realistic narratives and fantasies.

Grammar: Students are learning about comparative and superlative adjectives and adverbs. They will also be working on improving their editing skills.

Spelling: Students are reviewing their spelling patterns for diphthongs. This is when two vowels work together to make a new sound! They will also be learning to spell words with a variety of suffixes including -y, -ly, -ment, and -ive.

Math: Students are learning geometry concepts. They will learn about polygons, perimeter, and area.

IMPORTANT DATES

- April 7-16 - Spring Break!
- April 26 - Early Dismissal

The students will begin the Smarter Balanced Assessment in May. More information will be coming soon!

REMINDERS

PLEASE REMEMBER:

- Bring weather appropriate clothing (jackets, sweaters,, etc.) for outdoor recess. Check the weather forecast daily.
- Bring your water bottle every day!

