

4th Grade Summit Newsletter

Teachers: Mrs. Ingle & Miss Hwang

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School Calendar Link:

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Library Schedule

Hwang has library on Mondays

Ingle has library on Thursdays

*Please note: Specialist Schedules
Change Weekly*

Ingle's Specialist Schedule

Monday	PE
Tuesday	Fitness
Wednesday	Music
Thursday	PE
Friday	Fitness

Hwang's Specialist Schedule

Monday	Fitness
Tuesday	Music
Wednesday	PE
Thursday	Fitness
Friday	Music

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Dear Families,

We hope you had a great Spring Break with your families. We are back in the full swing of things. We hope you are enjoying the weather as much as we are.

You are all cordially invited to attend our annual Invention Convention/Science Fair on May 12, 2016, in the gym from 6:30 – 7:45 p.m. Students are looking forward to sharing their inventions with you.

Best regards,

Miss Hwang and Mrs. Ingle

Learning Targets & Activities for the Week

The 7 Habits: Sharpen the Saw: I take care of my body by eating right, exercising, and getting plenty of sleep.

Reading:

- Students are reading AR books of their choice; as well as, tracking their own monthly AR progress. Students are required to earn 30 points and receive a **passing score of 80%** on their AR tests for at least 6 nonfiction books at BL 3.0 or higher and 3 fiction books at BL 4.0 or higher each trimester. Trimester 3 includes the months of March, April, and May. **Happy Reading!**
- Miss Hwang's class is reading "Shiloh" by Phyllis Reynolds Naylor, and Mrs. Ingle's class is reading "Streams to the River, River to the Sea: A Novel or Sacagawea" by Scott O'Dell.

Math:

- Students should be practicing their math facts, daily, for 15 minutes. Please check in with your child about the progress he/she is making on her facts. It is the goal for all students to complete all math facts by June.
- Students are finishing up their Division Unit in class. We will review on Monday, and take our posttest on Tuesday next week. Please check in with your child to see if there are any revisions or math assignments that need to be completed over the weekend.

Social Studies:

- **Scholastic News Magazines**
- **Writing:**
- Students are working on a new narrative that requires using 3 resources of researched information. We have been working on taking notes while reading through each source carefully. We will be planning and drafting in class next week.

Science: Magnetism & Electricity

- **Breaking the Force:** Students used a balance and large washers to measure the force of attraction between two magnets. Students investigated the force of attraction and learned that the greater the distance between two magnets the less magnetic force.
- **Detecting the Force of Magnetism:** Students explored ways to detect magnetic force, and make it visible using things such as a compass and iron filings.
- **Lighting a bulb** – a D-cell is a source of electrical energy. A bulb is an energy receiver that produces light. A circuit is a pathway which electrical energy flows.
- **Making a motor run** – a motor is an energy receiver that produces motion. A switch is a device that opens and closes a circuit. A schematic diagram is a representation of a circuit that is used for recording and communicating with others.