



Mrs. Brouillard's 4th Grade News

January 2025

Our class has been working hard and learning many new things. Please be sure to check your child's folder daily so you can see all the things that they have accomplished. Their planner goes home daily and all assignments and upcoming tests are noted in them.

Language Arts

In Language Arts, we continued working with nouns and focused on singular, plural, common and proper nouns. Possessive nouns were also reviewed. We are currently finishing up a unit on verbs, helping verbs, linking verbs, and subject and verb agreement. Students are working on building and improving their writing skills. They use their chrome books to expand their vocabulary and replace frequently used words with new ones.

Science

We have completed our unit on forces and energy and will be applying concepts that we learned as we begin to explore how we use energy. Students will be learning how energy can be moved from place to place through sound, light, and electric currents. Renewable and nonrenewable energy resources will also be discussed.

Social Studies

We are wrapping up our unit on the Northeast region and will begin learning about the Southeast region. We will be studying the landforms, bodies of water, resources, important people and weather in this region. The students are enjoying learning about our beautiful country.

Math

Students have completed the unit on multiplying by 2-digit numbers. They have learned a variety of strategies to solve multiplication problems which include area models, the FOIL method, and the standard algorithm. It is important for students to have their facts memorized as they will continue to be used as new math concepts are introduced. We started our next unit and will explore how multiplication and division are related. Students will use models and estimation to begin division and then will use long division to divide by 1-digit divisors.