# 4<sup>TH</sup> GRADE NEWSLETTER

#### What's ahead...

## **Reading & Language Arts**

Since this week is a shorter week I intend to introduce narrative writing to the students. We will use class time to write our own personal narratives. Final drafts will need to be typed. More details will be provided as we progress. I look forward to exploring the art of writing with fourth grade!

#### **Mathematics**

We will continue with our unit and move on to different strategies for subtracting whole numbers. Students struggled with the adding earlier this week and I advise all parents to encourage students to do the homework and come in prepared to ask questions if he/she is struggling. Also complete the iready assignemnts as they help reinforce the material. We will have a quiz on this lesson on Friday, October 10.

### Science/Social Studies

We just finished our chapter in social studies about the vast regions of the United States. We will review on Monday and have a **test on Tuesday, October 7.**Then, we'll watch a documentary about Hurricane Katrina on Thursday. We'll discuss how the region was prone to such a natural disaster, the climate of the region, and the lessons learned as a nation after this tragedy.

#### October 6- October 10

#### **Spelling words**

No spelling words this week! We'll be using all of reading and langauge arts time for narrative writing!

# **Upcoming Events**

OCT

8 School Field Trip

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Indigenous People's

Day

No school!

#### **Upcoming Test/Quizzes**

Social Studies Test on Tuesday, October 7
Spelling test on Friday, October 10
Math Quiz on Friday, October 10
Please have iready set up and ready for useage on a device at home