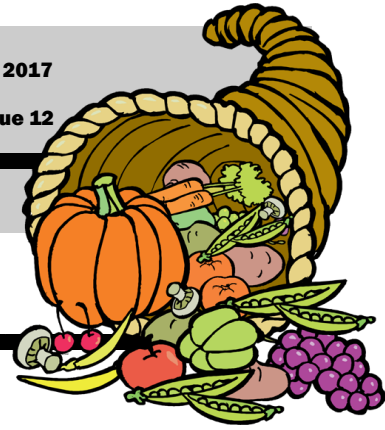


The Fourth Grade Times



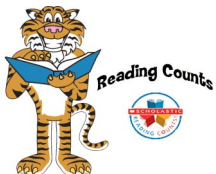
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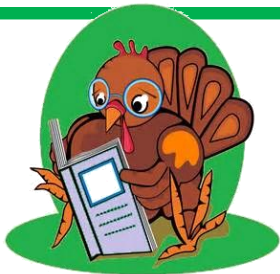
Singular and Plural Possessive Nouns

- A **possessive noun** is a noun that names who or what has something.
- Add an apostrophe and s ['s] to form the possessive of most singular nouns.
- Add an apostrophe ['] to form the possessive of plural nouns that end with s.

Add an apostrophe and s ['s] to form the possessive of plural nouns that do not end with s.



All students must have earned 25 cumulative Reading Counts points by Thursday, November 30th. A grade will be recorded in the grade book on that day.



Literacy Dates to Remember

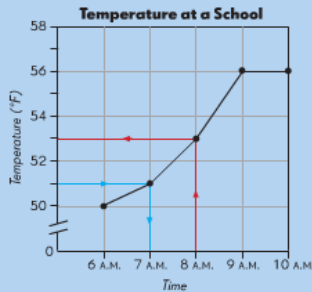
Day 1: Monday, November 13th - Unit 2, Lesson 4 will begin.

Day 6: Monday, November 20th - Unit 2, Lesson 4 will be tested.

Thursday, November 16th	Friday, November 17th	November 22nd - November 27th	Thursday, November 30th	December 11 - December 15
4th grade Symphony Field Trip Pittsburgh Symphony appropriate dress required.	Holiday Shop Lists and Money are due. 	Thanksgiving Break No School 	25 Reading Counts Points Due 	Holiday Shop Shopping Week HOLIDAY SHOP 

The Chapter 4 Math test will be given on Monday, November 13th.

Line Graphs



- The lowest temperature was recorded at 6:00 A.M.
- There was no change in temperature from 9:00 A.M. to 10:00 A.M.

Choose an Appropriate Graph

- A bar graph is useful for comparing data, especially when the numbers are large.
- A picture graph is useful for comparing data when the numbers are small, and are multiples of a certain number.
- A line graph is used to show how data changes over time.



Tables

Make and Interpret a Table

Make a table from data provided in the form of a tally chart or bar graph.
Example

Bicycle Sales

Day	Tally
Monday	
Tuesday	
Wednesday	
Thursday	
Friday	

Bicycle Sales

Day	Bicycle Sales
Monday	5
Tuesday	6
Wednesday	10
Thursday	1
Friday	3

- On Wednesday, 4 more bicycles were sold than on Tuesday.
- Twice as many bicycles were sold on Tuesday than on Friday.

Using a Table

Data in a table is organized by rows, columns, and intersections.

Favorite Sports of a Group of Students

Sport	Number of Boys	Number of Girls	Total Number
Football	10	6	16
Basketball	12	8	20
Swimming	9	11	20

- 2 more girls than boys like swimming.
- The total number of students who like basketball is 20.

Fractions



Naming wholes and parts of a whole using fractions and mixed numbers, and adding and subtracting fractions and mixed numbers are the two main focuses of this chapter.

- ✓ Students extend their knowledge of multiplication and division facts to rename improper fractions and mixed numbers.
- ✓ Students work with fractions to prepare them for decimals in later chapters.

numerator—the number above the fraction bar, that shows the number of equal parts of the whole or set

denominator—the number below the fraction bar, that shows how many equal parts the whole or set is divided into

equivalent fraction—fractions with different denominators but the same value, for example, $\frac{1}{2}$ and $\frac{3}{6}$

unlike fraction—fractions with different denominators

mixed number — the sum of a whole number and a fraction, for example $2\frac{2}{5}$

simplest form — a fraction in simplest form has no common factors in the numerator and denominator

improper fraction — a fraction whose numerator is greater than its denominator, for example

$\frac{13}{4}$

Our class will begin this chapter on
Tuesday, November 14th.

4th GRADE FUNDRAISER



Each year, it has been a tradition for the 4th grade to use “Celebration of Learning” as a fundraiser at West View Elementary. Money raised is specifically for your 4th grader as they progress for the next two years, it is used to offset the cost of these fantastic traditions: The Veterans Day Parade, Track and Field Day, 6th Grade Graduation and Class Trip, Class Sweatshirts and Gym Uniforms as they head to Middle School. During this year’s “Celebration of Learning” on Thursday, December 7th the 4th grade will be selling baked goods, pizza, Chic Fil A sandwiches, chips, drinks, and a few other items.

We ask that each family with a child in 4th grade please donate a baked good that will serve **at least** 12 people. It would be much appreciated if the baked goods could be individually wrapped for easy sale in \$.50 - \$1 quantities. These items can be homemade or purchased.

Secondly, We NEED and GRATEFULLY appreciate a half hour or more of your time during “Celebration of Learning” to assist with the sale of baked goods and concessions!

If you have any questions please call:

Lori Marvill (267)664-7326

Caroline Mayer (412)716-4030

Please send in the baked good with your child the morning of either Wednesday, December 6th or Thursday, December 7th. A parent volunteer will collect them from homerooms.

Bake Sale Sign Up Sheet:

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B0D4BACAB2FA0FB6-fourth>

Concession Stand Volunteer Schedule Sign Up Sheet:

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b0d4bacab2fa0fb6-celebration>