



# Growing in 4th News

Room 205

April 13, 2018

## Notes from Miss Anderson

- \* In **Reading**, we read greek mythology stories as well as fables. In addition to identifying the myth's themes, allusions, and pattern of events, we practice comparing and contrasting folktales.
- \* In **Writing**, wrote an opinion piece based on The Fisherman and the Little Fish and The Fox and the Grapes.
- \* In **Math**, we finished our unit on decimals and took our decimal math test. Next week, we will begin our focus on customary and metric conversions.
- \* **PARCC** testing will finish up next week. We have one more math test left!
  - \* **Monday, April 16 from 8:10 - 9:30**
- \* There will be no spelling lists for the weeks we are PARCC testing. I have spoken with the class about the importance of having a good night's sleep and eating a good breakfast before testing.
- \* **Spring Cleanup** in Meadowview's Outdoor Classroom will be on Sunday, May 6, 3:30-5:30. Any questions, call Jessica Albert 847-223-2369
- \* Sign up at : <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0449aaa82ca5fc1-meadowview>
- \* Have a wonderful weekend!

## This Week's Focus

### **Reading:**

- I can identify the theme of a myth and the meaning of an allusion.
- I can compare and contrast folktales.
- I can support my thinking with details from the text.

### **Writing:**

- I can write an opinion piece.

### **Math:**

- I can use my understanding of place value to solve word problems that involve fractions.
- I can show my work and do my personal best.

### **Science:**

- I can explore light reflection using mirrors.
- I can observe how light transmitted through different mediums affects what I am able to see.

### **Social Studies:**

- I can research the Southwest Region of the United States.

## Upcoming Events

April 20 - PARCC Celebration  
April 27 - Half Day

## Respectful Citizens

Camila, Will, Brayan, and Sophia

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