



# Growing in 4th News

Room 205

April 6, 2018

## Notes from Miss Anderson

- \* In **Reading**, we read greek mythology stories. Students identified the myth's themes, allusions, and pattern of events.
- \* In **Writing**, wrote an opinion piece based on The Tale of Arachne.
- \* In **Math**, we explored how decimals relate to fractions. Students identified where to place decimals on a number line. They also worked on comparing decimals. Our next math test is next Wednesday.
- \* PARCC testing began this week. We have completed the reading portion of the test and will begin the math portion next week. Here is the schedule of our math testing dates:
  - \* Monday, April 9 from 8:10 - 9:30
  - \* Tuesday, April 10 from 8:10 - 9:30
  - \* Thursday, April 12 from 9:45 - 11:30
  - \* 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.
- \* Have a wonderful weekend!

## Upcoming Events

April 2 - April 20 - PARCC Testing  
April 11 - Late Start (School begins at 9:20)  
April 13 - Woodland Day  
April 20 - PARCC Celebration

## Respectful Citizens

Aadil and Mia

## This Week's Focus

### **Reading:**

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

### **Writing:**

- I can write an opinion piece.

### **Math:**

- I can relate fractions and decimals.
- I can locate and describe fractions and decimals on number lines.
- I can compare decimals by reading about their size.
- I can use equivalence to add and subtract fractions with denominators of 10 and 100.
- I can use equivalence to use fractions or decimals to solve word problems involving money.

### **Science:**

- I can explore light reflection using mirrors.

### **Social Studies:**

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

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