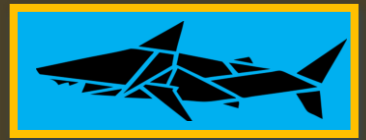




# Grade 4 News



## Welcome to the Shark Tank!

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### Q4: How We Change the World



Quarter 4 is well underway as the 4<sup>th</sup> graders are researching information about the subject of their biographies. Through their research, they are inferring their subject's character traits.

In Math, the students are identifying lines, points, segments, & rays. They are also sorting and classifying triangles and quadrilaterals. Soon, they will also be finding lines of symmetry in shapes and solving pattern problems.

In Point of Inquiry, the students are constructing arguments and finding evidence for how adaptations help animals to survive and thrive in particular environments.

#### Homework Policy

- Grade 4 students will have homework every school day.
- Students will write their homework every day in their own personal planner.
- Parents should sign their child's planner EVERY NIGHT to ensure that homework is being done.
- Grade 4 students will do some homework online using various websites: IXL, Readworks, Raz-Kids

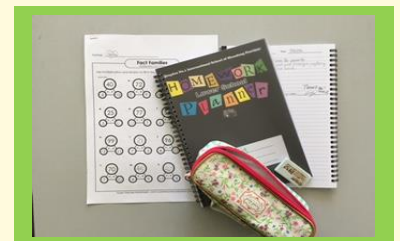
#### Upcoming Dates

- **May 16** → Last Day of ASAPs
- **May 21-22** →  $\frac{1}{2}$  Day - Student-Led Conferences
- **May 28** → PEP Talk
- **May 6** → Key Assignment Day
- **May 7** → NO SCHOOL - Dragon Boat Festival

#### Device & Technology Policy

- Students should bring electronic devices EVERY DAY for instructional purposes.
- Devices such as cell phones, I-pads, tablets, or laptops are acceptable.
- Students should leave their devices in their cubby inside the classroom for secure storage.
- Students are responsible for THEIR OWN DEVICES.

### Daily Student Required Materials



- Bring a **healthy** snack to school every day: fruit, dried fruit, crackers, cut vegetables, seaweed, small sandwiches.
- Bring a bottle of water to class every day.
- Bring **PLANNER, HOMEWORK and MATERIALS** every day.