

# Grade 4 News



## Welcome to the Shark Tank!

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## Q4: How We Change the World



Quarter 4 is wrapping up with the  $4^{th}$  graders writing their biographies about people who have made positive impacts on the environment. They are applying their skills of inferring character traits to write about the character traits of their biography subject.

In Math, the students are measuring and drawing angles using protractors and solving angle measurement problems. Soon, we will begin finding the area and perimeter of combined rectangles.

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 28 → PEP Talk
- May 31 → ALL LIBRARY BOOKS DUE
- June 6 → Key Assignment Day
- June 7 → NO SCHOOL -Dragon Boat Festival
- June 10  $\rightarrow$  Sports Day
- June 12  $\rightarrow \frac{1}{2}$  Day LAST DAY OF SCHOOL

### 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 or 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.