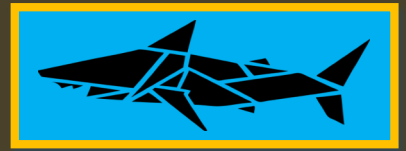




# Grade 4 News



## Welcome to the Shark Tank!

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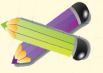
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## How China Changed the World



Grade 4 is beginning to learn about the Silk Road and how Chinese inventions improved people's lives. Moreover, we are starting our experiments to explore how energy works.

In Literacy, the students are starting to plan and write fictional narratives. They are reading fables, myths, and legends about how things came to be.

In math, we are continuing to learn skills for multiplication and multi-step word problems.

### 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

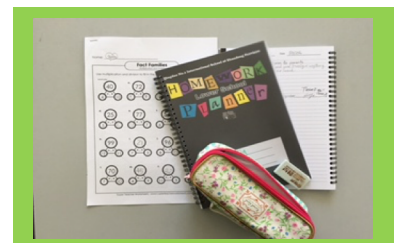
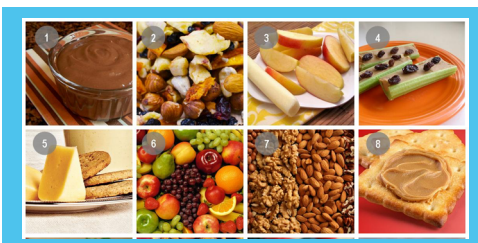
### Upcoming Dates

- October 31 → Halloween
- November 10 → QISS Chess Invitation
- November 14 →  $\frac{1}{2}$  Day - 1:00PM Dismissal
- November 20 → PEP Talk
- November 21 → Quarter 2 Progress Reports / Talent Show

### 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.