



4th Grade Newsletter

TCA- East Elementary
In Our Curriculum

October 23, 2023

Important Dates

Oct. 27 Medieval Day

Oct. 27 4th grader will perform their Grandparent's Day song during assembly.

Nov. 3 Titan Buddy Denim Day

According to PBS.org, Self-control means being able to resist immediate temptations and avoid acting on impulse in order to achieve more important goals, such as learning or being kind.

Parents,

We have had multiple conversations with our students to help them discover the importance of self-control. Please partner with us through conversations at home as we teach this skill to our students.

Medieval Day is coming!!!

Dressing in period clothing is a big part of our curriculum days. We do ask that **no swords** (even cardboard) be brought as part of the costume.

Spelling– We will enter list 5 this week. The test will be Friday before we begin the Medieval Day festivities and it will include a written narration of rule 10.

Math– We begin Chapter 5, Division. The chapter 5 summary is on the TCA East webpage. Check it out [here!](#)

Writing– Students will have to opportunity to independently summarize a narrative using a story sequence chart.

Reading– We continue reading Robin Hood by David Calcutt in literature. We, also, continue with The Hobbit by J.R.R. Tolkien as our read aloud book.

History– This week we will fill out a study guide for the Middle Ages unit in preparation for the test given on Oct. 30 and 31.

Science– We continue with our unit on Investigating Waves.

Grammar– In Fix It! Grammar, students will identify action verbs as they copy sentences into their notebook.

Poetry Monthly Recitation– October's recitation is *Humanity* by Elma Stuckey.

Rule 10:
Add another final consonant to 2 syllable words ending in one consonant and one vowel.
(be gin + ning)

"Appreciation is a wonderful thing. It makes what is excellent in others belong to us as well."
~ Voltaire

Spalding for Parents Class

Thursday Evenings

Oct. 26th and Nov. 2nd

5 pm – 8 pm

TCA Central Campus

1655 Springs Crest Road

During this two-session class, you will learn phonograms, spelling rules, comprehension strategies, and ways to support your child in reading and writing.

The cost for the class is \$10. Please register at TCA's Pay School Events by October 20th.

[Sign up here.](#)

If fewer than 10 participants have registered for the class by October 20th, the class will be cancelled, and all money refunded.