## Save The Date

Field Trips and Important Events in Fourth Grade

## August 24

Open House & PTO

Meeting

# <u>September</u>

4th Grade Fundraiser TBA

## September 25

Portfolio Conference

# **October**

4th Grade Boo Grams

**Fundraiser** 

# December 14

Winter Celebrations

# March 21

Wild Florida Field Trip

# April 26

Archeology Day

## May 20

Academy Awards

## **AR/SMAD Deadlines**

#### October 13- Deadline #1

October 20: AR Celebration

"Rock Star"

### December 8- Deadline #2

December 13: AR Celebration "Holiday Hoopla"

#### March 6- Deadline #3

March 8: AR Celebration
"Twin Day"

## May 8- Deadline #4

May 10: AR Celebration
"Color Wars"

To make the AR goal each 9 weeks, students must:

-meet their AR point goal

-have an overall avg of 80% for that 9 weeks

-read 5 Non-Fiction books and pass each with at least an 80%

## AR Ribbon/Medallion/Trophy

To receive end of the year AR awards, students must earn: their AR Goal all 4 nine weeks/100 points/115 points, respectively by the last AR deadline with an overall comprehension avg of 80% for the school year.

#### **SMAD**

SMAD deadlines are the same as the AR deadlines. SMAD is a personal challenge and is not graded ©

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4th Grade Parent Information 2023-2024

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## **Infractions**

Both behavior and responsibility infractions are recorded in the front of the Agenda and require parent signature.

## **Celebrations**

Celebrations are given based on the IB Learner Profile attribute that was exemplified by the student. These are awarded through Class Dojo. These attributes are:

Inquirer

Knowledgeable

Thinker

Communicator

Principled

Open-minded

Caring

Courageous

**Balanced** 

Reflective

## **SMAD Ribbon/ Medallion/Trophy**

SMAD Ribbon: pass all 4 levels of  $4^{th}$  grade SMAD.

SMAD Medallion: pass all 4 levels of 4<sup>th</sup> grade AND 5<sup>th</sup> grade SMAD

SMAD Trophy: pass all 4 levels of 4<sup>th</sup> grade, 5<sup>th</sup> grade AND 6<sup>th</sup> grade SMAD or higher.

SMAD for 4th grade goes in this order

Level 1: Multiplication 7 minutes

**Level 2:** Division 7 minutes **Level 3:** Addition 6 minutes

**Level 4:** Subtraction 6 minutes

**5<sup>th</sup> grade level** SMAD is 5 minutes per level and it drops down 1 minutes per grade level going on afterwards.

## **Homework**

**Reading-** 30 minutes daily reading and supporting homework.

**Math-** MMR (mini math review) and assigned Math Practices pages.

## **Agendas**

Please be sure to read and sign your child's Agenda each day. Students write their homework, as well as important events and dates on the weekly pages.

The weekly report (towards the front of the Agenda) is signed at the end of each week.

# International Baccalaureate Units of Study

#### **Unit 1- How the World Works**

Central Idea: Knowledge Gives Us Power to Affect Our World

## **Unit 2- How We Express Ourselves**

Central Idea: People Form and Express Their Opinions in Many Ways

## Unit 3- Sharing the Planet

Central Idea: People Are Responsible for Sharing and Protecting Our Planet

### Unit 4- Where We Are in Place & Time

Central Idea: The Past Shapes Us

## Unit 5- Who We Are

Central Idea: Our Actions Make a Difference

# Unit 6- How We Organize Ourselves

Central Idea: Industries Affect Local Economies

