



# Miss Kelley's 4<sup>th</sup> Grade News

Week #31: April 30 – May 4

## The Headlines

### **Next week in:**

**Math** – Subtraction with Borrowing; Borrowing with Uncommon Denominators; Changing Mixed Numbers to Improper Fractions; Multiplying Fractions;

**Science** – Begin Oceanography: The Paths of the Seas; The Continental Shelf and Slope; Ocean Floor and Open Ocean; Exploring the Sea; Salt and Waves

**History** – Southern Life; **Test**

**Bible** – John 19:1-42 “We will live forever free because Jesus beat death”

### **Recap**

\* Everyone has been working SO hard this whole week- I am so proud of each and every one of them!! They did a wonderful job working hard and doing their best.

\* That being said, I am also glad we are able to get back to our normal week again- we only have about 5 of them left! That is crazy to me. I have LOVED this group of 4<sup>th</sup> graders this year, and I can't believe it's already almost time for me to send them off the Middle School!

### **Math Update**

\* I am sending home a Math Packet in the folders today. We are going to condense and bypass Unit 10 in the book so that we are able to continue deeper into fractions before summertime comes. Unit 10 is designed as a good review unit, as you will see. We will continue reviewing subtracting fractions in class, but I wanted to freedom to move on as well. My hope is to have them exposed to more fraction processes and be even more ready for Middle School math by the time the year ends.

\* Please use this packet as an extra resource and opportunity to practice! Even though it is review, I strongly recommend doing the work...the more they practice, the stronger their fraction/math foundation.

\* Please let me know if you have any questions.

### **Reading**

\* I am sending home another set of (replacement) BA forms. (These are different from the two that are due Tuesday). These will be due May 24<sup>th</sup>. As a reminder, a different book is required for each form (as in 2 books for these 2 forms).

## Next Week's Homework and Events

\*Please note that this list does not include homework assigned from Mrs. Tosspon.

### Monday, April 30

~ History Study Guide due

### Tuesday, May 1

### Wednesday, May 2

~ BA forms due

~ No Homework Help

\* THANK YOU for covering class and allowing us this special time as faculty <3

### Thursday, May 3

~ History Test

~ National Day of Prayer

~ Extended Break - *thank you Hensley Family!*

### Friday, May the 4<sup>th</sup> be with you

~ Chapel at 10:00am

\* Volunteer Appreciation Chapel - *we'd love to see you there!!!*

### Coming Up:\*

\* April Study Hours due May 7

\* Move up Day May 9

\* Muffins with Mom May 11 - 9am

\* Library books due May 14

\* Science Test May 14

\* April/May Family Activity and Verse May 15

\* Math Test #11 May 17

\* Clean Up Day May 25 (*please bring in a large shopping bag to take home supplies*)

**List 29 Spelling Words:**

destruct, destruction, describe, description, decorate, decoration, divide, division, administer, administration, populate, population, infect, infection, punctuate, punctuation, attend, attention

**List 29 Vocabulary Words:**

1. **proceed** : to go on
2. **reluctant** : unwilling; slow to act
3. **retrieve** : to recover or bring back
4. **stature** : height
5. **unselfish** : putting others ahead of oneself; generous

**April/May Bible Verse** *(due Tuesday, May 15<sup>th</sup>)*

“The Son radiates God’s own glory and expresses the very character of God, and he sustains everything by the mighty power of his command. When he had cleansed us from our sins, he sat down in the place of honor at the right hand of the majestic God in heaven.”

**Hebrews 1:3**