

HERE'S the SCOOP

September 18-22

Look What We're Learning

Reading: In reading, we are learning how to find the main idea (what the author wants to learn) and supporting details of a nonfiction text. When finding the main idea, students are encouraged to find repetitive words/phrases, look at the title and graphic text features, read the first and last sentence, and ask themselves, "What is this text mostly about?"

Math: Math this week will continue to focus on subtraction with regrouping (numbers up to the millions) and we will introduce rounding.

Grammar & Writing: The students continue to practice how to write an answer to a question in complete sentences and use evidence from the text to support their reasoning. This is a skill the students will continue to use all year long.

Vocabulary: Our vocabulary words this week will include the roots aud, audi- (hear) and anti- (opposite). The vocabulary words are on the back of this week's newsletter.

Scholastic Reading Challenge

Fourth grade students are expected to read and earn 10 SRC points each grading period. Students are given time each day to read in class, but are encouraged to take their library books home to spend time reading as well. The SRC Challenge is for any students who earn 20 SRC points and an average of 70% or better on their comprehension. Any fourth grader who reaches this goal by the end of the first grading period, will celebrate with hot chocolate and a cookie they decorate themselves.

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Events

**Scholastic Book Fair
during library this week!**

Monday, September 18

- Reading Homework: "Grandpa's Light Show"
- Planetarium (Harrell & Dublak 8:10-9:15)

Wednesday, September 20

- Math Homework: Rounding and Subtraction Practice
- Book Fair is Open Tonight in the school library from 6-7:30

Thursday, September 21

- Early Dismissal at 1:25
- Study for tomorrow's vocabulary test

Friday, September 22

- Planetarium (Michniewicz & Shultz 8:10-9:15) and (Williams & Kagebein 9:10-10:15)