

4th Grade News

This week in Math we did OLPA Test on Thursday, so we tried to cram some things into our brains before we tested on the computer. Everyone got done on time. We crammed in long division and square roots and some other things. So this week in math was harder. - Gabe

We learned about Past, Present, and Future tense verbs. We learned them on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Examples of past tense verbs are

hopped, talked, snowed, played, etc.

Past tense verbs mostly end in *-ed*

Examples of present tense verbs are

enjoys, skate, bake, makes, etc.

Examples of future tense verbs are *will*

rain, will enjoy, will skate, etc.

Future tense needs the word *will* as a helper before the verb. - Emali

This week in religion we learned more about the Beatitudes. The Beatitudes are teachings from Jesus. He taught these to us because he wants us to live a happy life. Did you know the word Beatitude means *happy*? That's why he taught them to us. We played a matching game,

and had to match the first part of the Beatitude to the second half.

Then we had to match cards to the whole Beatitude. - Carter

This week in Reading we read *Eye of the Storm*. The story told about Hurricane Andrew. It was

horrible. I think they were so crazy to even try to pictures. Hurricane Andrew happened on August 22, 1992 in Miami, Florida.

We also watched videos of the ten most dangerous

hurricanes. So many people die from hurricanes and are stuck on houses yelling for help. Did you know the

worst hurricane in US was Hurricane Katrina? It killed over a thousand

people and caused great destruction to New Orleans. Did you also know,

that they can get up and faster than 100 mph? That's crazy! The eye,

which is the center, is a calm area and can be 20-

30 miles wide. WOW! -

Lauren

In Social we are learning about Government.

Did you know that women



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Spelling

1. its
2. ours
3. mine
4. yours
5. family's
6. families'
7. man's
8. men's
9. girl's
10. girls'
11. hers
12. theirs
13. brother's
14. brothers'
15. teacher's
16. teachers'
17. aunt's
18. aunts'
19. boy's
20. boys'
21. country's
22. countries'
23. witnesses'
24. laboratory's
25. laboratories'

NEXT WEEK:

- Jan. 21 End of 2nd Qrt
- Jan. 22 No School

FUTURE:

- Jan. 30-31 Catholic Schools Week kick off masses, spaghetti supper, and pancake breakfast.
- Feb. 1-5 Catholic Schools Week

didn't have the right to vote until the 19th Amendment?!?! African American men didn't have the right to vote until the 15th Amendment. We also learned the Preamble (We the People) by heart. It was fun!! - Ashlyn

This week in Science we watched a video of how to measure volume and mass. To measure volume, you can use water displacement. To measure mass you can use a balance. Your mass stays the same, but your weight changes according to where you are and to the pull of its gravity. We also took a pop quiz on the computer and we were able to work together. We got 7 out of 10. Not too shabby if I say so myself. - Zachary

Stay warm!! Keep bringing warm clothes to school. I am not letting the kids out of the buildings without hats and mittens. Also, on days where they need to stay in at recess because of too cold of weather, they need to wear their snow pants home.

Keep selling Raffle Tickets!!!!

- Mrs. P

Have a great weekend!

- Mrs. P and the 4th Graders



NOVEMBER: EMALI



Student of the Month



DECEMBER: LAUREN