

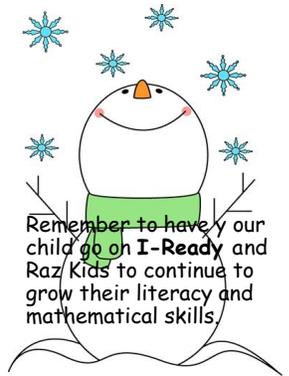


Coram Elementary

January 2021

Fourth Grade Times

We would like to congratulate the November Leaders of the Month: Jack Southard, Madison Barry, Jayden Harvey, Julia Hernandez, Eliezar Vasquez Dominguez, Sarah Faridi, Caleb Moyson, Jacob Risotto, Joel Hernandez



Reading

Nonfiction

- Identifying text features
- Analyzing text structure
- Writing about nonfiction

STAY TUNED FOR EXCITING NEWS ABOUT OUR GOOGLE PROJECTS!

Writing

- Personal and Persuasive Essays (Focusing on the structure in essay writing and using evidence to support an opinion)
- Writing good introductions and conclusions

Dates to Remember!

January 1st	No School
January 11th	Coram PTA Meeting
January 18th	Martin Luther King Jr. Day, No School

Math

- Division (patterns, estimations, interpreting the remainder, long division)
- Fraction Equivalence and Comparison
- (common denominators, simplest form, equivalent fractions, comparing/ordering fractions)

Social Studies & Science

- Explorers and Colonial Times
 - Matter
 - Water Cycle

You can help your child master the multiplication and division facts by helping him/her practice every night!



Children must read every night!

BE SURE TO:

- Login to your Google Classroom every day!
- Be on time and be prepared to participate in Meets
- Check for missing assignments and make up any missing work

Questions for Nonfiction Reading:

- * What fact(s) did you enjoy learning about the most?
- * Of the information you learned, which would you like to share with someone else?
- * Would you like to read more books about this topic? Why?
- * What else would you like to learn about this topic?
 - * What pictures or illustrations did you find interesting? Why?
- * What kind of research do you think the author had to do to write this book?

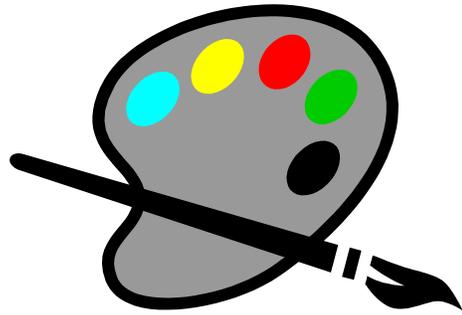
Music

In the month of January the 4th grade will be learning folk dancing in the music classroom. It teaches steady beat, coordination, cooperation and it is a community builder. Every year, the children have a lot of fun with this unit.



Art

Students will gain knowledge of abstract and realism painting. Students will gain an appreciation of the culture the artists come from. Students will learn how to experiment with different color value techniques using different tools. Students will also use color theory from primary to secondary colors.



Physical Education

As the final pieces of confetti fall to the ground... It's time. Time to not only resolve to better ourselves, but to also try things we never thought we were capable of. Our sights continue to be firmly set on the physical fitness test in the spring, but also, on the journey ahead. As we continue to modify our activities, we will be starting 2021 with some yoga to ease our way into the new year. Balance poses, techniques and more will be explored before we move into cooperative activities. We will ease into 2021 before cranking up the intensity!



Library

During the month of January, fourth grade students will engage in inquiry! Students will conduct a mini research project and learn strategies on how to do research. Students will have the opportunity to learn new concepts while accessing library resources including the VRC and pebblego to learn about the world around them.

It's 2021! Have you created a reading goal for the year? Think about the goals you want to achieve in 2021

