

# Belding Area Schools

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### Dates to Remember.

March 29th—April 5th—No school

May 27th— No School

### Testing Dates:

NWEA: Starts on week of May 13th

MSTEP: Starts on April 25th

### Important Reminders:

- Please be aware of homework coming home with your student. It is important for them to complete what they have not in class, so please be checking with them every night to see if they have work to do! I check every morning if they are bringing back and completing homework. There are many students not completing the homework.
- Testing dates are located up in the dark orange box. These dates are important and your child needs to be here to complete these tests. Please be aware of the dates!
- We have one more field trip coming up in May. We will be attending Camp Roger. More information to come on this soon!
- PLEASE send your child to school with the appropriate weather gear. We have some things in the office if something is needed (hats, mittens, boots, etc.)
- As always, PLEASE do not be afraid to reach out to me by phone or email!

### **What's happening in 4th Grade!**

The students have been working extra hard this week to master goals in the classroom!

**Math:** We have started Mission 5 in math! The students have been working hard learning about fractions (how to add and subtract them with alike and unlike numerators and denominators!) Please be aware of homework coming home. If the students do not finish in class, they should be taking it home. This homework should be coming home mostly every night. Please check in with them every night to make sure it is done. That way, they can bring it back the next day and it can be graded! I do remind them of any homework they may have every day, so please be aware.

Reminder: They should have their Problem Sets AND Homework sheets in their folder that should be traveling from home to school every day.

**Social Studies:** We are just finishing up our unit in Social Studies! We are working on United States Regions. Please ask your student about this unit, I believe they will really enjoy the learning they will be doing. We have talked about the Midwest and the Southwest regions! They seemed excited about it when I introduced it to them!

**Language Arts:** We are at the end of Unit 4 in our Wonders work. We have taken some time to really grasp on to the content we are learning and make it shine through our own writings and work. We are currently working on Narrative Non-fiction. Students have continued to select books that are fit to their reading styles and levels in class. Along with that, we have been building up our writing stamina We have created journals that the students write in weekly. Ask them about it, we all have been really excited for it everyday! **Please make sure to read with your students at home every night for 30 minutes.** This will only benefit them!

Have a wonderful and relaxing spring break!