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Classroom Needs

- Old tennis balls
- Healthy snacks
- Old stationary or cards
- Playing cards
- Items for our class store



This week in 4th grade:

Class Store—

We will hold our first “auction” for items in our classroom store next week. If you are able to donate any items, they would be greatly appreciated. Think: Dollar Section, Dollar Tree, or gently used items.

Science: Halls of Wonder is around the corner on February 3, 2017.

Before break students received the instructions and the rubric for their Halls of Wonder project. The topic is Electricity and Magnetism. **ALL TOPICS ARE DUE BY FRIDAY, JANUARY 6!!!!** If you have any questions about Halls of Wonder or concerns about obtaining supplies, please contact me and I will see what I can do to help!

We are NOT switching for math workshop this week.

Important Dates

Jan.—Running Records mid-year assessments
Jan.—MAPS testing (date to be determined)
Jan. 13—Early Release
Jan. 16—NO SCHOOL (MLK)
Jan. 23—End of Quarter 2
Jan. 24—Teacher Workday
Feb. 2—**Halls of Wonder Project due!!**

Tests

Friday—Geometry
Vocab Quiz

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This week in 4th grade:

Math—Geometry

This week in our geometry unit, your child will be learning how to use a protractor. We will also be analyzing and classifying triangles based on their side length and angle measure. There is a vocabulary quiz on Friday on the terms we learned last week. I will send a review home with students, but they can also use their notes from class (in their math notebook).

Literacy—Text Structure

We are beginning our month long study on text structure. Text structure is how the text is organized. This includes description, sequence of events, comparing and contrasting, cause and effect, and problem and solution. We will use a variety of texts.

Science & Writing—Electricity & Magnetism

In our writing time, we will be modeling the scientific method. We will conduct a class experiment and complete each step, modeling what is expected of the students on their Hall of Wonder project. They may be provided a small amount of time in class to work on their project, but most all will be completed at home.

DLI—None this week

