




FOURTH GRADE NEWS

Mableton Elementary
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Homework

You should expect your child to have homework Monday-Thursday each week. Homework may consist of review of skills taught, Reading, and Math Practice. In addition, students are expected to read 20 minutes each night and complete the reading log. Students should also practice multiplication and division facts each night.

Calendar of Events

April 10th – 19th Milestones Testing
April 20- Color Run, Spring Fling
April 27th- progress reports

Communication Links

Parent Facilitator Updates: www.mabletonelem.wix.com/familyblog
 PTA: Make sure to download the new Mableton Elementary App

Next Week's Vocabulary Words

abolish, abolitionist, suffragist, point of view, opinion, expanded form, number name, multi-digit

Mableton Mission:

Engage! Empower! Excel!

Mableton Vision:

To have a peaceful, productive, and engaging learning environment that guarantees the academic, social-emotional, and developmental needs of all of our students.

Mableton School Improvement Goals:

1. Students will demonstrate proficiency in reading and writing.
2. Students will demonstrate proficiency in math.
3. The staff will increase opportunities for parents to be active participants in their student's education.

Here is what we're learning . . .

Reading: Next week, after Milestones, we will review RL.6, first and third person point of view. Stories told in first person use words such as I, we, us. The character is telling the story from their point of view. Stories told in the third person use words such as them, you, etc. The narrator tells the story, but is not actually part of the story. **At home, have your child read a part of their book to you. Ask them from which point of view the story is told. Be sure to have them explain how they know.**

Writing: Next week, after Milestones, we will review opinion writing. **To help your child at home, ask them to write you an essay that gives their opinion on what the best summer activity is. Discuss their ideas and tell them whether they have given you good reasons to do their activity.**

Math: Next week, after Milestones, we will review how to read and write multi-digit whole numbers using base-ten numerals, number names, and expanded form. We will review how to compare two multi-digit numbers based on meanings of the digits in each place, using $>$, $=$, and $<$ symbols to record the results of comparisons. **To help your child at home, give them two multi-digit numbers and ask them to write the number out in different ways. Then, have them explain how they know which number is greater.**

Science: Next week, after Milestones, we will finish learning about the stars and planets. **To help your child at home, ask them how they know the differences between planets and stars.**

Social Studies: Next week, after Milestones, we will finish learning about Westward Expansion and begin learning about the abolitionist movement. **To help your child at home, ask them what they remember about Susan B. Anthony and Frederick Douglass from when they learned about them in 3rd grade. Have a discussion about how these people and others helped the fight for freedom.**

Come and be a part of Mableton's first ever Jaguar Color Run. Register today by scanning the QR code below or turn in the registration form that was sent home in Friday folders. We can't wait for this one of a kind event!



The Jaguar Color Run