RNE FOURTH GRADE
WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS
February 28th, 2020

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Important Dates:
3/2-3/6: Apple Raffle every morning before school begins (7:10-7:40)
3/2: Read A Shirt Day! Silly, cute or sweet, wear a graphic t-shirt with a message for someone to read.
3/3: Team Up For Reading! Be a team player with our school community by wearing your favorite Team jersey/shirt.
3/4: Hats Off To Reading! Wear your favorite Hat.
3/5: Reading Jogs The Mind! Wear exercise clothes and get our brains moving!
3/6: Snuggle Up and Read! Wear your most comfortable PJ's and snuggle up with a good book.
3/6 4th and 5th grade Dance 6:00-8:00pm

Transportation Changes
If your child has a change in transportation, please be sure to send in a written note. We are not allowed to accept email transportation changes. All transportation changes must have a parent signature. If you need to email it, please send it to RNE@fultonschools.com.

Friday Folders
Friday folders have been hole punched and are in your child's binder. Please check for important papers. If your child has any graded papers, please be sure to sign and return on Monday.

Headphones
Please make sure your child's headphones are in their backpack. Students will need these in school to work on iReady.
**MATH**

**On**
Next week we will take unit 5 math assessment and begin unit 6. Students will draw points, lines, line segments, rays, angles (right, acute, obtuse), and perpendicular and parallel lines and identify them in two dimensional figures.

**Accelerated**
Next week we will take unit 5 math assessment and begin unit 6. Students will convert among different-sized standard measurement units (mass, weight, length, time, etc.) within a given measurement system (customary and metric) (e.g., convert 5cm to 0.05m), and use these conversions in solving multi-step, real world problems.

**Adv**
Adv Math - Next week, we will continue with adding decimals. We will learn how to add decimals using a variety of models including base ten blocks and 10 x 10 grids. We will make observations about adding decimals, including how to regroup when the sum of the digits in any given place is 10 or more. Mid-week, we will shift our focus to subtracting decimals. We will use base-ten blocks to model the subtraction process and visualize how to subtract the tenths and hundredths. We will explore subtraction equations in which we have to regroup in the tenths and hundredths in order to find the difference.

Our Unit 2 test will be on Thursday, 3/12 (subject to change). A study guide will come home next week.

Ways to help your children at home is to always use math in context!

- Take your children grocery shopping (estimate prices, find an item between $1-2, find most expensive item, weigh fruit and read the scale)
- Cook with your kids and have them measure ingredients
- Share with them how to save and spend money.
Social Studies/Science
This week we began our unit on the Civil War. We worked with online personalized learning platform, Deck Toys, which introduced us to all the different topics. We started understanding some of the causes of the War with John Brown's Raid and Uncle Tom’s Cabin. We took a virtual tour of Fort Sumpter and Gettysburg and were introduced to key Civil War Figures. Next week we will dive deeper into each topic and make sure we thoroughly understand what we have read about.

Reading and Language Arts

This week we completed Unit 4 in reading and writing! We celebrated all our hard work throughout the unit! Next week we will begin Unit 5- Historical Fiction. This is always a fun unit for the kids.

In reading students will be assigned a historical fiction chapter book and will participate in book clubs discussing the events occurring in their book.