



3rd Grade Family Newsletter

Mission: Elk Meadows Falcons are growing to be resilient, lifelong learners.

Golden Gate: I will be my best self.

Date: April 3, 2023

Grade-Level Events

Upcoming Field Trip- May 9th Children's Museum of Natural Curiosity at Thanksgiving Point -

- **RISE TESTING May 10th - 12th and May 16th - 18th. Please make sure your student arrives on time and has a good breakfast.**
- Please continue to practice multiplication and division math facts at home.
- Continue reading 20 minutes a day...or MORE!!

Math

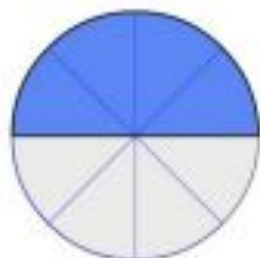
Focus: We are continuing to work on equivalent fractions. In this unit we will use fraction bars and number lines to find equivalent fractions and solve real world problems using their understanding of fraction concepts.

$$\frac{2}{4}$$



$$\frac{4}{8}$$

Example:



Language Arts

Focus: We are learning about verb tenses, character traits, inferring and predicting, and story structure(setting, characters, and plot)

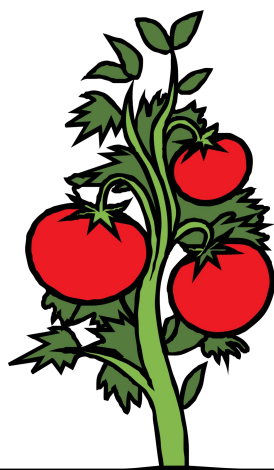
Home Connection: After your student reads, ask:

- What traits does the character have?
- What is the setting?
- What is happening in the story?

Science

Focus: We are rotating again for Science rotations. Students will be learning from a different 3rd grade teacher for the next 2 weeks. The following is the topic that they will be studying.

Water and Climate- Mrs. Steenblik
Motion and Matter- Mrs. Seehusen
Structures of Life- Mrs. Huish



Social Studies

Focus: We will be rotating again for Science/Social Studies rotations. Students will be learning about symbols and explore on Google Earth.

Social Studies- Mrs. Wilkinson
-Mrs. Vail



Family Connection/Additional Information

- April 21- No school
- April 24- Mid-Spring Recess/ No School

