

4th Grade Family Newsletter

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

Golden Gate: I will be a problem solver.

Date: April 1, 2024

Grade-Level Events

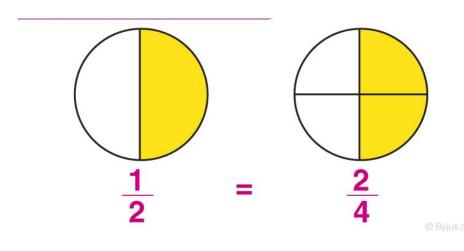
• Book Fair: April 15-19

• Upcoming field trip dates are: the Natural History Museum of Utah and Red Butte Gardens on **Tuesday**, **April 16** and the Utah Capitol and Pioneer Museum on **Tuesday**, **May 28**. <u>District fingerprinting is mandatory to chaperone field trips</u>.

Math

Focus: I can write two or more equivalent fractions on my own and draw a supporting model.

Example:



Language Arts



Focus: I can produce clear and coherent writing in which the development and organization are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

Example: Look for real-world examples of good-quality writing. Discuss with your child how you use good writing every day, whether you are the one reading it or creating it. Why is writing an important skill for all of us to develop?



Science

Focus: I can explain how energy can be transferred using renewable energy sources (such as light, wind, or motion).

Example: What are the sources of alternative energy in your region? Are there any solar or wind farms or geothermal or hydroelectric plants in your area? Do you know of a friend or family member who knows a lot about any of these ways to produce electricity? Or do you know of anyone who has an electric car? Can you interview them and find out how they work? Maybe you can interview them by phone or online.

Social Studies

Focus: I can describe the historical and current impact of various cultural groups on Utah.



Example: Discuss with your child your own family's cultural background, including any interesting stories of immigration in your family history. Take some time to learn about some of the other cultural groups that call Utah home.

Family Connection/Additional Information

★ Wear your falcon shirt on Fridays to show school spirit and get a falcon ticket!
★ Please remember to initial reading minutes in your child's planner daily. Thank you!