



4th Grade Family Newsletter

April 2025

Mission: Elk Meadows Falcons are growing to be resilient, lifelong learners.
Golden Gate: I will be a problem solver.

Events

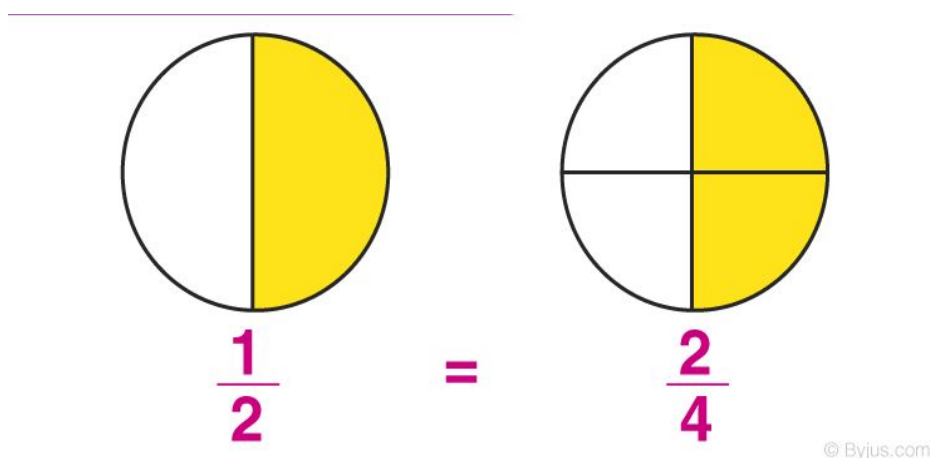
- Field Trip: April 7th - Natural History Museum of Utah & Red Butte Gardens
- Book Fair: April 14-18
- End of Year Acadience Reading Testing: April 17-21
- Teacher Appreciation Week: April 21-25
- Utah RISE State Testing: May 6-22 (see back for more information)

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

- Attendance is critical as year end testing starts the first week in May.
- Please remember to initial reading minutes in your child's planner daily.
- Wear your falcon color's on Fridays to show school spirit!