Daily Schedule

8:05 Students arrive

8:05-8:30 Morning Work

8:30-9:30 Science

9:30-10:15 Specials

10:15-11:15 Math

11:15-11:45 Recess

11:45-12:00 DEAR

12:00-12:30 Lunch

12:30-1:30 Reading

1:30-2:15 Writing

2:15-2:45 Math Groups

On Wednesdays, our specials time is adjusted to 9:20-10:00 and we have early release at 2:30. Everything else remains the same.

Specials Schedule:

Day 1: Art Day 3: Gym

Day 2: Music Day 4: Library

Homework

Homework is given most evenings except on Fridays. I usually do not assign weekend homework but it may happen occasionally. I expect homework to be turned in the following day unless your student is absent. If as student is absent, they have as many days as they were gone to make up the assignments they missed. This will be their responsibility to check the absentee folder and complete the work in a timely manner.

Homework Folder/Assignment Notebook

In 4th grade, there is a huge shift of responsibility. Students are expected to be accountable for their own homework and assignment notebook. Please check your student’s homework folder and assignment notebook daily. They should be writing their assignments down at the end of each day. Homework, special announcements, newsletters, and other important information will always be sent home in the homework folder. Please remove any homework that has already been graded and other papers that do not need to be returned to school and keep them at home. Only homework that is due the next day should come back in the folder. Late or unfinished homework will result in recess detention to catch up on the missed work.

Revisions

I allow students to make revisions to tests that we take in class. Students who receive a C or lower on a test will have the opportunity to correct their errors and turn the test back in for partial credit. They will earn a ½ point of credit for each wrong problem that is fixed correctly. At times, I may ask a student to re-do or revise a homework assignment as well if they performed poorly or did not complete the assignment.

Late/Missing Work = After School Detention

Students who fail to complete homework assignments on time will stay in at recess to finish. If they do not turn in or lose an assignment, they will receive a score of 0 for the assignment. I keep a record of all missing or late assignments and after a student has three late or missing I will send home a warning. The fourth missing or late assignment will result in an after school detention.

AR Points and Rewards

Goal #1: 15 points/Certificate and free kids meal at Texas Roadhouse

 Goal # 2: 30 points/Lunch with a Celebrity (anyone in the school- staff member or student)

Goal #3: 50 points/15 minutes extra recess

Goal #4: 70 points/$100 Warmoth Cash

* With each goal you hit, you will also be featured on the morning announcements.
* Additional rewards can be earned for going above and beyond the required points.
* Each nine weeks, you will be required to earn points for a grade. The 1st and 2nd nine weeks you should earn 15 points each nine weeks. For the 3rd and 4th nine weeks, you need 20 points each nine weeks.

Grading Scale



100 A+

99-94 A

93-90 A-

89-88 B+

87-84 B

83-80 B-

79-78 C+

77-74 C

73-70 C-

69-68 D+

67-64 D

63-60 D-

59 (& below) F

\*\*\*Tests are weighted by 3x and quizzes are weighted by 2x.\*\*\*

Discipline

In 4th grade, we use the “Fry Sheet” method which some of you may be familiar with from previous years. I have attached an example of what this page will look like. Students will receive a new Fry sheet every Monday and it will serve as their behavior report card for the week. There is a list of expectations in the bottom corner of the page and each time one of these rules is broken, the student will lose a fry which I will cross out. I will make a note of the reason they lost that fry so that you can track behavior with your student. I will also keep track of missing homework assignments on this page as well and students will lose a fry for each day that homework is not completed on time. At the end of the week, they will receive a behavior grade based on how many fries they have left and the sheet will come home for your review. These are to be signed and returned the following Monday. Students who earn an A- or higher for the week will earn $10 in Warmoth cash which can be used toward classroom prizes. If they turned in all homework for the week on time, they will receive an additional $5. They can earn bonus money for outstanding behavior. **Please sign the example fry sheet and have your student sign as well to show that you have talked about the fry sheet and understand how it works. Have your student bring this to school on Tuesday.**

 We will track class behavior with the hundreds chart on the back wall. Each time the class earns a 4 or 5 in specials or receives a compliment from an administrator or another teacher, we will draw a number and color that square. When we complete an entire row, there will be a whole class reward such as extra recess, popcorn party, etc.

Weebly Website

http://mrswarmoth.weebly.com/index.html

Please check out my class website where you can find lots of helpful information and links for students to use at home throughout the year. You can get to my website by going to the Isom homepage and clicking my link under faculty and staff. The website will have each day’s homework listed as well as project guidelines and the class newsletter which I will also send home each week along with other information. Under the useful links tab, you can find links to Spelling City, Scholastic Book Clubs, IXL, the lunch menu, and many other websites your child can use to enhance their learning at home.

Scholastic Book Orders

I often send home order forms for scholastic books. You may order from home online and earn $5 toward a book on your next order as well as points for our class. There is a link to the book order website on my class website. You can also send the order form and cash or checks back to me at school and I will place the order for you. Our class activation code if you would like to order online is L4VX9.

Parent Volunteers

If you are willing to volunteer in our classroom throughout the year, please fill out the parent volunteer form and volunteer release form and turn both in to me. There will be opportunities to help with classroom parties and field trips this year so if you are interested please ask!

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You may also fill out the contact form on my class website.

Please never hesitate to contact me if you have questions or concerns!