

# Grade 4B News

October 22, 2020

Monday Oct. 26 Day 1	Tuesday Oct. 27 Day 2	Wednesday Oct. 28 Day 3	Thursday Oct. 29 Day 4	Friday Oct. 30 Day 5
	- LIBRARY CHECK-OUT  Bible Test  P.E. (gym clothes)	P.E. (gym clothes)	-Math Test (Place Value) 	-Spelling Test (week 7)   -Bible Memory (Psalm 139:14)  P.E. (gym clothes)

Greetings 4B Families!

I hope everyone will enjoy the upcoming long weekend!! It's time for the teachers to do some learning of their own.

Here's a little bit of what we are doing in class:



**Science:** We will be wrapping up our Rocks, Minerals and Erosion unit next week, but we will save our test until the following week. We will complete a review in class beginning during the week and will spend time reviewing our work from the unit in class. The review will be in the duotang, along with all the short quizzes and the test they have completed. These pages and the duotang should be used for studying (reading over, asking questions, looking at diagrams, making review cards, etc.) Duotangs will come home **NEXT** weekend to begin studying for the upcoming test.

**Math:** We will be wrapping up our first math unit this week as well. We have been working hard in our place value unit and will spend the early part of next week doing review and preparing for the test. I will post **optional** reviews on Seesaw that your child can do to prepare for the test. We will do a number of reviews in class as well. Students will write their **test on Thursday, Oct. 29th**.

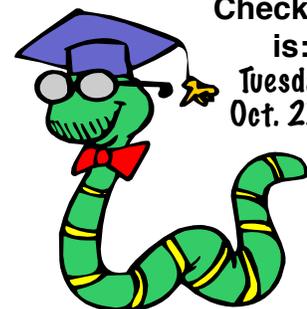
**Bible Project:** I trust that the wheels are in motion for the Bible project. The day off of school this weekend should allow for some quality time to work on the projects if you haven't gotten around to it yet. **The final project is due on Mon., Nov. 9th**. If you have any questions regarding the project, please do not hesitate to contact Mrs. Kamerman.

**Language Arts:** We will be wrapping up our next novel, Because of Winn Dixie next week. We will prepare for our final Lit. Circle meetings and students will also have the opportunity to decide what their final project will be as they reflect on the novel.

Blessings,  
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**Library  
Check-out  
is:  
Tuesday,  
Oct. 27th**



## Spelling Words

Lesson 7 - sounds of 'u'  
and the different  
spellings

1. blush
2. crutch
3. crunch
4. grumpy
5. much
6. umpire
7. uncle
8. none
9. does
10. fuel
11. cute
12. cubicle
13. human
14. future
15. usual
16. uniform
17. used
18. beautiful

## Teacher Words

19. sorrow
20. party

## Challenge Words

21. melancholy
22. gratitude
23. persistence
24. forgiveness
25. curiosity

## Bible Memory - Due Friday, Nov. 1st.

"I praise you because I am fearfully and wonderfully made;  
Your works are wonderful,  
I know that full well."

Psalm 139:14



\*\*\* Students should be able to:

1. recite the verse
2. know where the verse is found
3. know what the verse means

## For your information

- **Tests:** We have a number of tests coming up in the next couple of weeks. Here are a few things to keep in mind when taking tests in grade 4:

1.) The review and the actual test will have similar material, but will not be the exact same. We are looking for students to learn the concepts/ vocabulary/etc. and that they are able to apply that knowledge on a test, not just regurgitate it.

2.) I will send duotangs home to use to help study.

The review is a good place to study from, but you can also use the other material in the duo tang. You can use the questions to make flash cards, make a practice test, make your own trivia game.

3.) I usually add "bonus" questions to the test. These questions only add to the student's marks, they do not take away. This is a chance to use vocabulary/concepts/ideas that go beyond the learning we've been doing as a group.



- **LA Choice Time** - Students have been gaining independence this year as they learn to make decisions about their school work and the order in which they complete assignments. They also are working on managing their time and staying focused in class. With all of this in mind, sometimes they may fall behind in certain parts and will need the at home to complete their work.

Other students may choose to take work home to stay on top of things. This may mean that handwriting, spelling or novel studies will make their way home in the evening. Allow your child time to complete their work and send their duotangs/workbooks back to school the next day.



- **Bible Project** - Remember that the Bible project's due date is Monday, Nov. 9th. Please contact Mrs. Kamerman if you have any questions.

**WARNING:**  
**DUE DATES**  
**ARE CLOSER**  
**THAN THEY**  
**APPEAR**