

MS. ZECCA'S NEWSLETTER

Week 32: April 20-24

Important Dates



April 20-Math STAAR Test

April 22-Science STAAR Test

April 23-Fine Arts Night 5:00-6:15 PM

April 23-Progress Reports Go Home

April 24-Spring Carnival 4:00-8:00 PM

May 4-8-Book Fair / Teacher
Appreciation Week

May 5-6-5th Grade Technology

Assessment

May 8-Mama Bear Breakfast at 7:45

May 12-STAAR Reading Retest

May 12-PTA Bingo Night 6:30-7:30

May 19-Safety Patrol Trip to Austin Park & Pizza

May 20-Young People's Concert

May 21-Career Day

May 22-Bad Weather Make-Up Day

For Your Information...



Math and Science STAAR

Your child will be taking the Math and Science STAAR Tests this Monday and Wednesday. Please be sure your child:

- Gets a good night's sleep
- Eats breakfast that includes protein
- Gets to school on time—no later than 7:35.

No visitors will be allowed on campus on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday due to STAAR testing.

April Birthdays



NONE



Reminders: We will checking out books every other Tuesday. Books will be turned in on Tuesdays. This **IS NOT** a checkout week.

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Lunch Menu

Monday: Spaghetti w/ Meatballs / Yogurt Plate

Tuesday: Beef Tamales /

Chicken Tenders

Wednesday: Pizza Dippers /

Fish Hoagie

Thursday: Enchilada/ Toasted

Cheese Sandwich

Friday: Chicken Burger /

Garden Burger



Specials

Monday: None

Tuesday: Art

Wednesday: None

Thursday: P.E.

Friday: Art

Please make sure your child wears tennis shoes on P.E. days.

Library

Bring ALL your library books NEXT TUESDAY!



What We're Learning

READING: Students will learning different types of poems.

WEITING: Students will write a personal narrative about courage.

Social STUDIES: Students will work on a team project about "building an American empire."



Preparing Your Tween for Middle School Talk About Social Pressures

The middle school years present enormous social pressures for children and introduce them to a variety of dangers. Take every possible opportunity to reinforce your family's rules and values regarding smoking, drugs, alcohol, dating, co-ed sleepovers, and any other issues of concerns. Role play with your child about how he should react when confronted by a classmate to smoke or drink alcohol. Stay on top of your child's social situation by getting to know his friends and their parents. If you see a change in your child's personality, or his grades begin to drop, take action. Contact the school guidance counselor to find out if there might be something going on at school or on the bus, such as bullying. Remind your child every now and then that you are there to help, and that he can talk to you about anything.