



Mrs. Brouillard's 4th Grade News

June 2022

Social Studies

We completed our journey across the United States with our last region, the West. The West included a variety of landforms, climates, and unique resources that shaped the lives of the people in the region.

Throughout the year, we were able to see how where we live affects who we are and what we do. Our county is truly beautiful.

Math

Students worked hard during our unit on fractions. They learned how to say, write, compare, order, add and subtract fractions and mixed numbers. We spent the last few weeks of school exploring how fractions relate to decimals.

Over the school year, students reviewed skills and learned many new skills. They have really grown in math. I would encourage them to review their multiplication facts throughout the summer. Being proficient in basic multiplication facts is a tool that will be very helpful as they move on in math.

What a wonderful year this has been! I am very proud of all the fourth graders. They worked hard and accomplished great things. It was a pleasure working with them each day. Thank you for sharing your beautiful children with me. Have a fantastic summer!

Language Arts

In Language Arts, we continued to build and improve our writing skills and paying attention to details. We completed units on prepositions, conjunctions, commas, and quotation marks. We enjoyed reading many stories this quarter. Students especially enjoyed reading [A Gift from the Heart](#), which was a play. They had the opportunity to make props and perform the play for graders one, two, and three. Their performance received rave reviews from all.

Science

Our final topic in Science involved the structures and functions of plants and animals. Students enjoyed collecting and investigating leaves and flowers to identify their different structures. Student scientists used food coloring and celery to observe how the stems of plants transport materials. It was a fun and interesting topic.