



## 4th Grade Newsletter

# NOVEMBER

### Reading /Language Arts

Room 201 Novel Study using the novel, the Sign of the Beaver, please note that each student should have a portfolio with work that is being done

Room 202 We are finally starting our first novel, The Sign of the Beaver novel and implementing Story Works.

Room 313 Scholastic News: We're Celebrating Our History and Novel Study: Thanksgiving on Thursday

### Math

Use Strategies and Properties to Multiply by 2-digit Numbers (array, place value, blocks, partial products, compensation, distributive property)

### Science

Room 201, 202: Students will explore properties of permanent magnets, use a magnet to detect objects made from iron, explore the force of magnetism through a variety of materials and measure the force and changes in the force of attraction between magnets. Lastly, we will find ways to detect and "see" the magnetic force.

Room 313: Mystery Science lessons

### Social Science

Room 201, 202 We will read and discuss chapter three. We learn about information on various



### 4th Grade Team

Room 201 Ms. Perthel: ([jmoy@cps.edu](mailto:jmoy@cps.edu)) We are using the Chromebooks more to practice IXLs in math and language arts, Envision math from Pearsons online as well as Mathletics.

Room 202 Ms. Set: ([ctse2@cps.edu](mailto:ctse2@cps.edu)) Students are starting to work on and personalize their academic goals by completing practice on IXL, Newsela, Freckle, PearsonRealize, and Storyworks.

Room 313 Mr. Lee: ([ilee@cps.edu](mailto:ilee@cps.edu)) My class continues to learn computer coding on every Friday afternoon. They learn how to revise computer codes to put elements in their own stories with animations.

### Social Science

(continue) cultures, values, beliefs, etc. of various Native Americans who lived in Illinois. Project: Illinois Native American project.

Room 313 Elevation, climates, and weather.

### Happy Birthday:

Room 201: Yanbing Wu; Jiale Xu; Angela Qin; Emwanmwoza Osazuwa

Room 202: Bobbie Li

Room 313: Xuanwen Fang; Baowen Liang



**November 4:**

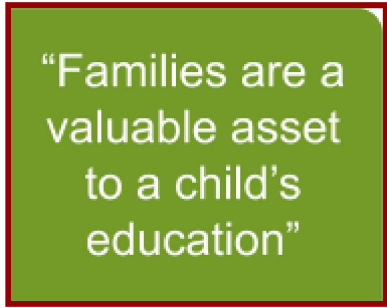
Room 201 - Jungxi Ge  
Room 202 - Qiao Ying Tan  
Room 313 - Xuanwen Fang

**November 11:**

Room 201 - Brooklyn Grave  
Room 202 - Xiaomin Zhu  
Room 313 - Shengrui Huang

**November 18:**

Room 201 - Shamar Hines-White  
Room 202 - Mingfeng Mei  
Room 313 - Junjie Kuang



***Parents Please Note (家長請注意)***

- To check your child's grades and attendance record, please access online at CPS Aspen (<https://aspen.cps.edu>), if you need assistance, please come to the school's main office.
- If any parents are interested in being a volunteer for the class field trip or to assist classroom teachers, you **MUST** first sign up for Level II Volunteers at: [https://cpsparentu.org/apps/pages/index.jsp?uREC\\_ID=319488&type=d](https://cpsparentu.org/apps/pages/index.jsp?uREC_ID=319488&type=d)

**SEL topic: Caring**

**Important Dates:**

November 4: Daylight Saving Time Ends (set clock back 1 hour)  
November 8: School Improvement Day (No School)  
November 11: Veterans' Day (No School)  
November 13: Report Card Pickup Day  
November 28 to 29: Thanksgiving Holiday (No Schools)