

Franklin Phonetic School
4th Grade Newsletter
February 18-21, 2020



Many thanks to everyone who contributed to our Valentine Party! It was a HUGE success and everyone had a great time!

Students of the Week*

Cristina Baltazar

*best behaved, did their best on their work, work completed, homework completed and turned in on time



Spalding Phonograms:

WEEK 25

Phonograms: ough, d, ow, w, ai, gn, p, c, u, ea, er, oi, ch, oo, oa, b, or, si, aw, e, ew, qu, ed, x

Spelling Words:

basic, bough, bow, bow, campaign, capital, capitol, cereal, choice, chosen, chose, choose, coarse, columns, correct, current, desirable, desire, division, divide, Dr. = Doctor, drawn, drew, draw, equipment, equipped, equip, extremely, extreme, fearful

Homework

Please have your children do their homework writing with PENCIL and not pens or markers.



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In English, we will be finishing up with adverbs and starting our Arizona reports. Our new poem for Literature is on this paper to the right.

In Reading, we will be continuing to learn reading comprehension by reading short stories that have questions with them.

In Math, we are working on measurement: inches, feet, and yards.

In Science, we will be finishing our unit on Ice Age Animals.

In Social Studies, we are starting an Arizona chapter about resources.

Your students will begin work on their Arizona Reports this week. They need to be writing neatly and legibly, with letters on the baseline. If we cannot read your student's handwriting, they will need to rewrite their report.

Yes, it would be fine if they want to print out their report for us.

If you would like for your student to use the **grammarly** app, it is free at www.grammarly.com

February

The sun rides higher
Every trip.
The sidewalk shows.
Icicles drip.

A snowstorm comes,
And cars are stuck,
Though road salt flies
From the old town truck.

The chickadees
Grow plump on seed
That Mother pours
Where they can feed,

And snipping, snipping
Scissors run
To cut out hearts
For everyone.



With cold, flu, and virus season upon us, we need more Kleenex and antibacterial wipes for our classroom. If possible, would you please send in the softer Kleenex and Clorox Pacific Coconut Wipes (I am allergic to the lemon and pine Clorox wipes.)

Please make sure that your student writes his or her name on their homework papers!

