

## Fun Facts for Fourth Grade

### **Agenda:**

Students are responsible for recording any given assignments and important information in their school planner under that day's date. Block teachers will sign the planner during face-to-face instruction days. Students are to check off or highlight when each task has been reviewed and/or completed. We ask that a responsible person sign the planner acknowledging the given information.

### **AVID Notebooks:**

We will be utilizing a three ring binder as a management tool for organization and daily communication between home and school. Each student is responsible for bringing the binder home each night. Please refer to the binder for items that need to be returned and items that can be left at home.

### **Snacks:**

Students are encouraged to bring in a healthy snack of their choice each day. Snacks need to be easily eaten, requiring no peeling, shelling, spooning, etc. No snack may be left overnight. Snacks are *not allowed* to be shared due to possible food allergies and current restrictions. Please be considerate of food allergies, especially *nuts*, within the classroom. A water bottle, containing *water only*, may be kept on a student's desk as long as it doesn't leak or sweat.

### **Fees:**

The school fees are \$36.00, \$5.00 for instructional supplies, \$1.00 for Art, \$5 Supplemental Reader and \$25.00 for technology. The technology fee is non-refundable. Fees are due at the beginning of the year. Anyone that needs assistance with the school fees may submit a waiver through the front office. Please let your homeroom teacher know if assistance is needed. Fees are to be paid online.

### **Monthly Show and Tell:**

We will hold a monthly show and tell the last Tuesday of the month for cohort A and the last Friday of the month for cohort B. Students are encouraged to bring in an item of their choice to share with the class. Nothing alive may be brought in. Participation is each student's choice.

### **Class Assignments:**

Class assignments are due on the day announced. If the student fails to turn in the assignment on time, the student will be made aware of the missing assignment through Teams. It is the student's responsibility to check Teams daily. If a student fails to turn in an assignment on time, the assignment will receive a five point deduction per day up to five days. Per SBES Student/Parent Handbook, "After five days, no late work will be accepted." All assignments must have the student's name, student number, date, and name of assignment in the top right hand corner.

### **Make-up Work:**

If your child is absent, they will be given one school day per absent day to complete their missed assignment(s), per Onslow County School Policy. Graded class assignments must be made up in class.

### **Grading Policy:**

Grading is on a ten point grading scale: 100-90: A; 89-80: B; 79-70: C; 69-60: D; and any grade 59 and below: F. Grades will reflect both face-to-face and virtual learning. No extra credit will be given.

**School Issued Supplies:**

It is the student's responsibility to keep up with the materials and return them at the conclusion of the school year. If any item is lost during the school year or damaged, the student will be responsible for the replacement cost of the item. Please replenish your child's supplies throughout the year as needed.

**Behavior:**

It is the belief of the administration that school should be a place where students behave in an appropriate manner, so as not to interfere with the teacher's job of teaching or the student's job of learning. All students at Swansboro Elementary are expected to follow the OCS Student Code of Conduct in order to promote safety, civility and a positive learning environment for everyone.

Pirates Say...

Always be Kind,

Respectful,

Responsible,

Grateful &

Hard working.

***We are looking forward to this being our best year yet with new experiences and adventures!***

***Welcome to fourth grade!***

***-Ms. Paredes, Ms. Burke, Ms. Fenner and Ms. Legg***