Week of April 4th

This week in fractions we will review all fraction concepts before moving on to adding and subtracting fractions.

In social studies this week we continue with our geography project. Students will present next week.

In science we will learn about animal cells through informational texts and take a closer look at our own cells under the microscope!

In Reader’s workshop we continue to build stamina. Students will continue to practice various reading strategies we will review during reader’s workshop. This week we will continue small groups and informational texts. We will focus on cause and effect. In vocabulary, we will continue learning new roots and decoding words based on their prefixes and suffixes. Students will be doing word riddles for home study this week. Our WOW word this week is SMITHEREENS meaning very small pieces.

In writer’s workshop we will begin drafting our essays from our outlines. Students will then revise and edit.

This week we will continue discussing the life of Prophet Muhammed (SAW). Students will continue to meet in groups to add information to their group’s timeline about Prophet Muhammed (SAW). We will also discuss the unit 5 hadith.

Students should be working on self studies. Students should also be working through their NWEA LEarning Path, which should be completed by June 1st.