

Welcome to Fourth Grade!

Dear Fourth Graders,

Welcome to fourth grade at Center Woods Upper Elementary School! I am very excited to be your teacher this year. I hope you have been enjoying your summer. I have had a great summer. My children and I have spent a LOT of time at the lake and beach whenever we had a chance.

This will be my third year teaching in Weare and I really love working at Center Woods Upper Elementary school. I will be busy getting our classroom ready over the next few weeks. We will have a busy year in fourth grade. We will be learning long division and multiplication, work with fractions, try lots of fun science experiments, and learn a lot about NH history. We will also do a lot of reading and I hope you have all had time to read over the summer, it's my favorite thing to do!

I would like to ask you to bring something (like a picture you took, a picture you drew or some type of souvenir) that you could share with the class on the first day of school to tell us about a "special summer memory" you had this summer. I think this is a great way for us to get to know each other!

I look forward to meeting all of you on the first day of school. I hope you enjoy the rest of your summer vacation!

Mrs. Powell

A Note to Fourth Grade Parents,

I am looking forward to meeting you and working together to help your child have a wonderful fourth grade year. If you have any questions or concerns please email me at michelle.powell@sau24.org

The school supplies many supplies but there are some items we could use in the classroom. If obtaining these supplies is a problem, please just let me know.

- 2 packages of cap erasers for the end of the pencils
- 4 folders (plastic ones last longer than paper ones)
- 4 boxes of tissues
- 2 container of sanitizing wipes
- 6 big glue sticks
- 2 packs of number 2 pencils (we use a pencil exchange system so please just plain yellow pencils)
- 4 rolls of paper towels
- Headphones or earbuds

I am asking parents to put the supplies in a plastic (or paper) bag and tell your child to give them to me the first day of school. Last year, several children never gave me the supplies and they were discovered months later!

Thank you!

Michelle Powell