

Welcome to 4<sup>th</sup> grade!

The subjects we cover in my classroom are: Math, Reading, English, Social Studies, Science, Spelling, and Handwriting. We also participate in Religion, the Accelerated Reading Program and P.E. on a daily basis. Weekly we visit the library, spend time in the Computer Lab, and receive enrichment in Spanish.

I teach the basic elements of logic through examples and guided practice in the following thinking processes:

- finding relationships
- solving analogies
- logical thinking
- deductive reasoning
- organizing information

This is a challenge, but I walk them through each step. They love the logic pages. This is taught weekly.

We also do group projects. This year we designed our own board games and invited the second and third graders to come and play our games.

We do Black History reports in February.

My goal is simply to teach your child to think, learn, and achieve the best they can. I hope you and your child will experience the best year ever. Thank you for allowing me and St. Catherine School to be a part of your child's education.