

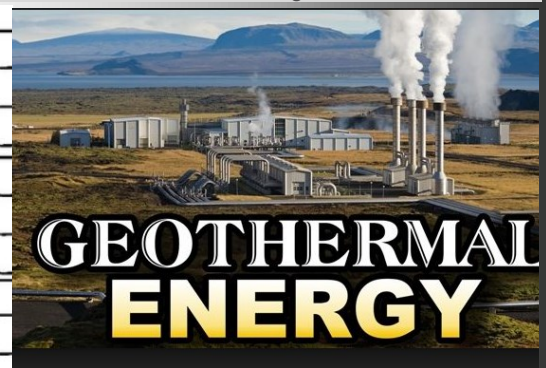
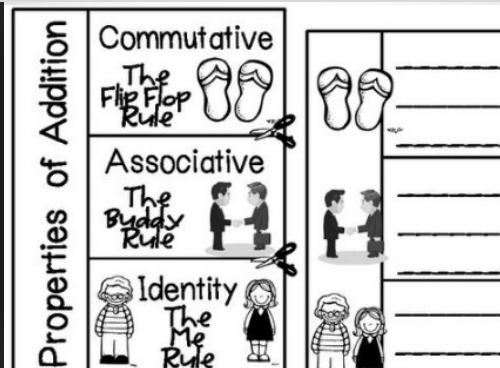
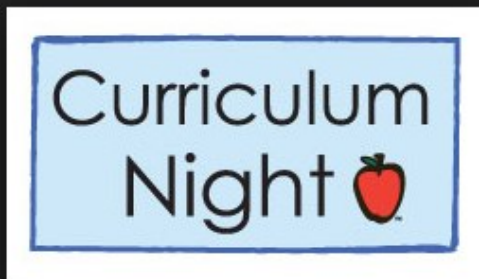
# MRS. LEWIS' GAZETTE

A WEEKLY NEWSLETTER FROM MRS. LEWIS

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## Curriculum Night : August 25th

This Thursday, the 4th grade team will be discussing the curriculum and answering any questions you may have. We will show you the new Science curriculum, discuss extended learning opportunities, explain about the tests your child will be taking, and many more topics. Hope to see you there!

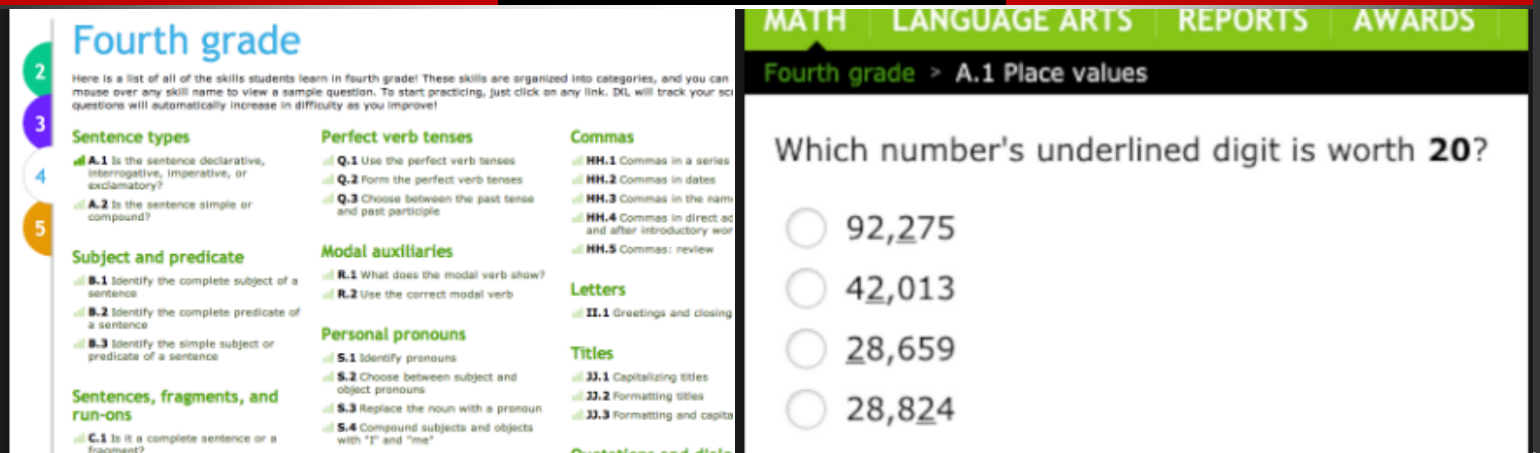
## Properties of Addition and Rules of Subtraction

This week, we are beginning Chapter 2 in MyMath: Adding and Subtracting Whole Numbers. The students will learn the properties of addition and rules of subtraction, look for patterns, and add and subtract mentally.

## Science Classes

This week the students will be learning about renewable and non-renewable resources. Topics include:

- Geothermal Energy
- Biomass and Fossil Fuels
  - Minerals
  - Hydropower



The screenshot shows the IXL website interface. At the top, there are tabs for MATH, LANGUAGE ARTS, REPORTS, and AWARDS. Below that, it says "Fourth grade > A.1 Place values". The main content area is divided into two columns. The left column lists various skills under "Fourth grade", such as "Sentence types", "Subject and predicate", "Sentences, fragments, and run-ons", "Perfect verb tenses", "Modal auxiliaries", and "Personal pronouns". The right column shows a math question: "Which number's underlined digit is worth 20?" with four multiple-choice options: 92,275, 42,013, 28,659, and 28,824. The underlined digit in each option is the digit in the tens place.

## IXL and Centers

IXL is a Math and ELA Standards-based program that allows students to practice the concepts they learned in class. During one of the centers that your child works in during Math and Reading, they will be practicing those skills using this program on the Chromebooks. Other centers for Reading include: Guided Reading, Vocabulary, Reading A-Z (comprehension with leveled readers), Spelling City, Common Core Reading Passages, and Fresh Reads.

Math centers include: Math guided practice, Placemats, Fact Dash, and Vocabulary.

## Upcoming Events

August 25th  
Curriculum/Title 1 Night  
5:00-7:15  
TSP Room 31

August 29th, 30th, and 31st  
GALILEO  
ELA, Math, Science Pre-tests

August 29th  
Family Game Night  
5:00-6:30 p.m.  
Cafeteria