Block Stars

**April 15th – April 19th** **(Week 33)**

**Spalding/Spelling:**  List 30 in spelling with pretest on Wednesday and final/dictation on Friday; 70 Phonogram Test on Friday

**Language Arts:** Lessons 41-44

**Reading:** *Tuck Everlasting* Chapters 13-17 with test on Friday

**Math:** Practice test on Monday; Final test and Power-Up test on Tuesday; Lessons 101, 103, 104

**Social Studies:** Finishing up WW I unit with test on Tuesday; beginning Great Depression unit; WW I animated video on Friday – *Sergeant Stubby*

**Science:** Beginning Unit F, Ch.2 - Motion

Dear Parents,

 As we look towards the end of the school year, it is imperative that students stay focused in the classroom, study for tests, and complete homework. Please be aware of upcoming due dates and continue to check for homework completion indicated by signing your child’s planner each night.

 I will be checking for progress on book reports this Wednesday, April 17th. Specifically, this means that I want to see that students have completely read their book and have documented examples of the attributes of quality literature by using colored tabs or recording page/paragraph numbers on the graphic organizer. At that point, students will choose which attribute of quality literature they will focus on for their report. This should not necessarily be based on what they have the most of, but what they have the best examples of. Please keep in my mind that this is not a summary, but rather an analysis of their chosen attribute.

 We’re almost there! Let’s finish strong!

Have a great week!

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**Upcoming Due Dates and Reminders:**

**Tuesday - Math Test/Power-Up Test**

 **Social Studies Test**

**Wednesday - Spelling Pretest**

 **Book Report tabs/G.O. due**

 **Progress Reports**

**Thursday - Sky Zone**

**Friday - Phonogram Test**

**Final Spelling/Dictation**

 **Reading Test**

**May 1 - Book Report Due**

**May 2 - May Memory Piece due**

**Family Fun Night**

**May 3 - Spirit Day**

**May 8 - 4th Quarter Book Log due**

**May 17 - Last Day of School**

 **Awards 8:45-9:30**

 **Party 11:00**

 **Early Release 12:15**