

Welcome to Fourth Grade

Welcome Packet

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Please complete the following Back to School Survey ASAP:

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welcome to 4TH GRADE!

Dear 4G Families,

I hope you are as excited as I am for the start of school. Fourth grade is going to be an incredible year of growth. Not only will your child grow academically, but they will also grow socially and emotionally into better versions of themselves. The focus of the first few weeks of fourth grade is to build our classroom community. We will partake in many different activities with the goal of getting to better know ourselves and each other.

I firmly believe that school must be a team effort between the teacher, students, and parents. Therefore, communication with families is very important to me. I encourage you to email me (jgrossman@livingston.org) with any questions or concerns at any time. I will keep you updated about your child's progress as well as exciting happenings in 4G throughout the school year.

A list of required supplies for 4th grade is available on page 7 of this packet. If you ordered through the PTA Supply Toolkit, your child will receive their supplies on the first day of school. In addition to the list of required supplies, please send your child with the following:

- One container of Clorox wipes.
- One small pump bottle of hand sanitizer.
- An art smock or large t-shirt labeled with your child's name.

For the first day of school, please send your child with a healthy snack, labeled with your child's name and "snack." Additionally, please be sure your child knows whether he or she brings or buys lunch every day.

Dismissal for 4th grade will be at 2:42 p.m. from Door 6.

I am looking forward to partnering with you for an incredible year.

All the best,

Mr. Justin Grossman

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Teacher Page: <https://www.livingston.org/Domain/2316>



This is my fifth year teaching at Hillside. I taught second and third grade before moving to 4th! Before teaching in Livingston, I taught in Millburn. I come to Hillside having graduated Boston University. Recently, I completed my Principal Internship with Mr. Gramata as part of my Masters in Educational Leadership/Administration. In addition to my work as a teacher, I have an extensive background working at both day and overnight camps. No matter the setting, I come to my work with children with the belief that *all* children can make a meaningful difference in the world.



Dear 4G Student,

My name is Mr. Grossman, and I will be your fourth grade teacher. I am so happy to see familiar faces and to welcome new ones!

I hope that you are as excited as I am for the first day of school. Over the past few weeks, I have been busy setting up our classroom. Our classroom is room 2. I have also been planning all the fun things that we will do together this year. We will have many exciting adventures together in fourth grade. In reading and writing, we will work to think deeply about what we read and learn to write essays. In math, we will become masters of multiplication and division. In social studies, we will become experts in the regions of the United States, and in science, we will immerse ourselves in the plant and animal kingdoms. Most importantly, we will have fun exploring all of these interesting subjects together!

I look forward to meeting you on September 1st!

Love,
Mr. Grossman

Isabella
Vincent
Julian
Max
Nate
Julia
Macey
Alexa
Daniel K.
Daniel L.
Xavier
Gia
Adriana
Soham
Leah
David
Shahjahan
Marcus
Justin
Angela
Sarah

Important Information

Email	jgrossman@livingston.org
Website	<u>Mr. Grossman's Website</u>
Google Classroom	<u>Mr. Grossman's Google Classroom</u> Class Code: 5465ybc

First Day of School

Student Arrival	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Students may arrive between 7:30 am - 7:55 am.
Supplies	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- If you ordered supplies through the PTA, your child will receive these supplies in school on the first day.- If you opted to purchase your supplies separately, please ensure your child brings their supplies on the first day (our supply list is available on page 7).- In addition to the supplies listed, all students should bring:<ul style="list-style-type: none">- One pump bottle of hand sanitizer- One box of tissues- An art smock, clearly labeled with their name- One container of wipes.- Chromebooks should come to school fully charged every day.
Snack	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Students should bring a healthy snack daily.- When possible, snack will be eaten outdoors.
Lunch & Recess	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Our lunch & recess period is from 11:03-11:45 am.- Students have the option to bring our purchase lunch.- We are moving back to the old system for ordering lunch. Students will use their ID number to purchase lunch.
Dismissal	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- 4th Grade dismisses at 2:42 pm from Door 6.



Monday	Physical Education (wear sneakers!)
Tuesday	STEAM & Music
Wednesday	Art
Thursday	Physical Education & Media (Remember sneakers and books!)
Friday	Spanish

Specials Schedule



FOURTH & FIFTH GRADE

1	7" PRESHARPENED COLORED PENCILS 12CT
24	NO2 DIXON TICONDEROGA PRESHARPENED PENCIL
4	3X3 YELLOW LINED POST IT NOTES 1/100 SHT PAD
1	AVERY BIG TAB WHITE WRITE ON PAPER DIVIDERS 8TAB
1	AVERY STANDARD WEIGHT SHEET PROTECTORS 10PK
2	BIC BLUE MED STICK PEN
1	COLORATIONS WASHABLE BROAD TIP MARKERS 8CT BOX
1	POINTED TIP 5" SCISSORS- LARGER HANDLE (AGES 4+)
2	FLUORESCENT YELLOW HIGHLIGHTER
1	BLUE PENCIL BAG W/ CLEAR TOP AND GROMMETS
1	MAGIC RUB ERASER (PEN/PENCIL) LATEX FREE
1	REG. PENCIL SHARPENER W/ RECEPTACLE
2	COLORATIONS PURPLE SMALL WASH GLUE STICK .32OZ
1	1" BLUE HARDBACK VINYL BINDER
1	1" GREEN HARDBACK VINYL BINDER
1	1" RED HARDBACK VINYL BINDER
1	1.5" PURPLE HARDBACK VINYL BINDER
1	FULL SHEET OF STUDENT LABELS
1	MEAD 8X10.5 WIDE REINFORCED FILLER PAPER 100CT
2	ASSORTED PLASTIC POCKET FOLDER W/ 3 HOLES
1	BLUE PLASTIC POCKET FOLDER W/ 3 HOLES
1	GREEN PLASTIC POCKET FOLDER W/ 3 HOLES
1	PURPLE PLASTIC POCKET FOLDERS W/ 3 HOLES
1	RED PLASTIC POCKET FOLDER W/ 3 HOLES
1	YELLOW PLASTIC POCKET FOLDER W/ 3 HOLES
1	SCOTTIES TISSUE 185CT
2	SHARPIE BLACK TWIN TIP MARKER
3	WIDE RULE BLUE MARBLE COMPOSITION BOOK 100CT
1	LOW ODOR FINE TIP DRY ERASE MARKER 4CT

Supply List

On the first day of school, please send your child with the following:

- one container of wipes
- One small pump bottle of hand sanitizer.
- one large t-shirt or smock for art labeled with your child's name