

Classroom Behavior

Students will:

- Listen when others are talking.
- Follow directions.
- Keep hands, feet, and objects to themselves.
- Use work time effectively.
- Show respect for school and personal property.
- Work and play in a safe manner.
- Have tools/materials organized to perform daily tasks (books, writing tools, paper, homework, etc.)
- Use the **SLANT** strategy to focus on lessons.
 - Sit up straight.
 - Lean forward.
 - Act interested.
 - Nod your head.
 - Track the speaker.

Social Studies

Students will:

- Identify and locate major physical and cultural features (states and capitals, mountain ranges, rivers) associated with the history and development of the United States.
- Identify physical characteristics the regions of the United States and analyze how the regions depend on each other.
- Identify how humans impact the environment.
- Identify how changes in technology and attitudes affected development of regions.

Fourth Grade Student Expectations



Maple River Schools

For a complete list of state standards, please go to our website:

www.isd2135.k12.mn.us

Click on the MDE button and choose academic standards.

*Maple River East-Minnesota Lake
Maple River West- Good Thunder*

Reading

Students will:

- Decode unfamiliar words and read with fluency and expression.
- Use a variety of strategies to expand reading, listening, and speaking vocabularies.
- Understand a variety of texts, demonstrating literal, interpretive, inferential, and evaluative comprehension.
- Read, understand, respond to, and analyze a wide variety of fiction, poetic and nonfiction texts.



Language Arts

Students will:

- Use the steps of the writing process in a variety of texts.
- Apply spelling, grammar, and punctuation skills when writing.
- Locate and use information in reference materials.
- Write legibly and use a keyboard.
- Communicate effectively through listening and speaking.
- Analyze information found in electronic print and media.

Math

Students will:

- Apply skills of mathematical representation, communication, and reasoning.
- Represent numbers in various ways to solve problems: tables, charts, variables and expressions.
- Compute fluently using addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division using whole numbers, fractions, and decimals.
- Understand the concepts of fractions and decimals.
- Identify and classify geographic figures.
- Determine angles and measurements.
- Understand spatial relationships such as congruence and symmetry.
- Use numbers to represent patterns and relationships, including algebraic expressions.



Science

Students will:

- Understand how science and technology are used in the natural world.
- Understand that heating and cooling changes properties of a substance.
- Explore basic electricity principles.
- Demonstrate the relationship between electricity and magnets.
- Describe the water cycle and where water exists on Earth.
- Identify and classify rocks and minerals.
- Understand the functions of the immune system.

