

Upcoming 4th Graders (McKean Elementary) FALL 2024

Research shows kids lose about 2-3 months of learning over the summer, also known as the “summer slide.”



Math:

The following website, multiplication.com provides resources for students to practice their basic facts, so they are ready for 4th grade! Click “learn” on the main menu and use the “Fact Navigator” to learn new facts, review facts, play games, and check your progress with quizzes.

Reading:

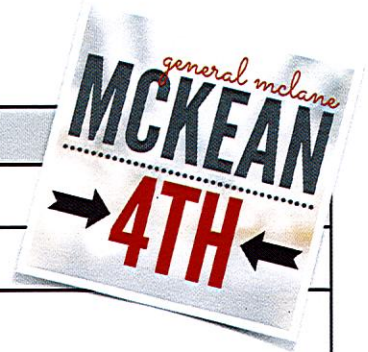
McKean PTA provides each student with a summer reading log. Develop a schedule with your family that allows 20 minutes of reading each day. If you don't want your child's reading level to go down over the summer, **they have to read.** You can visit scholastic.com/bookwizard/ to view reading levels of books, or to find books similar to others your child likes. Remember...they can also read magazines, comics, or anything else that gets them reading. Students who read over the summer and record it on their log (or any paper) will receive a pizza party at the beginning of the year.

Supply List:

Here is a list of school supplies that will be helpful with "Back to School" shopping. Please understand that these are items that are important for each student to come with, but we are sensitive to varying situations and will make accommodations where needed.

These items will be used exclusively by your child:

Checklist	Quantity	Requested Items
	2	Spiral notebooks- College Ruled
	1	Pencil bag with 3 holes to fit in binder
	1	Ear Bud Headphones (with Microphone) to keep at school (Really cheap ones break in the iPad microphone jack)
	1	Stylus for the iPad
	1	Heavy duty- 1.5”, D-ring “view” binder with a clear insertable front cover and pockets on both sides.



These items will be collected for our classroom supply closet and used as needed:

Checklist	Quantity	Requested Items
	1 pair	Scissors
	2 Pack(s)	Totaling 48 plain yellow pencils. (No mechanical)
	Boys- 1	Disinfectant Wipes
	Girls - 1	Pack of sticky notes
	8 count	Twistable Colored Pencils
	1 or more	Box of tissues