

	Trimester 2 Topics	Ways to Support These Topics at Home
Math	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Division • Factors & Multiples • Fractions • Mixed Numbers • Add/Sub Fractions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • www.thinkcentral.com • www.coolmath.com • http://www.mrmathblog.com/fourth-grade-math.html • https://www.mathplayground.com/multiples.html • http://www.fun4thebrain.com/Division/galaxydiv.html • http://www.abcya.com/equivalent_fractions_bingo.htm • https://www.mathplayground.com/fractions_compare.html • Practicing basic multiplication facts with flashcards or having a family member ask students are great ways to build foundational skills!
Reading	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reading Comprehension/Fluency • Non-Fiction Text Structures • Vocabulary Development • Historical Fiction 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • www.raz-kids.com • http://www.readworks.org/books/passages • http://www.eduplace.com/kids/hme/k_5/grammar/ • https://newsela.com/text-sets/#/featured?grade_levels=4 • Students should be reading both fiction and non-fiction at home
Writing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Persuasive • Informative/Explanatory • Grammar • Written Response to Text <p>In all areas we will be working on organization, supporting details, mechanics, revising and editing.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • http://www.writingprompts.net/4th-grade/ • https://www.journalbuddies.com/journal_prompts_journal_topics/4th-grade-writing-prompts/ • http://www.readwritethink.org/classroom-resources/student-interactives/essay-30063.html • http://www.scholastic.com/teachers/story-starters/
Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Energy • Potential/ Kinetic Energy 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have an energy scavenger hunt in your home. How many examples of energy can each family member find in five or ten minutes? • Research the use of alternative energy resources in your community. How are solar panels, wind turbines, or hydroelectric energy used?

		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Compare batteries. What objects use AA batteries? Which objects use C or D batteries? Discuss the difference in usage among these objects.
Social Studies	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• New Jersey• Government• Economy• Citizenship• Culture	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Visit www.nj.gov to learn about our state government• visit http://www.parsippany.net/ to learn about our local government• Harmony.com