



## Fenton Charter Leadership Academy: A Fenton Charter Public School

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**A LOOK AT LEADERSHIP** – Each week we will feature a Leadership related lesson or activity occurring at Fenton Charter Leadership Academy. In this section of the newsletter, you will find the most recent, innovative, and creative events and activities happening at FCLA. This week we are excited to share a lesson that involved our fantastic fourth grade students!

In our fourth grade classrooms, we've been fostering a culture of leadership and collaboration. Each student has had the chance to step up and take on leadership roles, whether it's leading a group discussion, organizing materials, or assisting their peers with challenging tasks. It's been inspiring to witness how

our students have embraced these opportunities and grown as leaders. Through daily activities and group projects, they've learned the importance of teamwork and cooperation, skills that will undoubtedly serve them well throughout their lives.

Our classroom's collaborative projects have highlighted our leadership skills. Students worked in teams to make spoon catapults and test their designs as well in a group project on California's regions. They've learned how to effectively communicate, listen to one another's ideas, and compromise when necessary. These experiences are not only academically enriching but also help our students develop essential life skills. As we continue to nurture leadership and collaboration in our fourth grade classrooms, we are excited to see how these skills will benefit our students not only in their academic journeys but also in their future endeavors.

**FALL BREAK** – Fenton Charter Leadership Academy will observe Fall break on Monday, October 9th. We hope you enjoy this time with your family.

### IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

- October 9 Fall Break – No School
- October 13 Fall Family Math Night (5:00-6:00pm)
- October 23-27 Red Ribbon Week & Scholastic Book Fair
- October 27 Minimum Day
- October 31 Minimum Day/After School Assembly & Halloween Parade