

Welcome to 4th Grade with Mr. Albright!

Dear 4th Grade Families,

Welcome to a brand-new school year! My name is Mr. Albright, and I am absolutely thrilled to be your child's 4th-grade teacher. This year is a fantastic milestone—it is a time when students step into bigger leadership roles, tackle exciting new concepts, and truly grow as independent thinkers (while still having plenty of fun along the way).

My goal is to create a classroom community where every student feels safe, valued, challenged, and genuinely excited to walk through the door each morning. We will be leaning heavily into hands-on projects, collaborative teamwork, and creative problem-solving this year.



The First Week Checklist

To help us hit the ground running, please keep these quick details in mind for the first few days:

- **Supplies:** Please bring in your standard school supply kit on day one. If you need an extra copy of the classroom supply list, just let me know!
- **Fueling 4th-Grade Brains:** 4th graders burn a lot of energy! Please send your child with a reusable water bottle and a healthy, nut-free daily snack.
- **Dismissal Plans:** Make sure your child knows exactly how they are getting home on the first day (bus, car rider, or walker) and notify the front office of any changes ahead of time.

Communication: I believe that a strong partnership between home and school is the key to a successful year. The best way to reach me for individual questions, scheduling conferences, or private updates is via email at ralbright@pcschoools.us. I check this before and after school hours and will do my best to respond within 24 hours.

Enjoy these final days of summer break. I cannot wait to meet all of my new students and kick off an incredible year together!

Warmly,

Mr. Albright 4th Grade Teacher

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