

# St. Raphael the Archangel

## English

### 4th Grade 2017-2018

#### Learning Goals- Students will:

##### Writing

1. Write an essay using reasons and information to support an opinion.
2. Write an informational text.
3. Write a narrative text.
4. Consider the purpose and the audience when writing.
5. Choose and be able to distinguish between formal or informal language in different writing situations.
6. Plan, revise, and edit writing.
7. Use technology resources to create, publish, and share writing.
8. Research aspects of a topic.
9. Choose words and phrases that best express ideas.
10. Write an informal letter.
11. Write a formal letter.
12. Write a comparison/contrast essay.
13. Write paragraphs using topic sentence and supporting details.

##### Language

1. Correct fragments and run-on sentences.
2. Correctly form singular and plural possessive nouns.
3. Correctly use homophones.
4. Form and use simple verb tenses in regular and irregular forms.
5. Form complete sentences.
6. Spell correctly when writing sentences.
7. Understand word relationships and differences in word meanings.
8. Identify and use pronoun antecedents.
9. Use adverb case correctly (subject and object).
10. Use antonyms and synonyms to better understand words.
11. Use correct capitalization.
12. Use correct punctuation.
13. Use helping verbs to express time and mood.
14. Use pronoun case correctly (subject and object).
15. Identify and use relative pronouns.

## **Speaking and Listening**

- 1. Actively participate in a discussion group.**
- 2. Use multimedia and visual aids to support the main idea and themes.**
- 3. Summarize a discussion.**
- 4. Use language correctly when writing, speaking, reading, or listening.**