## **Cactus Classroom News**

## April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024

## Note from Teacher:

Hello Cactus Families!

I can't believe it is April 1<sup>st</sup> already! This year has been so amazing thus far and I know our students are going to do well on the state tests. The first test is tomorrow, and it is the writing test. We have been talking in class about key writing details that are needed for an opinion essay.

Key Writing Details for the Test:

- Hook
- Introduction
- Reasons to support your opinion
- Conclusion

Please remind your students to eat a good breakfast and get plenty of sleep the night before. There has been a lot of stress and anxiety because of the test, but I know each student will do well.

Please make sure students arrive on time as we start testing at 9am.

## **Important Dates:**

April 2<sup>nd</sup> – Writing State Test

April 8th – Reading State Test Part 1

April 9<sup>th</sup> – Math State Test Part 1

April 10<sup>th</sup> – Reading State Test Part 2

April 11<sup>th</sup> – Math State Test Part 2