

5th Grade Week Ahead

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Language Arts: We have had a busy week. We are working in stations again and introduced word study. We have been reviewing our topics and will assess next week. In writing, we are writing our final opinion piece.

Book report is due 1/31.

*Please help make time for homework after school; it's so important to have time to review, read (books on level), and practice the skills that we need to master this school year.

Social Studies: The American Revolution continues. We have been reviewing what caused the revolution and the effects of the war. They are writing about their opinion on being a Patriot or Loyalist during this time period.

Class Novel: Sophia's War by Avi

Science: We continue to work on the Human Body and how the different systems interact and rely on each other. With the end of the quarter just around the corner you should be seeing students reading their notes on a daily basis. We will have an end of unit test toward the end of the month. I will send along a date the closer we get to test time.

Important Dates

- 1/15 No School/ MLK Jr. Day
- 1/17 ELA Assessment
- 1/19 SS Assessment/End of 2nd Quarter
- 1/16 Class Spelling Bee

Daily Schedule

8:45-9:15 Arrival/ Morning Procedures

9:15-10:10 Block 1

10:10 – 10:55 Specials

10:55 – 12:00 Block 1

12:00 – 12:50 Block 2

12:50 – 1:20 Lunch

1:20 – 1: 50 Activity Time

1:50 – 3:10 Block 2

3:10 – 3:30 Finish class/Wrap up day

3:30-3:45 End of Day Procedures/ Dismissal

Math: We are working on Multiplying and dividing numbers with decimal points. Essentially this is a review as earlier in the year we multiplied and divided numbers. Now we added the decimals into the mix. As I mentioned earlier, if your child does not have a command of their multiplication facts the work we are doing now in class will be a struggle. Please know that students will have a weekly MobyMax Math assignment. This is given on Tuesdays and students will have a week to complete the assigned task. I have reminded students that with Math, they should have pencil & paper with them when working. Math problems should be worked out completely. As I often mention to students in class, show your work so you can review your answers. Mental Math makes mistakes!
