

5th Grade Week Ahead

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Language Arts: Fantasy is going great with these kids...they love it and are really grasping the elements that help identify the genre. We have been presenting review topics, note taking, building our reading strategies, and writing. We continue with our novel and do daily activities that go along with it. Next week, we have our poem recitations and will continue with our novel.

*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: We finished Sophia's War. They loved this novel and were able to pull so much that they learned into the details of this story. We have been discussing our government, constitution, and reconstruction after the war. Next week, they will have a test on the government and constitution.

Science: We will finish up monitoring the weather in Cary, Sydney Australia and Alert Canada. This has been fun to see the kid's reaction to the different climates. This week we will work on why we have the different seasons, and how air pressure has a direct impact of our daily weather.

Students should be studying nightly in Science. This is a simple review of their notes or studying key vocabulary for the unit.

Important Dates

- 3/1 BJP forms due
- 3/1 2nd BJP payment due
- 3/2 Early Release
- 3/6 Parent BJP Meeting @ 8 AM
- 3/28 3rd BJP payment due
- 6/11 Moving Up Ceremony @ 10:30

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 will finish up patterns in the next few days and have a test on Thursday or Friday. Fractions are just around the corner and not knowing their facts will be to their disadvantage.

Weekly, students have a Moby Max assignment. This week's assignment is Patterns. When they finish the given assignment they may work on any Math concepts they feel that can use some reinforcement with. Weekly students are required to spend an hour on Moby Max Math. For students that do not complete this assignment each week they will be provided time during 'smart recess.'
