

5th Grade Week Ahead

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Language Arts: Students are very excited to be starting their book clubs this week! We are in the editing and revising phase of our narratives; still discussing character, plot, theme, and inferencing through our reading. We will begin our first week of word study, and reviewing some new grammar terms.

Science: Students will be building cars to help understand concepts of force and motion. We will be looking at applying varying degrees of force to their cars to see what impact it might have on the car. Students will ponder if adding weight has a direct impact to the distance a car can travel?

SS: This week we did a lot of practice and review of how to create and follow a budget. Students are learning the importance of budgeting money in order to have savings. We also introduced the vocab of producer, consumer, goods, services, interest, income, budget, and trade-off.

Math: We have our first standards test on Monday. The test will cover multiplication and division standards 5. NBT.5 & 5. NBT.6. From multiplication and division we move on to decimals. Here we will learn how to write decimals to the thousandths using base ten numerals, number names and expanded form. This is a pretty short unit and I anticipate an assessment towards the end of the week of October 2.

Important Dates

- **Sept. 25 – Take Stock in MPE begins**
- **Sept. 29 – Interim Reports go home**
- **Sept. 29 - Early Release Day**
- **Oct. 14 – MPE Autism Walk/Run**

Daily Schedule

8:45-9:15 Arrival/ Morning Procedures

9:15-10:10 Block I

10:10-10:50 Specials

10:50-12:00 Block I cont.

12:00 – 12:50 Block II

12:50-1:20 Lunch

1:20 – 1:50 Recess

1:50-3:10 Block II cont.

3:10-3:30 Homeroom Procedures

3:30-3:45 End of Day Wrap up & Dismissal

