5th Grade Weekly Updates

January 6-10, 2024

Mark Your Calendar

1.8-5th Grade Orchestra Field Trip

January 17-Skate Night 5:15-7:15

January 20- Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday- Students Out

January 23- Family STEM night 5:30

January 25- Grounds Beautification

January 13-17 International Week- 5th grade will be studying Asia.

Each homeroom has a specific country they will focus on. Please see the flier after the math updates.

NOTE: If your student is tardy, please send an excuse note. Tardies remain unexcused without a note.

5th grade students are to complete all classwork, homework and assessments in pencil. (Unless otherwise instructed) Points will be deducted for assignments completed in pen or marker. Homework will NOT be accepted if completed in pen or marker (unless instructed to do so).

Interested in White Station Middle School for 6th grade? Please use the link to sign up for a tour and have all of your questions answered!

[White Station Middle School Tour](https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B094AAFAA2DA5FB6-50993204-white)

Please see additional announcements after the math updates!

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| Science and Social Studies- Mrs. Totty |
| This is week 1 of Science (out of 4) in Quarter 3. This week we will learn about motion and how we know that something is moving.  Vocabulary terms for the week are: direction, distance, motion, position, and speed  Definitions of the terms are due Tuesday. If not written in the spiral notebook, 5 points will be deducted. Ten points per day the HW is late.  If not in the notebook 5 points will be deducted. If homework is not completed by the due date, then 10 points will be deducted for each day it is late.  We wil have a test on Friday!    \*Students can make flash cards for each of the definitions, it will count for 5 bonus points on the test/quiz. There must be a separate card for each vocab word.  Flash cards are to be brought on the day of the test or quiz. (\*this is an optional opportunity for extra credit!) Flash cards can be made every week that we have vocabulary terms, whether it is a science or social studies week. 😊 |
| Important Dates for Science/Social Studies |

**Quarter 3 Dates:**

**Weeks of January 6 and 13/ February 3 and 10- Science**

**Weeks January 20 and 27/ February 17 and 24- Social Studies**

**Week of March 3- Most likely science review**

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| Mr. Wardlow – English Language Arts |

* Standards: 5.RI.CS.4 Determine the meaning of words and phrases as they are used in a text relevant to a grade 5 topic or subject area, including figurative, connotative, and technical meaning
* Objective: **SWBAT** identify and define word parts **IOT** determine the meaning of unfamiliar words and phrases
* **SWBAT** identify context clues **IOT** determine or clarify the meaning of unfamiliar words and phrases

**Vocabulary: Vocabulary Quiz January 10th**

1. **Sheesh-** used to express disappointment, annoyance, or surprise
2. **Feedback-** evaluative or corrective information communicated about an action, event, process, or product to the original source
3. **Greeting**- a formal gesture or welcome often traditional
4. **Blessings-** things conducive to happiness or welfare
5. **Railings-** barriers consisting of bars usually of timber or metal and supports
6. **Adorable-** extremely charming or lovable : delightful
7. **Orca-** a relatively small toothed whale that is black and white underparts and white oval shaped patches behind the eyes.
8. **Pangs-** Brief piercings spasms of pain
9. **Oftentimes-** not seldom : frequently
10. 10.**Tenets-** beliefs generally held to be true; especially

* **Stories:**
* **Read Works Do Now: Interesting Jobs and Careers**

Noredink: Dependent and Independent Clauses

Commonlit: Dolores Huerta, Leader and Activist

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| Mrs. Barringer- Math | |
| Important Dates  Multiplication Fact Fluency is imperative for fractions.  1.9- Vocab 7/8 Quiz  1.10-Computation Check #1 Q3  1.15- iReady Math Winter Diagnostic  1.16-Computation Check #2 Q3  1.17- Topic 8 Assessment  1.23-Computation Check #3 Q3  1.31- Quarter 3 Math Project Due- Fraction Frenzy-NO LATE PROJECTS  1.31- Topic 9 Assessment |

**Now that we are in the 3rd quarter, homework will increase to 2x weekly on Tuesdays and Thursdays. It is due back on Wednesdays and Fridays. Assignments may include workbook pages and specific problems from the assessment practice. This is in an effort to prepare for the expectations of middle school. I will no longer send out reminders that homework or a project is due. Please develop a routine to ensure that the work is completed at home in pencil and is returned to school on the due date.**

Math Reminders/Procedures:

-Please review multiplication facts. 5-10 minutes nightly reviewing facts as well as factors vs. multiples would benefit all students. We are beginning division, and it is CRITICAL that multiplication facts are mastered.

-Please remind students to arrive at class on time with all necessary materials. Ask your student what may need to be replenished- dry erase markers, pencils (no mechanical pencils), cap erasers etc. **A conduct mark will be issued to students without supplies. Students may not use a pen on any assignments in math class. Points will be deducted if a pen is used.**

This week:

Topic 8: Multiplying and Dividing Fractions

Lesson 1: Multiplying Whole Numbers by Fractions Part 1

Lesson 2: Multiplying Whole Numbers by Fractions Part 2

Lesson 3: Multiplying Fractions and Whole Numbers

Lesson 4: Using Models to Multiply 2 Fractions

Students may complete IXL Lessons at home using any computer. Passwords have been distributed. The list of lessons for January are:

**In the Sixth Grade Tab** : any lessons under the K and L

In the Fifth Grade Tab: any lessons under L and M

Students can find these under the Recommendations by Your Teacher Tab in IXL..

**These are not mandatory,** simply extra practice. Your student also has Teacher Assigned iReady Lessons based off of the most recent iReady Fall Math Diagnostic.

How does my student log in?

1. [www.edugoodies.com.scs](http://www.edugoodies.com.scs)
2. Clever
3. C. Magbee’s Page
4. IXL
5. Sign In
6. Hover on Learning
7. Select Recommended by Your Teacher to see lessons.

