5th Grade Weekly Updates

April 14- 18, 2025

Mark Your Calendar

TCAP Testing window is April 14-25

No School-April 18

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

TCAP is here! As we navigate this week, here are some considerations:

-get a good night’s sleep

-eat breakfast

-arrive at school daily and on time- we will start promptly at 8:15 each day

**-smart watches and phones should not come to school.**

-believe the hype- our 5th graders are amazing! Here is the chance to show it off

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| Science and Social Studies- Mrs. Totty |
| This week we will review for the TCAP test- we will have shorter class periods this week (April 14th and April 21st due to TCAP tests  IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT-  \*We will not have social studies until after the TCAP test. When progress reports are published Social Studies will be blank. We will have about 4 weeks of social studies after testing.  The vocabulary terms for the week are:  None!    We will not have an actual test on Friday. |
| Important Dates for Science/Social Studies |
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**Quarter 4 Dates:**

**Weeks of April 14 and 21- Review for TCAP science test**

**Weeks of April 28, May 5,12,19- Social Studies**

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| Mr. Wardlow – English Language Arts |

* Standards: 5.RL.1,2,3 TCAP Review

Quote accurately from the text when explaining what the text says explicitly and when drawing inferences from the text

Determine a theme or central idea of a story, drama, or poem, and explain how it is conveyed through details in the text; summarize the text

Compare and Contrast two or more characters, settings, or events in a story or drama, drawing on specific details in a text

* Objective: **SWBAT** quote accurately from the text when drawing inferences

**Vocabulary: No Test**

**Greek/Latin/Affixes Review**

* **Stories: Measuring Up!**
* **Read Works Do Now:**  People and Places of Long Ago

Noredink: Contractions

Commonlit: Kobe Bryant: A Basketball Legend

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| Mrs. Barringer- Math | |
| Important Dates  No math homework the week of 4.14 and 4.21.  We will review skills each day this week. We will begin an in-class project the week of 4.28, Tentative Due Date for the in-class project is 5.6.  We will move to 6th grade skills beginning the week of 4.28. Please expect homework to continue and for there to be 2 more assessments. |

**Now that we are in the 4th quarter, homework will increase to 3x weekly on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays. It is due back on Wednesdays, Thursdays 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. Homework passes may not be used on Topic Assessment Practice pages.**

Math Reminders/Procedures:

-Please review multiplication facts. 5-10 minutes nightly reviewing facts as well as factors vs. multiples would benefit all students.

-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: TN Ready Review

We will continue to have short mixed lessons from all three topics daily

Students may complete IXL Lessons at home using any computer. Passwords have been distributed. Students can find assigned lessons 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.

