Upcoming Events
- Sept 4: Labor Day-No School
- Sept. 22: Student Holiday
- Sept. 28: Interim Reports
- Oct. 9: Columbus Day-No School
- Nov. 7: Conferences
- Nov. 16: Report Cards
- Nov. 23-24: Thanksgiving Break

5th Grade Curriculum

MATHEMATICS
- Prime & Composite
- Even & Odd
- Relating fractions/decimals
- Ordering & comparing fractions/decimals

LANGUAGE ARTS
- Set and monitor reading goals.
- Read for a specific purpose
- Return to text to verify and clarify information
- Make, confirm and revise predictions
- Make text-to-text, text-to-self, and text-to-world connections
- Identify what is causing difficulty in order to comprehend
- Participate in range of discussions, building on others’ ideas, and clearly expressing their own

SCIENCE
- Daily Science Reviews
- Science Lab

SOCIAL STUDIES
- Civics: Students’ rights and responsibilities
- Exploring culture through global awareness
- Fertile crescent
- Ancient China
- India
- Pre-Columbian civilization

COMMUNITY SERVICE:
- Food Drive: TBA
- Xmas: Hats & Scarves: TBA
Mathematics:
- Review basic facts until students can automatically recall them
- Review homework/notes with your child on a daily basis
- Visit “Jefferson Lab” on 24-7 accounts to practice for the Math and Science Standards of Learning (SOL)

Language Arts:
- Make sure your child is reading a book that “fits” his/her independent reading level (no more than 2-3 errors per 100 words). If there are more errors than that, please make sure that you are reading that particular book WITH or TO your child.

Science/Social Studies:
- Go over notes/notebooks/textbooks with your child.
- Review any tests/quizzes/assignments that are sent home.
- Use the study guide on the back of each week’s Science Daily Review. It is a great help for quiz prep!
- Have your child use the text to support comprehension questions for science and social studies.
- Allow your child to read non-fiction content-related materials.

Reminders:
- Agenda- Please sign and review homework with your child daily
- Healthy snack- Please send in a peanut free healthy snack
- Weather- We go outside daily (unless inclement weather). Make sure your child is dressed for the outdoors.
- School Box Supplies- Please check the supply list to see if your child needs any additional supplies for school.