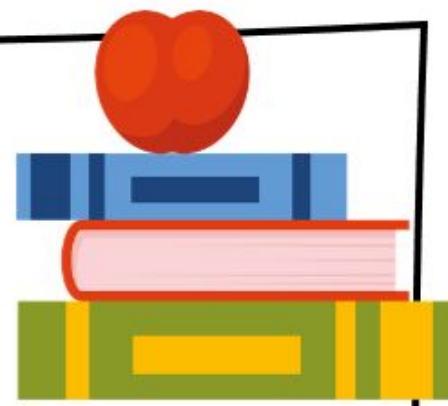


OUR CLASSROOM newsletter



WELCOME BACK!

OUR LEARNING SNAPSHOT:

Welcome back! Each week you will receive a newsletter from your child's homeroom teacher overviewing lessons for the week. This week we will be reviewing the handbook (which students brought home for you to read) and learning our routines and expectations. We are so excited to be back to school and look forward to working with you all this year!

By MONDAY ALL students will need one binder which will be used in all 3 classes!

(Mrs. Horn has extras in case you are not able to purchase one for your student.)

CLASS WISHLIST

- Disinfectant Wipes
- Hand sanitizer
- Kleenex (tissue boxes)
- Ziplock bag assorted sizes
- bottled water or plastic cups
- Jolly ranchers and/or Starbursts
- your child's favorite class snack/candy (no gum or peanuts)



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UPCOMING EVENTS:

August 2, 3:00-4:30-Meet the Teacher

August 3-1st Day for 5th Grade

August 16-Show Choir Interest Meeting

August 25, 2:30-Show Choir Auditions

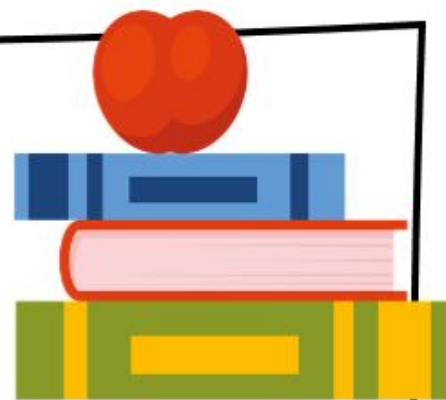
August 25, 5:30-PTO Meeting

September 13-School Pictures

PRACTICE @ HOME:

Homework in ELA and Math will be fluency based and assigned weekly. Science homework will be assigned on an "as needed" basis. Please check your child's planner daily for important information.

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AUGUST 8-12

OUR LEARNING SNAPSHOT:

READING

Finding the main idea and using context clues to help identify new words and phrases. Working on comprehension through teacher read aloud: *What was the Age of Exploration*

WRITING

Writing complex sentences using prepositional phrases. Developing a paragraph using the *Power Writing Strategy*.

MATH

Fluently multiply multi-digit whole numbers using the standard algorithm and using Area Models for Multiplication (this is a tested unit in Term 1).

SCIENCE

Exploring the properties of matter. Identifying and understanding the parts of an atom.

SOCIAL STUDIES

Introduction to Oceans and Maps.



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UPCOMING EVENTS:

I Ready Diagnostics this week

August 16-Show Choir Interest Meeting

August 25, 2:30-Show Choir Auditions/ 5:30-PTO Meeting

September 2-Progress Reports

September 13-School Pictures

PRACTICE @ HOME:

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Math Homework: Multiplication Fluency Practice and Standard Algorithm for Multiplication Practice.

Reading Homework: Fluency practice-paying attention to punctuation and expression. Students will read aloud task cards each night to a parent/guardian.