

Grade 5 Newsletter

Week 3: September 15-19, 2024.

Message from the Grade 5 Team:

- **ELA** "How can where you are, change who you are?" That is the big question we are exploring in this unit. To answer it, we are reading, writing, and talking about immigration. Be a part of our exploration! With your child, read the new vocabulary. Talk together about where your family is from and where you live now. Do you know any anecdotes, or true stories, about your family's history? Share them. Try to use some of the new words in your discussion.
 - **Math:** Students begin Chapter 1 by exploring place-value relationships in multidigit numbers. They learn that a digit in a particular place-value position is worth 10 times as much when it moves one place to the left and 1/10 as much when it moves one place to the right.
 - **Science:** In this lesson, students will explore the vital role of science and math in engineering. They'll discover how these subjects work together to solve everyday challenges through creativity and innovation.
- **Math: Timed Multiplication tables 1-12 Quiz Monday, September 16th, 2024.**
 - **Spelling Test: Wednesday, September 18th, 2024.**

English Language Arts

Selection: My Diary Across Places and Time by Robyn Montana Turner

Essential Question: How can where you are change who you are?

Language Focus: Ask for and Give Information

Content Vocabulary: country, culture, education, employment, immigration

Academic Vocabulary: opportunity, refuge, symbol, transition, translate

Spelling: *absence, accent, ambassador, anticipate, aspect, bashful, behalf, compassion, diplomatic, financial, reality, tactics, tragedy, transported, vastness, accomplish, beginning, disappoint, especially, getting*

Reading Strategy: Preview and Predict

Genre: Diary

Writing: Personal Narrative

Math

Book/Chapter/Unit/Topic: Chapter 1 Place Value Lessons 1-3

Key Vocabulary: place-value chart, period, place, place value, standard form, expanded form

Essential Question: How does the position of a digit in a number relate to its value?

Science

Book/Chapter/Unit: Science Dimensions: Unit 1: Lesson: 1 How are Science and Math Used in Engineering?

Big Idea: Science and math are essential tools that help engineers design and create solutions for real-world problems. By understanding how to apply these subjects, students can see how innovations are brought to life

Homework

* Homework is due on Thursday each week.

ELA IXL Skills	JJ3, JJ4 and H1
Math IXL Skills	C1, E1, E2
Science IXL Skills	Z1, Z2



STAR STUDENTS OF THE WEEK



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