

## Grade 5 Newsletter

Week 5: September 29, - October 3, 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!
- **Math:** Students continue 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:** Scientists discover new things and figure out how things work. They answer questions by careful observations and investigations. In this unit we will learn about different kinds of scientists and what they do!

▪ **Math Chapter 1 Test Place Value Lessons 1-4, Tuesday October 8<sup>th</sup>, 2024**

▪ **Science: Design Process and Vocabulary Quiz, Wednesday October 9<sup>th</sup>, 2024**

### English Language Arts

**Selection:** A Writer’s Journey: A biography of Xiaolu Guo

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

**Language Focus:** Ask and Answer Questions

**Content Vocabulary:** Citizenship, Custom, Ethnic, Foreign, Origin

**Academic Vocabulary:** Adapt, Challenge, Diversity, Identity, Society

**Spelling Words:** adjustment, bluntly, bundles, triumph, uproar, other, money, sunrise, studied, country, customer, surrounded, dumplings, publish, company, culture, customs, become, sometimes, understand

**Reading Strategy:** Monitor and Clarify

**Genre:** Biography

**Grammar:** Complete Sentences

**Writing:** Personal Narrative

### Math

**Book/Chapter/Unit/Topic:** Chapter 1 Place Value Lessons 7 and 8

**Key Vocabulary:** decimals, decimal point, place value, value

**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: 2 *What is the Design Process?* Lesson 3: *How Does Technology Affect Society?* **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.

<b>ELA IXL Skills</b>	<b>D1</b>
<b>Math My Math Student Book</b>	<b>Pages 1.6 page 47-48</b>  <b>Pages 1.7 page 53-54</b>
<b>Science</b>	<b>Online (assigned through MS Teams)</b>



### STAR STUDENTS OF THE WEEK



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