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Grade 5 Newsletter

Week 13: November 24-28, 2024.

Message from the Grade 5 Team:

- **ELA:** *This week in English Language Arts, we will continue our work on Unit 3. In this unit, we are exploring the big question: "How are animals and plants dependent on one another?" To answer this, we will read, write, and discuss how living things are interconnected.*
- **Math:** *In Math, we are starting Chapter 5, which focuses on adding and subtracting decimals. Students will learn how to use place value and mathematical properties to accurately add and subtract decimals.*
- **Science:** *This week, we continue with Unit 3, moving on to Lesson 2, which focuses on how organisms obtain and use matter and energy. Students will delve deeper into how living organisms interact within their environments.*

English Language Arts

Reading Selection: *Fish of The Future* by Cheryl Block

Essential Question: How are animals and plants dependent on one another?

Content Vocabulary: chlorophyll; magnify; microscope; nutrients; photosynthesis.

Academic Vocabulary: *classify; investigate; observe; propose; specialize.*

Spelling Words: *clone, graze, vile, great, biome, canine, despise, intrude, provoke, wholesome, research, agitate, attribute, fascinate, hibernate, introduce, pesticide, estimated, overfishing, populations.*

Reading Strategy: Learn to Determine Importance – Analyze text features; Use grade-level words.

Genre: An Interview

Math

Book/Chapter/Unit/Topic: Chapter 5 Add and Subtract Decimals Lessons 1 and 2

Key Vocabulary: decimal, round, sum, difference, place value

Essential Question: How can I use place value and properties to add and subtract decimals?

Science

Book/Chapter/Unit: Science Dimensions: Unit 3 Energy and Matter in Organisms: Lesson: 2

Big Idea: Animals rely on food, water, and gases from the environment for growth, repair, energy, and release waste back into the environment.

Essential Question: How Do Organisms Use Matter and Energy?

Science Vocabulary: *community, consumer, ecosystem, environment, habitat, niche, photosynthesis, population, predator, prey, producer.*

Homework

* Homework is due on Thursday each week.

ELA IXL Skills	IXL: KK4 and KK5 (continue)
Math My Math Student Book	Pages: 307, 313
Science (Teams Assignment)	MS Forms



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