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Grade 5 Newsletter

Week 3: September 14-18, 2025.

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:** 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.
- Water bottles: Please note that ONLY plastic water bottles are allowed at school no metal or glass.
- Snacks: Ensure that your child has wholesome/healthy sandwiches and fruit in their lunch bags.
 Chips and crackers will be allowed at recess, after they have eaten their healthy snack. Sweet treats can be brought to school on a Thursday.
- "Back to School" Readiness Survey: Please encourage your child to complete the survey on the link below.

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REMINDERS

- Math Timetable Quiz [x0 to x12] Monday September 15th, 2025
- English Quiz Comprehension & Vocabulary: Reach Higher Part 1 (page 4-36) Wednesday
 September 17th, 2025

English Language Arts

Selection: I Was Dreaming to Come to America by Veronica Law (pg. 29-36)

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

Dictation: Last summer, I went on a journey with my cousin to visit our family in a small village. We packed our luggage, grabbed our passports, and waved

goodbye to our neighbors.

Reading Strategy: Preview and Predict

Genre: Oral history

Grammar: Complete Sentences, subject and predicate.



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Math

Book/Chapter/Unit/Topic: Chapter 1 Place Value Lessons 6-8

Key Vocabulary: period, place, place value, standard form, expanded form, decimal, decimal point

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 realworld problems. By understanding how to apply these subjects, students can see how innovations are brought to life

Homework

- * All homework is graded, and due on Thursday.
- * Extra IXL Practice, is not graded, but will help to improve your child's grade level and understanding.

ELA/ENGLISH:	IXL: JJ2
	EXTRA PRACTICE: IXL – JJ3, N1, II4
MATH:	MY MATH, page 59-60
	EXTRA PRACTICE: IXL – W1,W3,W4,W6,W7,W8
SCIENCE:	MS Teams FORM



STAR STUDENTS OF THE WEEK



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5D	Nourah Abdulaziz Al Azmi
5E	Farah Fahad Owaidh AlMutairi