

Grade 5 Newsletter

Week 1 & 2: August 30 -September 10, 2026

Message from the Grade 5 Team:

The first two weeks of school is set aside for Orientation and Review. This is extremely important for the student, especially after the long summer break. Our focus is to re-engage with the English language, concentrating on comprehension, reading fluency and grammar, and to review basic mathematical concepts and skills that are essential for progression into Grade 5 content. Attendance during the review weeks will be very beneficial to the student.

MEET THE GRADE 5 TEAM

5A – MR FAHIM & MR JAMAL

5B – MS YUSRA & MR JAMAL

5C – MS ELAINE & MS HADEEL

5D – MS BESJONA & MS HANADI

5E – MS BRONWYN & MS HANADI

English Language Arts

REVIEW OF GRADE 4 SKILLS AND CONCEPTS:

COMPREHENSION SKILLS: Literary devices

GRAMMAR: Review of Grade 4 grammar

READING FLUENCY: Read aloud and Reading with expression. Reading level & fluency assessment.

SPELLING : Spelling Diagnostic assessment

WEEK 2 - Reading & Language MAP testing.

Math and Science

REVIEW OF FUNDAMENTAL MATH CONCEPTS FROM GRADE 4:

Review of the 4 basic operations

Review of multiplication Timetables

WEEK 2 – Math MAP testing

SCIENCE: REVIEW OF SCIENTIFIC TOOLS AND LAB SAFETY



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Homework

* Homework is due on Thursday each week.

ELA:	READING – compulsory 20 minutes per day/ RAZ Kids and Reach Higher
MATH:	Multiplication tables from 1 to 12
SCIENCE:	None

IMPORTANT DATES/TESTS

Week 2- ELA MAP Testing- (During the IXL Lessons)

Week 2-Math MAP Testing- (During IXL Lessons)



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