

Grade 5 Newsletter

Week 3: September 25-29, 2022.

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:** Scientists discover new things and figure out how things work. They answer questions by careful observations and investigations. In this lesson we will learn about different kinds of scientists and what they do!
- **Math: Timed Multiplication tables 1-12 Quiz Sunday, September 25th 2022.**
- **Spelling Test: Monday, September 26th 2022.**

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 Fusion: Unit 1: How Scientists Work Lesson: 1

Big Idea: Scientists answer questions by careful observations and investigations.

Essential Question: What is science? How do scientists learn about the natural world? What are some types of investigations?

Science Vocabulary: Investigation, Science, Evidence, Evidence, Opinion

Homework

* Homework is due on Thursday each week.

ELA IXL Skills	JJ3, JJ4 and H1
Math IXL Skills	C1, E1, E2
Science	Science tools worksheet



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