

5th Grade Newsletter

Week of 1/17-1/20

Students need to be spending 15-20 minutes a day reading at home. They should be reading books on their reading level and taking AR tests at school upon completion. Students were given a goal of points to reach by the end of the quarter. Friday is the last day to take AR tests for this quarter. One of the books should be a historical fiction. They will do a project on this book in class on January 27th.

We have art this week to work on yearbook cover designs. We can use help with this if you have time to volunteer. Don't forget to **send in \$25** to help pay for art supplies and the Revolutionary War Day.

In history we are studying the causes of the revolution. Students should have the definitions for chapter 6 words completed by Wednesday, this will be checked. The vocabulary quiz will be on Thursday, and chapter 7 test will be on Friday.

We have been reading through the stories for Theme 3, Voices of the Revolution. Students will have a theme test on Thursday.

In math, students will review the material that has been covered so far this year: multiplication, division, fractions, order of operations, and estimating.

Revolutionary War Day

This is a special day for 5th graders. Parents we encourage you to come and watch the program. Students received their roles last week. They should be working on memorizing their lines, and planning their costume. Some roles have a specific costume that they need to have, if so the information is printed right on their blue card. If their card does not have a costume description than they should come dressed as a typical colonists. Several of the students are playing the same role for both classes. It is written on the back of the card if that applies to your child. They should bring the cards to school daily to practice at school.

Bible Memory Verse:
(Memorized by
Thursday, 1/19)

“For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God—not by works, so that no one can boast.”

Ephesians 2:8-9

Upcoming

- ☞ Monday, January 16th: Martin Luther King Day, No School
- ☞ Wednesday, January 18th: 5th Grade group picture, Art with Mrs. Macpherson,
- ☞ Thursday, January 19th: History Vocabulary Quiz for chapter 7, Reading theme test
- ☞ Friday, January 20th: Market Day, minimum day, end of 2nd quarter, Chapter 7 History test
- ☞ Tuesday, January 31st: Revolutionary War Day