

5th Grade Newsletter

Tuesday, February 25, 2020

Important Dates

Feb 27 Normal School Day
Conferences 4:00-8:00pm
Feb 28 Conferences 8:00am-12:00pm
End of Trimester 2
Mar 13 MOO Science Club

Reading

In reading students will continue our literature circles unit. This unit is run similar to a book club. Students will also be discussing the author's purpose of a text, and learning about the features of science fiction.

It is beneficial that students read a book of their choice for a minimum of 30 minutes at home every night.

What's Happening in Class

Math:

Students will continue in the GoMath curriculum. Students will be learning about converting standard and metric units.

All students can log into IXL and work on 5th grade math skills at home for additional practice. It would be very beneficial for students to continue practicing their basic facts at home.

Social Studies:

Students will continue our states and capitals unit. Students will receive flash cards during class in order to practice memorizing the states and capitals. Students will need to practice studying these at home.

Writing:

Students will also continue to use the RACE method to practice using text evidence to support their thoughts and ideas.

Restate, Answer, Cite, Explain