

5th Grade Newsletter

What's Happening In Our Classrooms??



Classroom

Let us start our first 5th grade Newsletter by saying "Welcome to Fifth Grade!" to both our students and their parents/guardians! This monthly newsletter will keep you updated on what is currently happening in our classrooms, upcoming events, and other important information. Below is additional information concerning our class.

A quick reminder note on dismissal policies here at OUE. If your student has a change in dismissal, please call the office or write a note in the students' planner. Please do not send an e-mail or leave a voice mail message with instructions for a dismissal. This will help to ensure the message is received before school is out.

We have lots of adventures awaiting us this school year. I know we will have a wonderful and exciting school year together!



Important Dates

- August 31st Early Release 11:20
- September 3rd No School/ Labor Day
- September 28th, No School– Teacher workday
- October 12th– End of 1st Quarter
- October 16th & 18th – Parent Teacher Conferences
- October 18th-- Early Release 11:20
- October 19th– No School

Math

Students have been refreshing on Place Values. We have also been working on writing decimals and fractions. Our next math topic will be adding and subtracting decimals.

Reading and Writing

We have begun our reading and writing community lessons. Students learn how to be good partners, listeners, and how to generate ideas for writing. Students will be learning about Non-fiction text features and how they can help us understand our reading better.

Science

Our first topic in science is Matter. Students have been learning about atoms, molecules, solid, liquids, gasses, mixtures, and solutions. Students will move to a Social Studies unit on Geography after testing on Matter.

Spelling

Students began on Unit 1 words, and will continue with a new list every week with testing on Fridays.