

Fifth Grade Newsletter for the week of September 4, 2023

Upcoming Events

September 4 – Labor Day – No school

September 8, 4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. - TCA East Carnival to support Project TCA.

September 14 – Field Day – This is a great opportunity for parent volunteers to come out and help our students have a great day: is

September 22nd - Grandparents Day – If you wish to volunteer to help with Adopt-a-Book sign-up here: <https://signup.com/go/EbFePGf>

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0F49AAAC2FA7FEC25-field1>

September 27th: Field trip to Mueller State Park

Reminders

Here's a look at the week ahead:

Spelling

We will enter Rule Page 5. The test on the words from Rule Page 5 will be on Friday, September 8th.

Grammar

FixIt! Grammar – Robin Hood

Math

Lessons 2-2 (Tues.), 2-3 (Wed.), 2-4 (Thurs.), and 2-5 (Fri.).

History

High in the Andes Mountains of South America, the magnificent Inca culture thrived and constructed grand cities and impenetrable fortresses, such as Machu Picchu.

Science

We will have several labs to experiment with and examine the differences between chemical and physical changes.

Writing

More practice with a key word outline, rough draft, and final copy of a longer passage/story about Dimitri Mendeleev, the father of Chemistry.

Poetry Recitation

Students should be studying their assigned verse of Casey at the Bat. Recitation will take place during the week of September 4th. Students were also introduced to the Gettysburg Address today, which will be our next recitation.

Literature

Carry On, Mr. Bowditch, chapters 9 through 11.

Please see next page.

Character Corner

Our character trait for the month of September is Curiosity. This trait will serve you well throughout your lifetime. Seeking, questioning, and wondering will not only allow you to experience a much richer life, but you will be able to explore together with others as they wonder the same things too.

