

5th Grade LEGO Newsletter

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Greetings Parents & Scholars:

Progress reports lock in this week, which means we are officially through to this nine week's halfway point..... Also, this week we will be taking the last mock assessment for writing. As February continues, you may notice that things are more rigorous and that the expectations have increased. We will be working hard on black history research and science projects for the next month and a half, as well as tackling writing & math standards we are asking the scholars to put their seatbelts on and enjoy the ride as it is nothing that they can't handle. Speaking of black history, please know that this is a month set aside to commemorate it, but that our history is all year long. Please emphasize that.

Parents we are asking that you support us, especially with regard to the prescription work we will be sending home for each individual scholar. Starting this week, we are asking that all 5th graders that are struggling be brought to Saturday school. The hours are 9 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. every other Saturday They will receive more instruction and points to assist their grade.

Thank you for entrusting their academic growth to us.

Mrs. Green & Mr. Moore

Upcoming Events

February 7

Progress Reports Due

February 9

Progress Reports Go Home

February 11

Believe in yourself, learn and never stop wanting to build a better world.

-Mary McCleod Bethune

TIGER'S MISSION:

To provide the children of the Northside a structured and nurturing learning environment that is focused on rigorous academic standards, character development, self-discipline, personal and social responsibility and family involvement.

In The Classroom

AGGIE NEWS (Reading & Writing)

As you know, we have two new members on the 5th grade team. These two new members are Ms. Ewing and Ms. Abbey, the 5th Grade interns. Both are teachers in their final leg of their undergraduate career and have the same responsibilities as me. They are dedicated to the growth of our scholars. This week we will share responsibilities and beginning next week they will take over the reigns. Of course I will be there for support and teaching in small group.

Parents, please note that each scholar will be responsible for developing a project on an African American Notable. More information to come. Writing will increase and involve more peer editing. It is my hope that the excuses are limited because if someone does not do their work it will mess up their ability to complete the class assignment and impact other scholar's ability to do theirs.

Please continue to do your nightly reading and complete all of your work.

Mr. Moore

EAGLE NEWS (Math & Science)

It's week five of the third nine weeks! Last week, we worked extremely hard on learning how to be independent scholars with completing our classwork assignments. We discussed how to come in class prepared with homework, planner and pencils prepared for class. Each week, students can earn streak/group points for being prepared.

The standards that we will be covering this week are Multiplying whole numbers and Fractions for Math and Force and Motions. The online platforms such as Zearn and Ed Base Camp have on-grade level activities for your child to continue their learning at home. Please encourage him or her to login and complete activities periodically throughout the week.

In honor of Valentine's Day, please send your child in with cards and a bag to give out to the class on Friday afternoon. We have 21 students in Mr. Moore's homeroom and 20 in Mrs. Green's homeroom. We think it is appropriate if you would like to send in something for the teachers. There are four of us: Mr. Moore, Mrs. Green, Ms. Abbey and Ms. Ewing.

Thank you for your continued support and partnership in your child's education.



Streak Family News

Give it up for The ORANGE Team. This team showed up and showed out last week. We will resume our weekly prizes this week.

The overall winners will receive something major. We are coordinating with administration to make that happen as the weekly winners have been out of my personal pocket. Administration has committed to making it happen.