



Communication

Feel free to email us anytime,
Facebook message us on our class
page below, text us through the
Remind app, or call the school directly
to reach us before or after school.

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Remind Please complete the
Remind form if you would like to
receive messages.

Daily Schedule

7:30-8:00
Arrival/Morning Work

8:00-8:10
Morning Work Review

8:15-9:00
FINE ARTS

9:00-11:00
Instructional Block

11:05-11:35
Interventions

11:35-12:05
Instructional Block

12:10-12:35
Lunch

12:35-1:00
Instructional Block

1:00-1:20
Recess

1:20-2:25
Instructional Block

Welcom e to 5th Grade!

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Ms. Jackson
Mrs. Pruitt

Welcome to Fifth Grade!

Behavior Expectations

The most important expectation that must be met daily is the following of our classroom rules. We have 5 rules that are expected to be followed all year: Keep your hands/feet to yourself, Respect yourself and others, Always raise your hand, Always follow directions, and Take care of our classroom and materials.

For discipline purposes and overall behavior management, we will use a code sheet like other teachers in the building. If your child breaks a classroom rule or displays inappropriate behavior, he/she will receive a corresponding code on the behavior clipboard. Consequences for receiving codes include silent lunch, loss of recess, and/or parent contact (note home or call).

Fine Arts Schedule

Monday: PE- WEAR SNEAKERS!

Tuesday: Music

Wednesday: Media Arts

Thursday: Dance

Friday: Art

Homework/Agendas

Math homework will typically be assigned 2-3 times a week. Students must **read daily** for 20 minutes. A reading log will be provided.

Your child must write their homework assignments in their agenda neatly, remember to take the agenda home daily, and return it to school every morning. If your child comes home with a note in their agenda, please make sure you sign and return the note and talk to your child about his/her behavior. It is not necessary to sign or initial the agenda daily (only if your child receives a note regarding behavior).

Tests

Fifth grade students may be assessed weekly in the following areas: Reading comprehension, Vocabulary, Math, Writing, Science, and Social Studies to determine areas of strength and weakness. **You will be notified through Remind and Agendas when there are assessments.** You will always stay informed of your child's progress. Graded test/quiz papers will be sent home every two weeks to be reviewed, signed, and returned.

Grades

Elementary Schools Grades 3-5 will use the following:

- **Weighting:** 55% major grades and 45% minor grades; requiring the use of categorical weights in PowerSchool rather than total points.
- **Major grades** will consist of tests and projects.
- **Minor grades** will consist of quizzes and classwork.

About GRADES		
What Does My Grade MEAN?		
A	100-90	<ul style="list-style-type: none">* The learning goals were mastered.* I can apply the skills.* Work was neat and complete.* Ready to move on!
B	89-80	<ul style="list-style-type: none">* MOST goals were mastered.* I understand most skills.* Mostly neat and complete.* I need some more practice.
C	79-70	<ul style="list-style-type: none">* SOME goals were mastered.* I understand some skills.* May not be neat and complete.* Re-teach and practice needed.
D	Below 70	<ul style="list-style-type: none">* Goals NOT YET mastered.* I'm struggling with many skills.* May not be neat and complete.* Re-teach and practice needed.