



5th Grade Students

Hello Grade 5 Students! Another week has past and we hope you are all doing well. We wanted to offer you some more activities to do while you are at home. We miss seeing your smiling faces everyday.

Math

For math this week, there is a packet of work from Bridges for you to complete. Additionally, there are videos for you to watch as a reminder of how to add and subtract fractions with uncommon denominators. Remember as 5th grade students, you are looking to master solving equations that include fractions for your future work in middle school. There are online practice problems for you to try as well.

Videos:

[Adding fractions with unlike denominators \(video\)](#)

[Subtracting fractions with unlike denominators \(video\)](#)

Online practice

[Add fractions with unlike denominators \(practice\)](#)

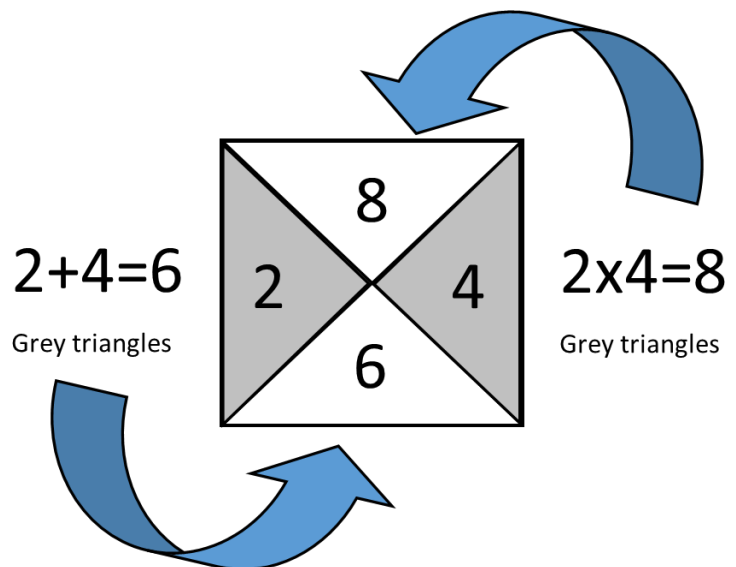
[Subtracting fractions with unlike denominators \(practice\)](#)

Math - Box Puzzle

Instructions

How to solve box puzzles:

- multiply the numbers in the grey triangle sections together and place the product (answer for multiplication) in the upper white triangle section in the box.
- Add the numbers from the same grey triangle section together and place the sum (answer for addition) in the lower white triangle section in the box.
- That's it, you did it!



Social Studies

This week we are going to go back in time over 400 years to examine the East Coast of what is now, America. Under the 'other' section of the Grade 5 In-home learning, you will find a PDF called Colonies Poster. This document provides instructions for learning about three different regions on the East Coast. After you've had an opportunity to read about the colonies, you'll be asked to choose one region and produce a poster about it. Feel free to be creative! If you want to produce something different than a poster, like a website or essay, go ahead! Included with the Poster document are several articles about the Colonial time period that you can read for background information.

Reading

Each day reread the 2 articles on water bottles. You will read them 5 times this week. Each day you read the article you will focus on a different nonfiction thinking skill. Use either article to answer your daily question. Remember to think about your reading as you read. Don't just read and forget. The nonfiction goals a 5th grader is working on are; writing a summary, analyzing relationships in a nonfiction text, analyzing the author's craft, analyzing the author's perspective and comparing 2 nonfiction texts on the same topic. Working on these goals will prepare you for 6th grade and beyond.

Writing

This week you will go through the writing process to plan, draft, edit, revise and publish an Informational essay. Choose a topic that interests you. Each day will be a different part of the process. Think about the connection between your Reading of narratives and writing narratives. Continuing to work on these goals will keep your writing sharp and prepare you for 6th grade and beyond.

Remember students, if you need any help or just want to check in feel free to email us. We would like to hear from you.

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