5th Grade Weekly News

January 7-9, 2026

Important Dates

Jan. 7th
School Start Back

Jan. 9th
Taekwondo Fundraiser starts

Jan. 19th
MLK Day no school

Jan. 23rd
Renaissance Day (Costume needed)

Jan. 27th
Vision/ Hearing Screening

5th Grade Update

Wow - writing about 2026 already! Before we look ahead, I want to begin by saying thank you for a wonderful 2025. Our students finished the year strong, and it has been a joy to see their growth. Thank you as well for your support during the holiday parties. We had a fantastic last day, beginning with morning caroling and ending with festive classroom celebrations.

As we look toward next year, there is much to be excited about. Students will participate in Renaissance Day and Western Expansion Day, bringing their learning to life in meaningful ways. They will complete their first math book and confidently tackle the second. It will be exciting to see their writing continue to develop, including a Civil War research project. Students will showcase their growing knowledge, and they will rise to the challenge of mastering all 50 states.

Please keep working on Math Facts over the break. Knowing math facts makes the advanced math our students are learning simpler. Thank you for your partnership.

Happy Holidays

We hope you have a wonderful break and a great start to the NEW YEAR!

Curriculum

Spelling – No test this week

Math – Chapter 8.2-8.3

Mr. Plott's Class Ratios; Test on Friday

Writing –*Show Don't Tell*

Literature –*The Secret Garden Chapters 10-12*

History –Renaissance

Science – Earth Systems

Geography – Midwest state

Recitations –

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