

January 12-16, 2026

Important Dates**Jan. 16th**Taekwondo
Fundraiser starts**Jan. 19th**

MLK Day no school

Jan 22ndRenaissance Help
Day**Jan. 23rd**Renaissance Day
(Costume needed)**Jan. 27th**Vision/ Hearing
Screening**5th Grade Update**

It was great to have students back this week and to reconnect as a class while easing back into our daily routines. The week focused on reestablishing expectations, practicing procedures, and helping everyone settle back into a strong learning rhythm. Beginning next week, we will return to a full academic schedule. Students will have spelling tests and math homework assigned each night, so establishing consistent home routines will be important. Thank you for your continued support as we move forward together.

Renaissance Day will be here before we know it! Please start to look for curriculum wear for your students to wear on this exciting day!

Midwest States and Capitals and “The Road not Taken” recitation will both be due on January 30th. Students have both assignments. Please work with your students on these big assessments.

**Help Set up
Renaissance Day**

Renaissance Day is a highlight of our 5th grade curriculum, and we truly go all out with decorations and even a Queen’s Feast!

We would greatly appreciate any help with setting up the evening before Renaissance Day. If you are available on Thursday, January 22nd, please join us on the 3rd floor around 4:00 PM after school.

Thank you so much for your support. We could not make this special day happen without our amazing community!

Curriculum**Spelling** – List 12 Rule 28**Math** – Chapter 8.4-8.8**Mr. Plott’s Class-** Rate; Test on Thursday.**Writing** –Unit 7 Inventive Writing**Literature** –*The Secret Garden*
Chapters 13-16**History** –Renaissance**Science** – Earth Systems**Geography** – Midwest state
(test January 30th)**Recitations** – The Road not
Taken (due January 30th)**Teacher Contact
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