



# 5th Grade News from the Park

Mrs. Jackson  
Mr. Kingen  
Ms. Joyce

October 2, 2017

## Important Information

Tuesday (10-3-17)~ Reading Pretest  
Wednesday (10-4-17) ~ Math Pretest  
Thursday (10-5-17) ~ Science Pretest

### Mrs. Jackson's Reading/ELA

The 5th graders will be taking their pretest assessments this week. Homework will still be assigned. The Probe Topic for next week will be "Water Cycle". It is very important that your child keeps up with the probe assignments.

Each Monday, I will assign your child a topic to research and enter into the notebook. It will be due on Friday, unless I send a note home stating otherwise. A late probe notebook will result in the final grade minus 5 points for each day late.

Continue to encourage your children to do their best and be creative!

### Mr. Kingen's Science

This week the 5th graders will be taking pre-assessments in Science. The students will be taking their Science SMA as well on objective 5.P.2.2 and 5.P.2.3 that focuses on comparing weight within an object before and after a physical and/or chemical reaction.

This week will include more hands-on activities and we will be focusing on the objective 5.P.3.1- Heat Transfer between objects. Science Olympiad information will be sent home soon so make sure you ask your child about this wonderful opportunity!

### Ms. Joyce's Math & Spelling

Even though we have Pretest Assessments this week we will have math homework.

Spelling will begin this week. Students will have their words and contract on Monday. Contracts are due on Friday!

### October Birthdays!

Happy Birthday!!

### Upcoming Events

Oct. 26 - Community Resource Night and Fall Festival

Nov. 1-17 - Food Drive

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