

## Announcements for the Week (8/27-8/31)

Dear Room 19 Families,

I hope you are having a wonderful weekend!

Thank you to everyone who turned in the packet of forms that were sent home last week! I appreciate the time you took to fill them out, and I will use the information to begin a more personalized learning approach in our classroom. Below, please find some reminders and updates for the upcoming week, as well as a brief summary of what we are working on in class.

### Information and Updates:

- Back to School Night- B2SN is this Thursday, from 6-7:00, in our classroom. I look forward to meeting with all of the parents! Thursday will be a FULL day of school, and Friday is a HALF day. Please remember to send your child with a large snack on Friday, as we will not have lunch.
- There is no school on Labor Day, Monday, 9/4.
- Reading Assessments- Assessments will be held from 9/11- 9/14 & 9/17, and we will be on half day schedule during assessments. Here is the link to sign-up for a time: [reading assessment](#)
- Preferred Parent Email- Parents, if you have not yet filled out the Google form with your emails, here is the link: [Parent Email Form](#)
- Remind App- Here is a copy of the link to sign-up: [www.remind.com/join/bhggh6](http://www.remind.com/join/bhggh6)

### Reminders for this Week:

- Monday-
  - We start switching for Social Studies (with Mrs. Stelter) and Science (me).
  - We have P.E.
- Tuesday-
  - We have our first Science Lab class with Mrs. Liu!
- Wednesday-
  - Remember that we will meet on the upper playground at 8:10 for morning assembly.
  - Be a Proud Pacific Panther and represent our school by wearing blue, yellow, or Pacific gear :)
- Thursday-

- We have our first music class. Remember to bring your instrument.
- We have P.E.
- Back-to-School Night will be in our classroom from 6-7:00.
- Friday-
  - Friday is a half day. Please pack a large snack (there will be no lunch service). School ends at 12:40 for 5th graders.

#### What We're Working on This Week:

- Reading- Students are learning the fiction "Notice and Note" signposts in order to read with a purpose, and be more thoughtful readers. This week we will also review story elements, begin our root word study, and start reading our first core literature book, Shiloh.
- Writing- Students are working on a three paragraph Scholars Speak assignment (introduce yourself/all about me).
- Math- We have been focusing on place value in numbers with decimals, as well as using a Growth Mindset during math. Students are learning how to use the place value chart to help them multiply and divide decimal numbers by 10, 100, and 1,000. This week we will learn different ways to say decimal numbers, compare decimal numbers, and round decimal numbers. Remember to take a look at the resources on the "Math" page of our class website!
- Technology- All students were introduced to Google Classroom. Through Google Classroom, I can assign students tasks which they can complete using Notability, Google Docs, Google Slides, or Google Forms. We will use Google Classroom in all subjects throughout the year. It can be accessed at home by logging in to Google Drive with the username and password that are glued into the inside of the agenda. I have also included directions for how to log-on on our class website (make sure to log out of other Google accounts, or go "Incognito," before trying to log on).
- Social Studies- Students will meet with Mrs. Stelter on Monday!
- Science- We will begin science this week with a focus on collaboration, exploration, having a Growth Mindset, and good note-taking. Our first Scope is "Matter and Energy in Plants."

As always, please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

**Welcome to Room 19!**  
**(8/9/2018)**

Welcome Room 19 Families!

I hope that all of you have a great last few days of summer, I cannot wait for you to get here! We have an exciting year ahead of us!

This website will be a wonderful resource for you throughout the year. On our class website you can find: weekly updates posted every Sunday evening, homework posted daily, and helpful resources sorted by subject.

The first day of school is Wednesday, August 22. School begins at 8:15. The first bell will ring at 8:10, and students will be invited into the classroom at that time. Students will be dismissed at 1:30 on Wednesday, and at 2:45 on all other days of the week.

We will begin our 5th grade curriculum on the very first day! Students should come prepared with all of the materials listed below. We will organize the supplies and begin learning!

School Supply List:

- 1 Accordion Folder - Zipper - 7 Pocket - Mead Five Star - Poly - Asst Color
- 1 Book Covers - Jumbo - Red - Book Sox - 8.5 x 11.25 x 2 Inch
- 1 Colored Pencils - Crayola - 24 Ct
- 1 Composition Book - Wide Ruled - Blue - 100 Ct
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- 1 Dry Erase Markers - Expo - 4 Color Set - Chisel
- 2 Dry Erase Markers - Expo - Black - Chisel
- 2 Dry Erase Markers - Expo - Blue - Chisel
- 1 Eraser - Magic Rub - White - 3 Pk
- 1 Folder - Laminated Pocket - Blue
- 1 Folder - Laminated Pocket - Green
- 1 Folder - Laminated Pocket - Orange
- 1 Folder - Laminated Pocket - Purple
- 1 Folder - Laminated Pocket - Red
- 1 Folder - Laminated Pocket - Yellow
- 1 Glue - Elmers - All Purpose Stick - White - .77 oz
- 1 Highlighter - Yellow - Chisel - 1 Pk - Avery

- 3 Pencil - Ticonderoga - Sharpened - No 2 - 12 Pk
- 1 Pencil Pouch - Clear - 9 x 10.5 - 3 Ring
- 1 Pencil Sharpener - Canister - 2 Hole
- 1 Sharpie - Black - Fine Tip
- 1 Stereophone - Earbuds - In-Line Mic
- 1 Tissue - Kleenex - 160 Ct
- 1 Wipes - Green Works Natural - 30 Ct