

Dear Room 19 Families,

I hope you had a wonderful weekend!

A BIG thank you to Mrs. Stelter, and all of the parents that were able to help at The Walk Through the American Revolution last week! The students did an amazing job recreating our history!

I am sad to have missed the talent show on Friday, but I heard that the 5<sup>th</sup> grade act was FANTASTIC! Congratulations!

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:

- **Healthy Kids Survey-** Dr. Whittaker Stopp sent out an email with information last week. I have attached the permission form to this email, please complete it and turn it in to me.
- **Open House Thursday-** Come experience a day in the life of a fifth grader, from 6-7:00! We will have a minimum day that Friday, March 15.
- **Science Art Opportunity-** This is a friendly reminder that the 2019 Water is Life Student Art Contest submission deadline is this Friday. Contest details can be viewed and downloaded at <http://www.westbasin.org/community-education/water-life-traveling-art-lab-student-art-contest>
- **MBMS Parent Orientation 3/18-** On March 18, from 6-7:00, in the Multi-Purpose Room, there will be a meeting for parents only.
- **Urban Dance Performance 3/19-** Our 10-week dance class will culminate with a performance on the morning of Tuesday, March 19. The performance will be in the cafeteria at 8:30. All parents are encouraged to come watch!
- **MBMS Field Trip 3/20-** All 5th grade students will walk to MBMS to tour the school, hear the band, learn about classes and schedules, and more! More information will be sent home this week.
- **5th grade GATE Screening 3/20-** GATE screening will take place after school. Please contact the Pacific office for more information.

## Reminders for this Week:

- **Monday-**
  - 5-Question Gravity Quiz in science.
  - We have P.E.
- **Tuesday-**
  - We have Science Lab with Mrs. Liu.
- **Wednesday-**
  - We have morning assembly! Please meet on the upper field.
- **Thursday-**
  - We have music.
  - We have P.E.
  - 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Open House is from 6-7:00!
- **Friday- ½ Day Schedule**
  - We have a Wordly Wise test.
  - We have Pantherthon from 11-12:00!

## What We're Working on This Week:

- **Reading & Writing-** Students will finish their subtopic writing this week, and will begin to edit and revise, with a special focus on sounding professional. Once the editing/revising is complete, students will transfer their writing into a Pages Newspaper format, and include non-fiction text features into their writing.
- **Math-** We will continue to work in Module 4, and will focus on problems and expressions involving division of a unit fraction by a whole number and division of a whole number by a unit fraction.
- **Science-** We will finish our Gravity Scope with a multiple-choice quiz on Monday. We will begin our new Scope, Earth's Rotation.
- **Social Studies-** A note from Mrs. Stelter: Students are learning about the Revolutionary War events that occurred before the writing of the Declaration of Independence: The Battles of Lexington and Concord, the capture of Fort Ticonderoga, the first meeting of the 2nd Continental Congress, and the Battle of Bunker Hill.

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