

WHAT'S UP IN GRADE 5

September 22, 2023

With Miss Bartello

Important Reminders

Hello! This will seem like the week of tests, but there are only TWO that students are to study for.

- ★ F2 Skills Test on Thursday, September 28 (requires studying)
- ★ F2 Performance Test on Friday, September 29 (does **NOT** require studying)
- ★ Spelling Test on Thursday, September 28
- ★ MAP testing to begin next week (does **NOT** require studying)

F2 (Reading)

We are completing our first unit's daily work on Monday. We will have our **F2 Skills test on Thursday** and the **Performance test on Friday**. A study sheet has been sent home for the skills test.

Language

We started a creative writing unit about being a tiny human in our classroom this week. We are working on incorporating vivid imagery into fictional narrative writing.

Spelling

Weekly test on Thursday, September 28

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Math

We finished Unit 1, place value, on Thursday. Next week will be starting Unit 2, which is operations with whole numbers up to 100,000. We will be starting with multiplication and division. It is important that students have their times table memorized so we will be practicing those, but I will also be sending home practice sheets.

Bible

We began Unit 2 in Bible, which is about the trials of Job. We will be analyzing different passages, learning about the genre of the book, and taking a look at the historical context.

Science/Social Studies

This week we studied Thermal energy and observed chemical changes in an experiment. Next week we will be talking about chemical properties and physical changes in matter.