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Kathleen Elementary 5th Grade News

December, 2020

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Kathleen Elementary Cougars:

Persevere, are Respectful, have Integrity, are Dependable, and Encourage one another!

For the safety of students and staff











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" Learning is a treasure that will follow its owner everywhere."

~ Chinese Proverbs

Students, parents, and staff show your COUGAR Pride! We would like for every 5th grade student to have a 5th Grade Spirit Shirt. Forms were sent home and posted on Class Dojo, you can also email your child's teacher. All forms and money are due on December 2nd. Please let us know if you would like to sponsor a student.



Students of the Month Anthony Denham - Ms. Cannan Zayne Barnes-Mr. Clifford Antonio Garcia- Ms. Matthews Samantha Munoz - Ms. Zapata Terrance Ervin - Ms. Zapata



Thank you to Mr. Fisher, one of our 5th grade parents, for participating on our Great American Teach In!

DATES to REMEMBER

Dec 2nd @ 5:30 PTA General Meeting

Zoom Meeting ID: 851 3333 7829

Passcode: KESPTA2021

Dec 3rd @ 5 - 6;30 Literacy Night

Dec 16th @ 5:00 SAC Meeting

Dec 18th PBS Reward

Students will STAR Testing for Reading and Math. Please Encourage student to take pride of the test and try their best.

No School - Dec 21st - Jan 4th

School resumes for students on Tuesday, Jan 5th.

Please consider joining our KES PTA for \$5.00, in doing so you will help your child's school.

~ "Through PTA, you are informed about what you can do to affect local, state, and federal policies that most impact children, families, and schools."

"PTA believes we can make every child's potential a reality – but we need more believers. We need you."

Please let us know how you would like to volunteer! We are currently working on our PTA Website and FB page where you will find lots of information.

Contact information for your fifth grade team:

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Math	Students are still working through their fractions unit. Main skills: Converting mixed numbers to improper fraction and improper to mixed, simplifying fractions, adding and subtracting fractions with unlike denominators, comparing fractions, ordering fractions and will review multiplying and dividing fractions. Make a point of noticing fractions in your everyday life. Please have students practice every day Freckle (Classlink) Facts Fluency Practice Resources students can use at home: Freckle (Classlink) Khan Academy: Videos with tutorials and practice (khanacademy.org) Prodigy (prodigygame.com)				
Science	Week 14 November 30 – Dec. 4 (5) Review Standard: SC.4.E.5.4		Unit 4: Big Idea 8 Properties of Matter		SC.5.P.8.2 Dissolving
	Week 15 December 7 - 11 (5) Review Standard: SC.5.N.1.1		Unit 5: Big Idea 9 Changes in Matter		SC.5.P.9.1 Chemical and Physical Changes
	Week 16 December 14 -18 (5) Review Standard: SC.5.N.2.1		Review and Remediation		Mid-Year Review Remediation Science Fair Work Time
Reading		COMPREHENSION FOCUS	Vocabulary Focus	SUPPORTING STANDARDS	WRITING FOCUS: INFORMATIVE/OPINION
	Week 1 Nov. 30 – Dec. 4	LAFS.5.RL.2.6 INTRODUCTION 1/5 Speaker's Point of View LAFS.5.RL.1.2 3/7 Theme and Summary	LAFS.5.L.3.4.a Context Clues LAFS.5.RL.2.4 Vocabulary	LAFS.5.RL.1.1 Text Evidence/ Inference LAFS.5.RL.3.9 z/7 Compare/Contrast Themes and Topics LAFS.5.RL.3.7 z/8 Visual and Multimedia	LAFS.5.W.1.1 Opinion OR LAFS.5.W.1.2 Informative/Explanatory Students practice the writing process. As needed, model and provide guided practice for portions of the essay or elements of the process through conferencing.
	Week 2 Dec. 7 - 11	LAFS.5.RL.2.6 2/s Speaker's Point of View LAFS.5.RL.1.2 4/7 Theme and Summary	LAFS.5.L.3.4.a Context Clues LAFS.5.RL.2.4 Vocabulary	LAFS.5.RL.1.1 Text Evidence/ Inference LAFS.5.RL.2.5 4/7 Structure of Literature LAFS.5.RL.3.9 3/7 Compare/Contrast Themes and Topics	LAFS.5.W.1.1 Opinion OR LAFS.5.W.1.2 Informative/Explanatory Students practice the writing process. As needed, model and provide guided practice for portions of the essay or elements of the process through conferencing.
	Week 3 Dec. 14 - 18	LAFS.5.RI.1.2 INTRODUCTION 1/3 Multiple Main Ideas and Summary	LAFS.5.L.3.4.b Greek Roots LAFS.5.RI.2.4 Academic Language	LAFS.5.RI.3.93/9 Compare and Integrate Information LAFS.5.RI.3.7 2/6 Multiple Print or Digital Sources	LAFS.5.W.1.1 Opinion OR LAFS.5.W.1.2 Informative/Explanatory Students practice the writing process. As needed, model and provide guided practice for portions of the essay or elements of the process through conferencing.
	Encourage nonfiction reading, such as science and history books, magazines, articles, cookbooks, how to books, and video games guides just to name a few. Remember students should be reading 30 minutes every night. Students are expected to take at least one Accelerated Reading (AR) Quiz on a weekly basis at their reading level with 85% mastery. Resources students can use at home:				
	 Istation (Classlink)				
Writing	Students need to write a multi –paragraph essay that includes their opinion on the provided topic. Students should have an introductory paragraph, two or more strong body paragraphs, and concluding paragraph. Evidence should be properly cited, such as "As stated/ According to…"				
Social Studies	Spanish Exploration and Conquest French and Dutch Exploration				