

# A PEEK AT OUR WEEK

Your 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Newsletter

August 20-24, 2018

## Announcements/Reminders

- \*Homework begins this week!
- \*Starting August 27<sup>th</sup>, we will begin having math homework quizzes every Monday. Quizzes will consist of five random questions taken directly from the previous week's homework page.
- \*Please let us know if you are still unable to access "Class Tag."
- \*Please sign calendars DAILY.
- \*Please help your child keep his/her binder tidy. The "Keep at Home" pocket should be emptied daily.

## Spelling / Vocabulary Words

- dehydrate** (v) to lose water or moisture; to become dry
- hydroelectric** (adj) related to electricity that is made from the energy of falling water
- hydrant** (n) an upright pipe with a spout, nozzle, or other outlet, usually in the street for drawing water from a main pipe
- aquatic** (adj) living or taking place in water
- aqueduct** (n) a channel that has been built to carry water over long distances
- aquarium** (n) a glass tank or bowl in which fish or other aquatic animals live
- aquifer** (n) an underground layer of rock that water continually moves through
- marine** (adj) related to the sea; existing in or produced by the sea
- marina** (n) a small harbor where small boats can dock
- maritime** (adj) on or near the sea

## Wish List

Paper Towels, Lysol Spray,  
Printer Ink (HP 62 XL – Black & Color)

## Skills/Topics & Tests

	Topics / Skills	Upcoming Tests & Quizzes
Reading	*Main Idea and Details	*Comprehension TEST on Friday (8/24)
Grammar	*Interjections	
Word Study	*hydr (Greek Root): water *aqua/aqu (Latin Root): water *mar/mer (Latin Root): sea	*QUIZ on Friday (8/24)
Writing	*Narrative Writing	
Math	*Multiplying & Dividing by Powers of 10 *Digit Value & Powers of 10	*QUIZ on Thursday (8/23) *HW QUIZ on Monday (8/27)
Science	*Animals	
S.S.	*Antebellum South *Election of 1860 *Civil War	*QUIZ on Friday (8/24) – This will be an "open book" quiz.

## Resources

doctortucker.weebly.com ♥ malhopper.weebly.com  
Family Learning Center - 475-5467

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