

Mrs. Heflin's 5th Grade News



We are learning:

Language Arts: For the month of May, we are starting a trade book about mummies and finishing our last lesson in our textbook. Through these two activities, we will be focusing on summarizing, author's purpose, compare and contrast, and story elements. In grammar, we are working on contractions and homophones.

Math: We are finishing up geometry and taking the time to review adding, subtracting, multiplying, and dividing fractions. We will also continue to work through and review order of operations and numerical expressions.

Science: We are working through our unit about how humans affect the earth. We will be talking about ways to reduce, reuse, and recycle. We will also be talking about how we can preserve our resources and help both animals and people around the world.

Social Studies: We are discussing the American Revolution and will hopefully make it into life after the revolution. We are still doing weekly geography to help with our map skills.

Important Reminders

May:

- 1-- Book Project Due
- 5-- DARE Day in Oswego-no lunch or money needed.
- 6-- End of the year field trip to 4th Street Bowl in Joplin. Your child will need money for lunch or bring a sack lunch.
- 15-- Happy Birthday, Jeremiah!
- 18-- Field Day and Cookout
- 19-- Last Day-Awards assembly at 9:15. Your child may go home with an adult after the awards assembly.

NEWS

- It is hard to believe this is the last month of the 2021-2022 school year. Thank you for sharing your child with me this year. I know they will do great things in 6th grade!
- Watch for notes coming home as several end of the year activities will be taking place.
- The free breakfast and lunch program will be taking place at the school though the summer. Be watching for more information on those meals and dates.
- Have a safe and fun summer. I look forward to seeing all their faces again as they pass my classroom in August!

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