



Fifth Grade Huskies

9/4/15-9/17/15

What's Happening in 5th Grade?

Dates to Remember

No School-Labor Day	9/7
New to Scarborough- Parent Meeting @ 7:15 am	9/11
Box Tops Due	9/17
Donuts for Watch Dog Dads with their student	9/18

Reminders...

- ✓ Planners signed daily
- ✓ Behavior calendar signed By Monday
- ✓ Spirit Day every Friday
- ✓ Reading Log due on Fridays

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English/Language Arts/Reading: We are launching our Reading and Writing Workshops and introducing book genres. After examining the key characteristics of each genre, we will continue by focusing on fiction stories and the elements of plot, such as conflict, rising action, turning point and conflict resolution.

Math: In math, we will move forward after completing our Place Value Unit. Be sure to discuss the place value unit assessment at home with your child. Next, students will begin the Operations: Whole Numbers and Decimals Unit. We will focus first on addition and subtraction of whole numbers and decimals. After that, we will spend quite a bit of time working on multiplication of whole numbers and decimals.

Science: We have begun our unit on Earth Science and landforms. The kids have had a blast simulating rain, wind and ice. It is so interesting to see how the earth reacts and changes under these conditions! We have also been able to see clear examples of erosion and deposition. We will continue looking at the many different types of rocks and fossils in the coming days. We love our Earth!

Social Studies: We will be learning about the most populated areas in the United States. We will study the positive and negative effects of humans on the environment.