

Fifth Grade Fever!

A Week at a Glance

Reading/Writing

- Lit Study: "Where the Mountain Meets the Moon", by Grace Lin—chapters 45-48
- Focus Skill: Character Analysis, Theme, and Inferences.
- Vocabulary Strategy: Figurative Language
- **AR Test on Wednesday**
- Writing: Finish presenting books; minilessons to strengthen the 6 traits
- Writing Trait: All 6 traits

Spalding

summon, official, officer, of-
fice, victim, estimate, accident,
invitation, invite, accepts, im-
possible, concern, automobile,
association, associate, various,
vary, very, decision, decide,
entitle, political, national, na-
tion, recent, business, busy,
refer, minute, minute.

- **Phonogram Test on Thursday**
- **Spalding Test on Friday**

Language

- Review of concepts learned the first 5 weeks of school

Science

- Scientific Method—inquiry approach.
- Physical Science Matter
- Chemical and Physical

Changes

We would love to have donations of chocolate bars, marshmallows, and gram crackers.

We will continue with Physical Science throughout the quarter

Math

- Compare and Order Fractions, Decimals, and Percents
- Estimate with Percents
- Percent of a Number
- Solve Percent Problems
- Test-Chapter 2
- Math Facts
- **Social Studies**
- Field trip is Sept. 16. Please have all the fieldtrip paperwork in.
- Volunteers directly go to JA BizTown. Please be there by 8:15AM. Also, volunteers please take the time

to watch the videos prior to attending BizTown on Monday. Thank you!

- Completion of BizTown
- European exploration and technological advances; obstacles of early explorers

AR Reading

Our AR goal for today is 85%. **Next Friday, it will be 100%.** Please see that your student is reading nightly. They also need to earn 5 nonfiction points!

Recitations

The next recitation is "A Nation's Strength" by Ralph Waldo Emerson. It is due the week of November 11

BizTown

- Field trip is Monday!
- Remember sack lunch if that

is what you opted for on the permission slip

- Remember to have kids dress in business attire or school uniform (Monday-Thursday one).
- Be to school on time! Buses leave at 8:25!

School Publicity

Please follow our school on social media!

Twitter handle: CTAFreedom
Instagram handle: ctafreedom-az

Upcoming Events

- **BizTown Field Trip is September 16**
- **Kona Ice Day is September 27. Treats are \$3. Exact amount is mandatory. No checks or coinage are allowed, so please bring 3 one dollar bills.**
- **Hispanic Heritage Month is celebrated from Sept. 15-Oct. 15.**

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