



5th Grade Updates

April 27th, 2018

Exciting Events	Willow Creek Community
<p>May 3-15: CAASPP testing</p> <p>May 4:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Outdoor School medical & GEAR order forms due!• EYO Film Festival <p>May 16: Ocean Beach Clean Up</p> <p>May 17: Call of the Sea Sailing Trip! (St. Denny's Class)</p> <p>May 18: Music Extravaganza @1:00 in MPR</p> <p>May 21-25: Outdoor Science School</p> <p>May 28: No School-Memorial Day</p> <p>May 29-June 1: Spirit Week</p> <p>May 29: Call of the Sea Sailing Trip (Baker's Class)</p>	 <p>Outdoor School Medical Forms due May 4! Please be sure to log on and fill out the medical form for outdoor school for your child. Students without medical forms will not be able to attend.</p> <p>Medical Form</p> <p>Program Overview</p> <p>Optional: Outdoor School Gear due May 4th! \$30-Hoodies (green with ENH Logo) \$15-T-Shirt (blue with ENH Logo)</p> <p>Cash or checks payable to Zuhra St. Denny. Students who order gear will get it at Outdoor School.</p>

Curriculum Corner



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MATH

We learned that when we divide a fraction by a whole number, it creates a smaller fraction, and a whole number by a fraction it creates a larger number. Students drew models to show their work. We also investigated the convergence of fractions and decimals, and students created a chart that compared equivalent fractions and decimals.

ELA/SOCIAL STUDIES

Students have been examining the course of the American Revolution and discussing the reasons that the continental army was able to achieve victory. We have also reviewed the Declaration of Independence.

Science

We wrapped up our study of the rainbow trout with specific lessons on environmental threats to their survival and how humans can conserve and protect natural habitats. All classes had the unique opportunity to dissect a fish as well.

Students took a closer look at the geosphere. We talked about plate tectonics, types of interactions, and how they create different land formations. The water from the hydrosphere erodes land and wind and weather from the atmosphere effect land and rock formation.

References

[Homework Calendar Link](#)

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5th Grade Specials:

Tuesday: 2:20-3:00 P.E.

Wednesday: 1:10-2:00 Music (St. Denny), Art (Baker)

Thursday: 9:10-10:00 Music (Baker), Art (St. Denny)

Friday : 9:20-10:00 P.E.