



Welcome to 5th Grade ELA 2022-2023

Course Description

Our 5th Grade English Language Arts class is a balanced literacy program in which students are challenged to grow in the areas of reading, writing, speaking, and listening. We will be using a variety of resources including Houghton Mifflin Harcourt (HMH), Daily Grammar Practice (DGP) and several novel studies.

Major Objectives

Develop strategies to improve reading comprehension and reading to obtain information

Develop an enriched vocabulary

Write for a variety of purposes with emphasis on narrative, expository, and persuasive writing

Improve composition skills within the five domains: focus, content, style, organization, and conventions

Strengthen skills of spelling and word structure

Continue to develop oral language skills

Expectations

Be Respectful

Be Outstanding

Be Accountable

Be Responsible

Materials

Binder

Loose Leaf Paper

Notebook or Composition Book

Pencils

Grading

A 90-100

B 80-89

C 70-79

D 60-69

F 0-59

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Nine Week Grading Period

Weekly Grades—40%

Assessments (minimum of 3/maximum of 5)—45%

Nine Weeks Test—15%

Contact Information

Please feel free to contact us at any time throughout the year. The best way to reach us is through email.

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