

WEEKLY ASSIGNMENTS

4-25 to 5-2

Dear Parents,

We will continue to practice for the State Testing coming up. We are working on Illuminate again this week, going back to review the questions we have missed and bringing anything we don't understand to discuss at school. The goal is to look at our missed questions and figure out how to answer them correctly. We will also be working in our SBAC book to complete a practice math test and practice performance assessment, which is similar to the SBAC test. On May 2-5 we will take the ELA CAASPP, May 9-12 we will take Math CAASPP, and May 9th we will take the State Science Testing for fifth grade. Make up testing will be provided May 10-12. So, time is running quickly and now is the best time to prepare. We are doing daily reviews in math and language arts as well to prepare, but any extra preparation done at home will certainly help.

We continue to grow and work hard in class. This is our time to focus on study skills and good test-taking strategies to help us excel and perform to the best of our ability. We have learned all of our standards for testing and should be able to answer the questions.

Do your 100% best, stay focused, work hard, and remember, "Testing leads to failure, and failure leads to understanding." What a great thought as we take our formative assessments! Have a nice, (and hard working/love filled) week! KEEP READING, practice irrefutable character, and HELP THE WORLD BE A BETTER PLACE!

Ms. Fuller

Assignments:

Language Arts

_____ **AR April Reading Challenge:** Keep reading this is the last week to get your reading points for the month!!
Read: Goal is **10 AR points for the month is almost over!** Read to succeed! Please read at least 30 minutes per night!
Favorite Book Title this week:

_____ Go on your "ScootPad" account and record your reflection in the "weekly reading log" assignment. Please make a meaningful connection/reflection/summary.

_____ **ELA test prep: Complete CA Content Standards Language Arts Practice #3 ELA Test as posted on <https://spusd.illuminatehc.com/login>** This is not so much a test as it is an assessment, so don't stress about unfamiliar concepts. Instead, use them as a guide to focus your learning. **Use the review button to go over your answers, if you need help, please bring your questions to school.**

Mathematics

_____ **Complete the SBAC Beginning of the Year Practice test and Beginning of the Year Performance Task** at the back of the book. **This is due by Friday.**

_____ **Practice Math Facts 3 times a week** using your XTRAMATH.org account. Remember, use fuller@spusd.net as the email.

Assignments continued:

Mathematics

_____ **Math test prep: Complete CA Content Math Practice #3 Test as posted on <https://spusd.illuminatehc.com/login>** This is not so much a test as it is an assessment, so don't stress about unfamiliar concepts. Instead, use them as a guide to focus your learning. **Use the review button to go over your answers, if you need help, please bring your questions to school.**

Science/Social Studies

_____ **Science:** Complete a section on Zingy Learning to study for your test

_____ **Science test prep: Complete CA Content Science Practice #3 Test as posted on <https://spusd.illuminatehc.com/login>** This is not so much a test as it is an assessment, so don't stress about unfamiliar concepts. Instead, use them as a guide to focus your learning. **Use the review button to go over your answers, if you need help, please bring your questions to school.**

Character Education

_____ How have you been kind this week? Think of something you did that was helpful, encouraging, or kind.

_____ **Student GRATITUDE:** How are you going to show gratitude at home this week?

How will you show gratitude at school?

P.E.

_____ Give me 5! Stretch for 5 minutes, jog for 5 minutes, do 5 push-ups, and 5 sit-ups. Then get out and play. Pick an outdoor activity and exercise for at least 30 minutes. This could be riding a bike, jogging, swimming, playing soccer, foursquare, dancing, etc. Describe the activity here:

Reflection

_____ Please reflect upon your week's effort (academic/social). What did you learn? What are you most proud of? In what areas do you need to improve/set goals for next week?

Parents

_____ Please verify that all of the work checked off has been completed. Have your child show you their work and talk with them about what they have learned. Thank you.

Comments/Questions/Reflection: Please give feedback to your child about their efforts.

I have reviewed this week's work with my child and have helped them complete it neatly, accurately, and on time. I am proud of my child's effort this week.

Parent signature

Date

Honors/Extension

Student Choice Honors Menu: Rock Stars Scholars Menu...This is about the LEARNING-not the GRADE or completion! Whoever learns the most is the HOMEWORK QUEEN/KING, and we all know that those that rule, SET the rules! **Only** if you have completed the basic homework assignments will you be able to earn honors.

_____ Read at least **300** minutes for the week (includes weekend minutes). **Must complete for honors!!!**

_____ Use your ScootPad account to complete 2 math and 2 ELA lessons with a proficiency of 75% or higher!

_____ newsela.com: Choose an article that has a picture of a light bulb to read. Once you finish the reading take the quiz and record your score here _____

_____ Begin your **End of Year test preparation** by beginning to look at some of the online benchmark resources available: **SBAC Format/Practice** <http://sbac.portal.airast.org/practice-test/> . Sign in as a "guest" and choose 5th grade, and click yes. You can look at English Language Arts and Math sample problems.

_____ **Skill Standards Review:** <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/tg/sr/css05rtq.asp> . These skills/standards will help prepare for the **Middle School Placement** exams. Your focus should be on the 5th grade **math, language arts, and science tests**.

_____ **SBAC Math Practice Book:** Work on any unfinished practice problems in your book. Check your answers using the teacher's guide to make sure you are doing them correctly.

_____ **Science:** Complete five Zingy Learning Lessons. You should have completed them all by the end of April.

_____ Get some sleep! Use effective time management during the week and get ready for bed. You didn't do any homework after 8:00pm except for reading **(which is the most important task in preparing for college!)**