

Ms. Wilkes' 5th Grade Newsletter

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Upcoming Dates

April 1 – class picture

April 10 – Reward Store

April 19 – Good Friday, no school

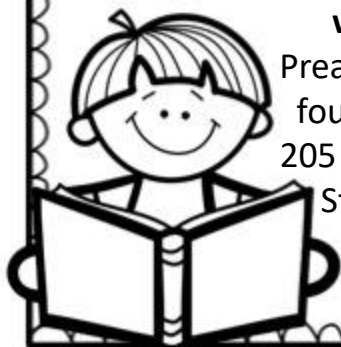
May 14 – Field Trip to CANDLES Holocaust Museum



Preamble to the U.S. Constitution

The students will be memorizing and reciting the Preamble to the United States Constitution. **We will practice this in class, but they will also need to practice at home, as well.** The

Preamble can be found on page 205 of the Social Studies text book.



SNACKS

Students will bring their own individual snacks each day. Please help your child choose snacks that are easy to eat and clean up quickly. Good snack choices include: pretzels, cereal/grain bars, sliced apples, bananas, dry cereal.

Social Studies, Science, & Health

- **Health** – Chapter 1, A Growing and Changing Body, body systems
- **Social Studies** – Unit 5, A New Nation (Louisiana Purchase, War of 1812, Industrial Revolution)



Math!

HOMEWORK – Saxon Math

- Monday** – Lesson 98, Temperature
- Tuesday** – Lesson 99, Adding and Subtracting Whole and Decimal #s
- Wednesday** – Lesson 100, Simplifying Decimal Numbers
- Thursday** – cumulative test 19
- Friday** – Investigation 10, Measuring Angles

We will be doing morning lessons using the MyMath curriculum. Normally, students will not have homework in MyMath.

Shurley & Spelling

Shurley: Chapter 11- Predicate Nouns and Linking Verbs

Spelling

List 5.4 (Latin Roots)

- Monday: 3 X each
 - Tuesday: Sparkle
 - Wednesday: pre-test
 - Thursday: final test
- **The winner of Sparkle (played on Tuesdays) does NOT have to take the test. They automatically get a 100%. ☺**



Reading & Writing

Reading

- Unit 5.4 “Journey to the Center of the Earth”, Novel
- Focus on Cause and Effect
- Focus on Summarizing

