

5th Grade

JANUARY NEWSLETTER

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This Month in ELA

ELA: Module 4 - Wild West

We will begin Module 4 - Wild West and take our Module 4 assessment at the end of January.

Classes will build their knowledge about westward expansion, with a focus on the informational text genre. We will read texts and view videos about how workers and families had varied experiences during the time of westward expansion. Children will also write an expository essay about what made the settlers, pioneers, and workers in the West successful.

Important Dates

1/2-School Resumes

1/20 - Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day - No School

1/29 - Lunar New Year- No School

Bucket Fillers

Class 501

January: Sandemir Kakhramonov, Candy Tian

Class 502

January: Kevin Flores, Samira Komildjonva, Mohamed Ouakach

This Month In Math

MATH: Topic 5 - Use Models and Strategies to Divide Whole Numbers

In Topic 5 students continue to develop their understanding of division by using number sense and models to divide whole numbers up to 4-digits by 2-digit divisors. Your student will use strategies such as rounding and compatible numbers to estimate quotients, then he or she will use patterns and relationships in different methods to calculate the actual quotients.