



# THE FIFTH GRADE TIMES

Cedar Fork Elementary School | January 2012

## CURRENT CURRICULUM

### Math

We are continuing to develop our number sense in the area of fractions. We are currently focusing on arithmetic manipulation of fractions, including strategies for adding and subtracting, as well as understanding equivalencies.

### Reading

In reading, we are learning to use multiple sources to carry out the research process.

### Writing

This week begins our State research project. We're focusing on using research tools to organize our projects so that we can maximize our time.

### Social Studies

We will continue our study on European colonization of the Americas.

### Science

We will begin exploring force and motion at the start of the third quarter.

## UPCOMING ASSESSMENTS

1/11: Social Studies (Chapter 4)

1/18: Reading assessment

1/20: Social Studies (Chapter 5)



### Wish List

Dry Erase Markers

Pencils

Hand Sanitizer

White Copy Paper

Emergency Snacks

## REMINDERS

1/13: Early Release

1/16: MLK Holiday

1/20: Second Quarter Ends

1/23: Teacher Workday

1/27: Report Cards

Ms. Bales

Mrs. Beickert

Mrs. Cashin

Mrs. Moffett

Mrs. Pomes