

Fifth Grade Overview

SDPC Academic Department Links

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Cross Content Connections - First Nine Weeks									
ELA		Math		Science		Social Studies			
Reading: make connections, infer, ask questions	9 weeks Each Taught Daily	Calendar Math (Spiral)	Daily	Scientific Method/ Inquiry	2 weeks	Geography (spiral)	ongoing		
Writing: personal narrative, story sequencing, determine importance, procedural text, poetry		Numbers and Operations in Base Ten (Adding & Subtracting Decimals, Multiplying Whole Numbers, Dividing by 1 and 2 digit divisors, multiplying and dividing decimals)	9 weeks				Ecosystems	7 weeks	Reconstruction
Language: simple & compound sentences, commas, combining complex sentences				Westward Expansion	4 weeks				
Speaking/Listening: Practice will be done daily.		Industrial Revolution	1.5 weeks						
Cross Content Connections - Second Nine Weeks									
ELA		Math		Science		Social Studies			
Reading: Monitor understanding, synthesize, create images, fix-up strategies	9 weeks Each Taught Daily	Calendar Math (Spiral)	Daily	Landforms and Oceans	6 weeks	Industrial Revolution (cont.)	2 weeks		
Writing: biography, story organization, newspaper article (voice), responding to literature (conventions)		Numbers and Operations in Base Ten (Adding & Subtracting Decimals, Multiplying Whole Numbers, Dividing by 1 and 2 digit divisors, multiplying and dividing decimals)	9 weeks				Forces and Motion	3 weeks	Immigration, Reforms
Language: nouns (possessives, subject & object), verbs (action, linking, tenses, irregular), quotation marks				US Rise to World Power	1 week				
Speaking/Listening: Practice will be done daily.		Economic Boom and Bust	2 weeks						
Cross Content Connections - Third Nine Weeks									
ELA		Math		Science		Social Studies			
Reading: compare/contrast, infer: author's purpose, non-fiction text features, determine importance	9 weeks Each Taught Daily	Calendar Math (Spiral)	Daily	Forces and Motion	6 weeks	Economic Boom and Bust	2 weeks		
Writing: report, historical fiction, observation log, story: problem & solution		Numbers and Operations Fractions	7 weeks				Mixtures and Solutions	3 weeks	World War II: Principal Events and World Impact
Language: pronouns (subject, object, singular & plural, possessive), adjectives (comparative & superlative)				Geometry	2 weeks				
Speaking/Listening: Practice will be done daily.		Cold War: Social, Economic and Political	3 weeks						
Cross Content Connections - Fourth Nine Weeks									
ELA		Math		Science		Social Studies			
Reading: monitor understanding, summarization, use visuals, context clues	9 weeks Each Taught Daily	Calendar Math (Spiral)	Daily	Mixtures and Solutions	6 weeks	Cold War: Social, Economic and Political	2 weeks		
Writing: persuasive essay, story conventions, letter, story elements		Geometry (cont.)	1 week			Integrated AIMS and STEM Units	3 weeks	1980's-Present: Changes in Technology and Globalization	4 weeks
		Language: adverbs, contractions, homophones, conjunctions, prepositions & prepositional phrases	Measurement and Data						
Speaking/Listening: Practice will be done daily.		PASS Review/Testing	1 week						
		Step Up Units for 6th Grade	3 weeks	Extend high interest areas such as Civil Rights	3 weeks				