5th Grade NEWSLETTER

November 2026

Dear Parents and Guardians,

October has been a busy and exciting month in fifth grade! Our students continue to grow as learners, build confidence, and strengthen their skills each day. We have recently begun new topics in both ELA and Math, and we are excited to see our students take on new challenges and continue making progress!

One of the highlights of the month was Team Up for Math at PS 748! It was wonderful welcoming our families into the classroom and giving them a firsthand look at how our students think critically, problem-solve, and explore numbers. Thank you to everyone who joined us and shared in this special learning experience. Your involvement and support are truly appreciated!

A few important reminders:

- The school day begins promptly at 8:00 a.m. Please make sure your child arrives on time and is ready to begin the day at 8:00 sharp.
- If your child experiences device login issues or needs technical assistance, please reach out to your child's teacher or Ms. Lorina (SLorina@schools.nyc.gov) for support.

Classroom Highlights

Literacy

Module 2 - What a Story

Over the next three weeks, our class will build their knowledge about subgenres of fiction, with a focus on different ways to tell a great story. We will read texts and view videos about how writers share compelling stories in literature of many types. Children will also write an expository essay telling how each genre affects the way a story is told.

Math

Topic 3 - Fluently Multiply Multi-Digit Whole Numbers

Topic 3 focuses on multiplying multi-digit whole numbers by 1- and 2-digit numbers. Your child will work on developing the ability to multiply efficiently and accurately using the standard multiplication algorithm. Throughout this topic, your child will multiply whole numbers to solve word problems.

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Reminders

- Blue Cards
- Media Release Forms
- Remind

Upcoming Events

- **11/3** - Election Day - **REMOTE** for all students
- **11/5** - FULL DAY of SCHOOL
- **11/11** - No School - Veteran's Day
- **11/19** - 4th & 5th grade Spelling Bee
- **11/26 & 11/27** - No school - Thanksgiving Recess

October



Bucket Fillers

501

Botirbek Boliev & Vicky Zhang

502

Devon Craw & Taliah Ghanam

503

Alexis Garcia Sapon & Logan Soo

504

Angelo Lopez & Niya Yu



Remote Learning Schedule



Grade Five

In the event we need to pivot to Remote Learning Readiness, please follow the schedule below:

Time	
8:15	Live in Google Classroom (ELA)
9:30	Please post movement activities or educational games/activities
10:15	Live in Google Classroom (ELA)
11:00	Lunch
11:55	Live in Google Classroom (Math)
1:00	Live with Ms. Gigante (Science)
1:50	Have homework posted (i-ready)