

5th Grade Class News

Class Information

This week we will be beginning a new unit in Social Studies. Our classes will be studying the Native American cultures that originally settled in South America. More specifically, we will be studying the Incas, Mayas, and Aztecs. During this unit the students will be learning about these nation's cultures, art, history, government, and religion.

This week in science we will be bringing our unit on the scientific method to a close. Your child will be working in an in-class lab report on an experiment we will be doing this week. In addition, **there will be a test over this unit on Friday.** Your child will be responsible for studying their textbook and the notes in their binder to be prepared for this test. We will spend time in class this week explaining to the students what material to study and giving them tips on how to prepare for the test.

On Tuesday the fifth grade will be traveling to St. Mary's church for noon mass. Please remember to send your child in dress uniform. They may bring an extra pair of shoes to change into when we get back to school. Also, please make sure your child has a sack lunch on this day as we will be gone during our lunch time. Feel free to come join us at Mass if you have a chance.

Wednesday is picture day. On this day your child may wear either their school uniform or the clothes you would like them to have their picture taken in.

If you have not turned in your free and reduced lunch form, please do so as soon as possible.

We hope that you have a great week! If you have any questions or concerns, please let us know.

PE Days

Merriam: Monday, Tuesday

Storey: Wednesday,
Thursday (swimming)

Activities This Week

Reading: The Land I Lost: Adventures of a Boy in Vietnam

Math: Multiplication

Science: The Scientific Method

SS: The Incas

Religion: Sacraments

Important Dates

Wednesday, August 27th: Picture Day!

Thursday, August 28th: Mrs. Storey's class will **not** be going swimming this week. The YMCA is working on the pool.