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5th Grade Weekly Newsletter ~ August 11th–15th

Weekly Reminders:

Tuesday: Chapel - Students will wear their chapel shoes this day. Girls will wear khaki/plaid skirts.

Wednesday: Taekwondo- SWAG store shirts or yellow PE shirts and shorts (to the knees) or pants should be worn.

Thursday: PE - yellow PE shirts and shorts (to the knees) or pants should be worn.

Mileage Club: Begins August 26th

Math, Science, & History:

- **Math:** This week we begin our first Math chapter which covers multiplication properties and multiplication with 2-digit and 3-digit multipliers. Every Friday, there will be a timed multiplication test over basic multiplication facts 0s-12s. Please work on these weekly with your child. Having these facts memorized is essential to success in Math this year.
- **Science:** We begin chapter 1 this week with learning about earthquakes (plate tectonics and earthquake waves).
- **History:** The students will study the American colonies this week by discovering the New World with the men and boys of Jamestown. The class is also working on cardinal and intermediate directions on a map.

Language Arts & Bible:

- **Reading:** We are reading an excerpt from *Where the Red Fern Grows* this week and studying the skills of point of view and setting.
- **English:** For chapter one, the students will review parts of speech and sentence structure.
- **Word Study:** The students will be tested over List on Tuesday. Their study sheets are in their binders.
- **Jar of Books Challenge:** Please encourage your child to be reading this month. The students are required to read at least one book at their level per month. Reading 20 min. each night will help them reach this goal.
- **Bible:** We will compare Biblical vs. secular worldviews this week. There will be a quiz over Isaiah 40:29 (ESV) on Friday.

Contact Info:

Please feel free to contact us at any time during the school year. We will reply no later than 24 hrs:

For Reading, English, Word Study, or Bible questions: Mrs. Baker - bbaker@btcsindy.org

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We had a great first week! I'm proud of how well the students worked together!