



# WEEKLY LEARNING SCHEDULE

Week of: August 14-18, 2023

Aligned to 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Common Core Standards, Next Generation Science Standards, & California History Social Sciences Standards

Benchmark Reading	i-Ready Assessments
Literature Study	"The Top 10 Ways to Ruin the First Day of 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade" by Ken Derby
Speaking & Listening	"All About Me" Project (Presentations begin August 21)
i-Ready Math	i-Ready Assessments
STEAM Project	Wooden Catapults
Science	Scientific Method - Tools for Investigation
Social Studies	State Report #1: State Facts 1-Pager (Due August 25)
Art Appreciation	Elements of Art
Upcoming Events	i-Ready Assessments – August 15-18 Tie Dye Spirit Day – Friday, August 18
Communication	Class Website: <a href="http://www.OurClass.us">www.OurClass.us</a> E-mail: <a href="mailto:toanpham@stocktonusd.net">toanpham@stocktonusd.net</a> , Texting & Messages: ClassDojo



## T 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Responsibility

This year, students are learning to be independent and responsible for their own education. As we get into our 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Curriculum, students will have more and more assignments to do in class and at home. I want the **students to be accountable for what they need to do, how to do it, and when to turn it in.**

As parents, continue to encourage and support your child, but please try not to come to their rescue at the first sign of trouble. Learning from mistakes and accepting consequences are valuable lessons that will help your child tremendously in the future as they continue to higher grades.

For a few students, this process will be slow, and at times, I will ask you to step in. But for the most part, we will encourage them to make good decisions and help them understand that there are consequences that come with not making good choices or not following directions.

Thank you for your understanding and support.



A great big **THANK YOU** to Families who have donated classroom supplies to our class:

- **Aaron's Family**
- **Aria's Family**
- **Jonathan's Family**
- **Melanie's Family**

Please go to the "Wish-List" page on our Class Website for the list of items we need. Thank you.

**[www.ourclass.us](http://www.ourclass.us)**

## i-Ready Diagnostic Assessments



*i-Ready Fall Testing for 5<sup>th</sup> Graders begins on Tuesday, August 15 and continues through the week. The students will be tested in Math and Reading. i-Ready is a computerized adaptive test which helps teachers, parents, and administrators improve learning for all students and make informed decisions to promote the students' academic growth.*

*Please encourage your child to try his/her best on these assessments.*