



FABULOUS FIFTH GRADE



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August 31, 2015- Issue 2



Calendar

September 3—Moe's Night

September 3- Math MAP Testing in the morning

September 4- DC deposit DUE TODAY! (\$50 per person)

September 7—No School/Labor Day

September 10- Reading MAP Testing in the morning

September 11—School Spirit Day- Wear your FSS t-shirt

September 14—SIC Meeting 7:30 AM

Classroom Activities

Math- Understanding Volume Starting Multiplication & Division Strategies

Reading- Introduction of Reading Workshop

Science- Matter

Social Studies- Reconstruction

Writing- Narrative Writing

Weekly Quizzes and Tests

Tuesday- Math Quiz

Thursday- SS Quiz

Friday- Spelling Test

Friday- Grammar Quiz

Feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns!

You can call me at school at 355-5094 My email address mking@greenville.k12.sc.us

Also Check out our class blog for recent happenings in the classroom and helpful tools to help your child at home.

<http://mkingblog.weebly.com/>

Spelling Words

slammed popped
planned sobbed

Rule: double the final letter when a one-syllable verb ends in **consonant + vowel + consonant**

Word Wall Words

believe caught
ninth possible

Greek & Latin Roots

aqua (water)
aero (air)

Classroom needs:

- Colored copy paper



1st IB Planner

Theme- How the World Works

Central Idea- Interactions create function and structural change.

Reminders:

1. Remember to return all forms as soon as possible (emergency, PTA, volunteer, etc.).
2. Join PTA! We would love to get 100% membership!
3. Be sure to write your child's names in belongings that could be left at school. Our lost and found will be sent to charity once a month.

Washington DC Trip

Deposits are due this Friday, Sept. 4th for all students and chaperones planning on attending the trip. \$50 per person non refundable deposit due Friday.

MAP Testing

All students in grades 2-5 will take MAP testing in September for Reading and Math. Our MAP testing dates are September 3 for Math and September 10 for Reading. Both dates are in the morning Please be sure that your child is at school on time and gets a good night's sleep. Encourage your child to do his/her best.

Parent Portal

Parent Portal access is now available to be picked up in the office. An informational sheet about the portal can be found in this week's folders.

"Always keep an open mind and a compassionate heart"-Phil Jackson