



# Fantastic Fifth Grade Bulldogs

8/19/2013

Mrs. Modelo Selgrath Room 704  
[gina.selgrath@cvesd.org](mailto:gina.selgrath@cvesd.org)

Mr. Zaravia Room 705  
[mario.zaravia@cvesd.org](mailto:mario.zaravia@cvesd.org)

## AUGUST 2013 NEWSLETTER

**HOMEWORK** Be prepared with supplies daily (5 sharp pencils, lined paper, journals, check PLANNER)

**READING-** Read daily at AR range 30 minutes at school and 30 minutes at home. Several students reading above the fifth grade level are encouraged to visit the public libraries often to check out books at their range. Meet your AR goal with a test average of 80% or better reading at your GE (grade equivalent) AR range. We set goals weekly at school.

**MATH Multiplication Facts 0-12** Memorized and reviewed at home.

**IXL-** 20 minutes daily online. Please complete the goal that was set for you on Monday of each week. If you are absent, call a friend to find out what the assignment was. Everything is listed in the planner. This is a skill that will be expected in 6th, middle school and high school.

**CHAPTER 1-** If you scored 70% or under, a retest for a higher score is optional. Each student must review problems missed at home and be prepared for the retest on FRIDAY. You may toss out the lowest score.

**SOCIAL STUDIES-** (bring a flash drive daily)

State power point is due on Friday, 8/23 You have seen three samples at school and have had time to work on your own report. Detailed information was sent home with each student earlier this month. Please see your homeroom teacher if you need extra support. Your presentation should be 2-3 minutes in length. You will have time to develop your power point Tuesday through Thursday this week.

**Locate and map 50 states and capitals by April 2014** This is a 5th grade standard and currently we are working on memorizing 10 states and capitals.

## AT SCHOOL

**CURSIVE** We are writing lyrics to songs, raps, chants and poetry in cursive for practice.

**EARTH SCIENCE** We are studying the weather.

Writing text type for this quarter is NARRATIVE. We are also writing an All About ME mini book.

## CALENDAR

**Field trip to MIDWAY** is being planned for the early September. Details to follow and parent chaperones will be needed!

**PICTURE DAY** is on Wednesday 8/21

Parent conference schedule will be sent home next week.

## Thank you!

Room MOMS Mrs. Delia and Mrs. Martinez

We also appreciate our families for their generous donations and volunteer time: Mrs. Valdivia,  
Mrs. Bane, Mrs. Schlesinger, Mr. Garrod, & Mrs. Fimbres

