



## Week of July 29–August 2 A Note from the Teacher

Hello parents/guardians!

I hope everyone had a wonderful week. Today we wrapped up our line graphing and data sets math unit. We are continuing reading Esperanza Rising. The students now are digging deeper into the 3 Branches of Government.

I wanted to again remind parents/guardians to be checking student agendas each night. Please be sure to check that your student has **completed** each assignment in their agenda and sign off that you saw it.

Please don't forget the deadlines for the D.C. field trip. **The first deadline is today, 7/26, in which the first payment is due.** You can write a check or pay online using the link that was sent out last week. This payment needs to be turned in ASAP.

Open House was on Monday. At Open House, we discussed the importance of homework expectations and the

curriculum that will be taught over the course of your student's fifth-grade year. If you could not make it to Open House, attached is the slideshow that was presented.

Just a quick reminder for students to bring reusable water bottles from home for these hot summer days. The classroom is still in *need of individually wrapped tree-nut free snacks, paper towels, small water bottles, and grid/graph paper.*

Please remind your student we will have **COUNSELOR Monday** and to go straight to my classroom. As always, if you have any questions or concerns email me/Remind message me and let me know! Have a happy weekend!

Sincerely,  
Miss Parker

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## A Glance at the Week

### Math

Volume; math fact fluency GOAL work

### ELA

Continue reading Esperanza Rising;  
Discuss Universal Design of Human Rights

### Social Studies

Three Branches of Government

### Science

Force & Motion; Building Cars

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## Upcoming Dates

Fall Picture Day - August 22

**DC Meeting 1 - September 5th at 6:00 PM**

**DC Meeting 2 - September 6th at 8:00 AM**

PTA Meeting - August 8 at 11:00

Tentative Washington D.C. field trip dates -  
October 3-4

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## Upcoming Tests & Projects

EL Mid-Unit Assessment

Social Studies Branches of Government

Quiz