



5TH GRADE NEWS



January 2020

What are we learning this month?

ELA: In unit 2b, students will apply their background knowledge about the American Revolution while exploring the historical fiction genre. Students will read and discuss historical fiction novels in a literature circle format in order to learn and apply various speaking and listening and literary reading standards.

Math: Students will continue with the division of whole numbers and decimals unit. We will use estimation and different strategies to solve problems.

Advanced Math: Students extend their understanding of the number system beyond whole numbers, decimals, and fractions to rational numbers, including applications using number lines and the coordinate plane. Students use different representations for linear relationships including equations, tables of values, and graphs.

Science: In the unit, Blast-off, students will focus on chemistry concepts. Students will learn through investigation the properties of various chemicals and use those properties to identify mystery chemicals. We will also learn about matter.

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Your
Calendar*

January Dates:

PTA Meeting at 6:00 PM 1/6

Team BCPS Day- Wear Blue! 1/9

No School- Martin Luther King Jr. Day 1/20

3-hour Early Dismissal/End of Second Marking Period 1/24

PTA Movie Night 1/31

STAR STUDENTS



Reminder:

It's a good time to check your child's school supplies if they need to replenish pencils, scissors, etc.

We could also always use donations of tissues and sanitizing gel during the winter months.

January Birthdays

Ezra B., Blake M.

