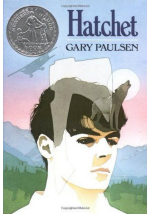
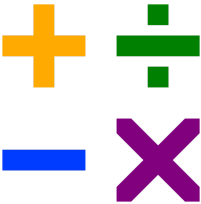



# Fifth Grade Newsletter

## October 14 - October 18, 2019

<p><b>Reading</b></p>  <p><b>Mrs. Patterson Mr. Nejus (5A)</b></p>	<p>We will begin our new novel, Hatchet on Thursday. This novel is used as a warm-up for Camp Fitch. This is a book about survival. One of the classes that students will participate in at camp is a survival course. New vocabulary words will be sent home this week. Please study! There will be NO spelling words this week due to it being a 3 day week. Our focus skill will continue to be on theme. The students will take their Theme test on Study Island this week.</p> <p><b>Questions or comments:</b> <a href="mailto:dana.patterson@southern.k12.oh.us">dana.patterson@southern.k12.oh.us</a>  <b>Phone number:</b> 330-679-2343 Ext. 4083  <b>Standards:</b> RF.5.3, RF.5.4 (a,b,c), RL.5.1, SL.5.1 (a,b,c,d),</p>
<p><b>Math</b></p>  <p><b>Mrs. Scheel Mr. Nejus</b></p>	<p>This week students will be focusing on decimal place value, reading, and writing decimals as well as finishing the powers of ten unit. On Friday, we will complete a quiz on powers of ten. We will also work in math workshop, practicing multiplication facts, number of the day activities, weekly work focused on place value review, and challenge activities that are based on student scores and abilities as shown on the STAR math assessment.</p> <p><b>Standards:</b> NBT.2  <b>Questions or comments:</b> <a href="mailto:tiffany.scheel@southern.k12.oh.us">tiffany.scheel@southern.k12.oh.us</a>  <b>Phone Number:</b> 330-679-2343 Extension 4084</p>
<p><b>Science</b></p>  <p><b>Ms. Marquis Mr. Nejus</b></p>	<p>Over the next couple of weeks the students will Continue to work on understanding that light travels in a straight line until it interacts with an object or moves from one substance to another. Students will explore by experimenting to determine the difference between light that is absorbed, reflected and refracted. The students will experiment with temperature changes caused by light striking different surfaces. Finally they will explain that light is faster than sound.</p> <p><b>Standards:</b> 5.PS.2 - Light travels and maintains its direction until it interacts with an object or moves from one medium to another and then it can be reflected or absorbed. Sound is produced by vibrating objects and requires a medium through which to travel. The rate of vibration is related to the pitch of sound.</p> <p>Questions or Comments: <a href="mailto:karen.marquis@southern.k12.oh.us">karen.marquis@southern.k12.oh.us</a> Phone no. 330-679-2301 ext 4090.</p>
<p><b>Social Studies</b> <b>Mrs. Sakely Mr. Nejus</b></p>	<p>Students will not have Social Studies until the 3rd and 4th nine weeks of the school year.</p>
<p><b>Reminders</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>No School on Monday, October 14 or Tuesday, October 15</b></li> <li>● <b>Cookie Dough will be delivered Thursday, October 17</b></li> <li>● <b>End of the 1st Nine Weeks: October 25</b></li> </ul>