Mrs. Anderle's News You Can Use

Dear 5-1 Parents and Students,

August 21, 2018

Welcome back to school and fifth grade! I am so thrilled the new school year has begun. Fifth grade is an exciting time and I feel lucky to be sharing this experience with each of you. Below you will find a brief overview of classroom organization and procedures that exist in our classroom.

CLASSROOM CONNECTION

Classroom communication is a top priority for me. I will frequently update our Class News page and send out a link to view it. With each update, you will receive an overview of our week's activities, along with any important dates of field trips or long-term assignments.

Our website can be found at: anderle.weebly.com

You can also follow our class on twitter at: MrsAnderleClass

If you would like a paper copy of our Class News, please just let me know. I'd be happy to accommodate you in any way that I can.

PARENT COMMUNICATION

My door is always open to you and your child. Please feel free to contact me before or after school. You may also contact me via email: aanderle@sd25.org.

HOMEWORK

Assignments are given to reinforce classroom instruction and apply concepts. All assignments must be turned in on the due date, unless there is a note from a parent/guardian explaining the circumstances.

Students should also be reading for at least 30 minutes per night.

ACCORDION FOLDER

Students will be using their accordions for all subject areas. Students should bring this folder home each night with any important handouts for you to see. Students should return the folder to school the following day with any notes, forms, etc. that should be given to the office or me.

ASSIGNMENT NOTEBOOKS

Your child has been provided with an assignment notebook. It is important for students to take the responsibility of recording assignments correctly on a daily basis. An assignment board is posted in the front of our classroom, and we will check assignment notebooks each afternoon. However, it might also be a good idea for you to check your child's assignment notebook each night to ensure that he or she has completed each assignment.

CLASSROOM SNACKS

Students are allowed to bring in a snack for the morning. Snacks must be fruits or vegetables in their own skin.

Other practices and procedures regarding the classroom and school, new standards based grading system, and curriculum will be given to the children throughout the year. A detailed explanation will also be given to you at our Parent Night, Thursday, August 30, 2018. If at any time you or your child have any questions regarding this information, please don't hesitate to contact me. Please look for the first official CLASS NEWS during the week of September 3, 2018.

Happy First Day of School!!!!