

# Fifth Grade News

Date: October 14, 2019

## Calendar

- October 17 - CASE Reading Assessment
- October 18 - CASE Math Assessment
- October 18 - Falloween Festival - 5:30-7:30
- October 21 - Reading Assessment - Main Idea
- October 22 - Social Studies Test - Explorers
- October 22 - Fall Pictures
- October 23 - Math Test - Multiplication & Division
- October 29 - Parent/Teacher Conferences

## CASE Assessment

This week students will be taking the CASE assessment. This will replace the MAP assessment that we have done the last several years. CASE is much more rigorous than MAP so we will be talking to the students prior to taking the assessment about trying their best. The test is also timed, which is different from the MAP test. We are looking for students to do their best, so please talk to your child about that as well as not worrying about the test. We are just trying to get a benchmark of where they are this time around.

## Learning

**Reading** - This week will continue our unit on central ideas (main ideas) in information text.

**Math** - This week we will be working on area model division and standard algorithm for multiplication..

**Social Studies** - This week we will continue our unit on early explorers.

**Writing** - We will continue our unit on argumentative writing this week.

**Science** - We will be learning about earth science. DARE will be on Wednesday.

“Let us always meet each other with a smile, for the smile is the beginning of love.” – Mother Teresa



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