

Welcome to 5th Grade!

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 About: I am originally from California, but have lived in Augusta, GA for 5 years.
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Classroom Expectations:

Please review the “Online Expectations” in Canvas before our first Zoom Meeting on September 8th. This can be found by clicking on the “Parent Information” button on your student’s Homeroom course. I expect students and parents to follow these essential agreements for Live Virtual Learning (Zoom Meetings).

Conduct:

I utilize ClassDojo daily for behavior and parent communication. Please make sure to download the app and get connected with our class via phone or email. I will contact parents through the messaging feature on ClassDojo if individual information is needed or a problem arises during one of our Zoom Meetings. Please address the issue promptly and/or communicate any additional questions or concerns.

Assignments/ Homework Policy:

Daily assignments will be assigned through Canvas. Students will work on those assignments during their daily asynchronous (independent) instruction time. I expect all assignments to be completed and/or submitted to me by Friday afternoon of each week. I will definitely address individual needs (technology issues, assignment extensions, etc.) as they arise. Please let me know how I can help you through messaging me on ClassDojo. Included in assignments is **iReady**. It is required for students to complete 30-60 minutes of Reading AND Math instruction per week in iReady. This will not begin until after the first diagnostic test is administered. It is crucial that students complete their diagnostic tests INDEPENDENTLY with no help from parents. If I suspect that a parent interfered with the diagnostic test, then the student will need to be retested immediately. I ask that you please comply with this request.

Parent Contact/Conferences:

I will post daily announcements on ClassDojo. We have a built-in Teacher Tutoring time slot from 11:00 AM to 12:00PM Monday - Thursday. If your child needs additional help on a specific skill, concept, or assignment, and you would like to schedule a tutoring session (Zoom Meeting), please let me know through ClassDojo and I will make sure to adhere to your request as soon as I can. The Richmond County School System has also adopted a 24/7 Tutoring App available to all students through their LaunchPad. Please go to the district website (rcboe.org) and search '**FEV Tutor**' for more information. I may call/text you from my Google phone. If for any reason this happens, I ask that you please be respectful of my personal time with phone calls. My preferred method of contact is ClassDojo or calling the school and leaving a message for me. I will get back to you as soon as I can.

I am **beyond excited** to get this school year started! Thank you for entrusting me with your child and I look forward to getting to know each family this year!
If there is anything you need, please let me know!