

Fifth Spanish



Greetings Families,

This week, our scholars were busy conducting research for their non-fiction magazine project, typing the final draft of their research-based persuasive essay, as well as utilizing multiple strategies for three and two-digit multiplication and division problems.

We hope you enjoy the three-day weekend!

Sincerely,

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Important Events and Reminder

- 1/17 School-wide Spelling Bee
- 1/20 NO SCHOOL – Martin Luther King Jr. Day
- 1/31- English Spelling Quiz
- 2/7 First Friday
- Saturday, May 16 – Saturday, May 23, 2020: Panama Trip
- **Reminder: Please label your scholar's belongings with their name, especially outerwear and water bottles.**
- **If you did not complete a Feedback Form from parent-teacher conference, please take a moment to do so by clicking here:**
<https://tinyurl.com/GSPTC-1Feedback>
- **Reminder: Please do not drive up Oakview Terrace for drop off and please be mindful of DC traffic laws on Oakview Terrace and within the community.**
- **Do NOT block driveways on Oakview Terrace**

UNITS OF INQUIRY

- In groups, students will create original Hamilton-inspired song lyrics to represent major events in the lead up to and fighting of the Civil War as a final project to our unit.

Reading Workshop:

- Students will continue to utilize their knowledge of text structures, text features, and main idea in non-fiction texts to create a non-fiction magazine on a topic of choice.

Writing Workshop:

- Students will publish their final draft of their research-based persuasive essay.

Math

- Students will learn division strategies to solve 2-digit divisor problems efficiently.

Spanish

- Students will describe main aspects about different kinds of violence and will research about activist who works on the issues. Also, scholars will practice their vocabulary with several games created by themselves