

# Fifth Grade Falconer

**Fairview's Mission:** To Educate Children with 21st Century Skills to take their place in a global community.

**Vision:** A place where Families are valued, Expectations for learning are high, & Successes are celebrated!

**Student Friendly Focus:** When I read: I think, I question, I share

*Wishing everyone a safe and healthy Spring Break! Enjoy!!*

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**Weekly I Can... Statements**

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**Math-**  
I Can learn to understand percent and ratios and use them.

**Reading-**  
I Can use the strategies learned when taking my Theme 5 theme test.

**Writing- I Can...**  
I Can correct daily language sentences that go along with theme 5.

**Word Knowledge- I Can...**  
I Can review all word wall words from Theme 5.

**Science...**  
I Can use a mini experiment to demonstrate different densities.

**March 28, 2012**



## This week at a glance..

**Reading:** What a fast theme this was! Well like all good things, they must come to an end. Our theme test will be this week, as well as our skills test over the many skills we have learned from our ready stories. The only encouragement I can give you for the test is read carefully, do your best, and you will be fine.

**Math:** Not as easy of a topic as we first thought, but we fought our way through it, with a little sweat, but no tears. Topic 16 test is Thursday and we will go over it on Friday. I have encouraged them to take their books

home to review, look at old homework sheets, and problems I have done in class. I am really hoping that this quarter will be more about retaining all this valuable information to be used in middle school and beyond.

**Writing:** Since our theme has wrapped up this week, we decided to do the same with all our spelling words, vocabulary words, and grammar skills learned throughout the theme. Students will be taking their 30 word test on Friday, as well as a vocabulary test. We have also been doing daily language practice sentences to make sure we are identifying and using proper grammar in writing. The other fun piece of writing we have done this week is writing to our pen pal. My babies were able to share all their excitement about Spring Break coming up and their wonderful plans!

**Social Studies:** Due to Spring Break coming up, we didn't start another chapter in Social Studies or Science. We will focus on Science when we return from break. Look forward to at least two experiments this quarter. One of them will be on your own!!!



## IMPORTANT DATES:

- \* *SPRING BREAK: March 31st- April 9th*
- \* *RETURN TO SCHOOL-- April 10th- Tuesday :-)*

## SELL, SELL, SELL!!!

*As Spring Break approaches, I know many of you are selling your little hearts out. If you think you need more tickets to sell over break, make sure you get them from me before Friday. Please remember to also tell your customers to put their ticket in a safe place until April 21st.*

## GRANDPARENTS LUNCHEON...

*Was a great success on Tuesday. Thank you to the grandparents who attended and spent the afternoon with us.*

## BYE, BYE...DEVEN....

*We would like to formally say goodbye to our classmate and friend Deven. He has been at Fairview for a long time, but now it's time to say goodbye, but for good reason. Deven I want you to know we will miss you greatly, thanks for all your help, always doing your job to the best of your ability, and being such a "sweet" outspoken young boy. Best wishes on your next school and know that we are here for you!! Mrs. Lott is just an email away! :-)*

## PBIS & BIST SAYINGS THIS WEEK...

*The following is the targeted expectations the school as a whole is working on. Please go over these with your child to make sure they are contributing the best they can to being a good citizen.*

**\*MOBILE (Behavior)**

**\*I CAN MAKE GOOD CHOICES FOR MYSELF**

## Spelling Words

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| 1. unable     | 2. correction |
| 3. native     | 4. distance   |
| 5. spinach    | 6. vulture    |
| 7. curtain    | 8. dirtier    |
| 9. spied      | 10. treasure  |
| 11. discover  | 12. inspect   |
| 13. tension   | 14. language  |
| 15. respond   | 16. voyage    |
| 17. pleasure  | 18. happiness |
| 19. furniture | 20. dizziness |
| 21. promotion | 22. react     |
| 23. solid     | 24. notice    |
| 25. destroy   | 26. mountain  |
| 27. adventure | 28. busier    |
| 29. pitied    | 30. scariest  |

## FEEDBACK CORNER

*Each week, this section is here so that you can feel comfortable sharing information, if you have a question, or want to voice a concern.*

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