

May



Grade 5 Newsletter – May in Review

Introduction... May was a very busy month and we have been finishing up quite a lot of the curriculum for this semester. We started off with the Speaking Contest and continued to work diligently.

In English Language, we have read informational texts in the Cornerstone book focused on the environment. We looked at different biomes and learned about how to best care for the earth that we occupy.

In Mathematics, we covered simple equations, dipping our toes in algebra during this semester. We also worked with graphs and data and learned to represent them through a short math project.

In Social Studies, we learned about taxation and spending in Canada. We learned about the problem of homelessness, its causes and some solutions to fix it. We are beginning

to look at public opinion and how citizens can be active in the government.

In Science, we looked at several other human organ systems, most notably our respiratory system, creating a lung out of a paper bag and a straw. We also looked at the circulatory system and how the two work together to keep us alive.

Happy May!

Ms. Kepa

Pictures, pictures, pictures!

