Notes from Ms. Katje**:** Students are currently working on tree silhouettes using oil pastel watercolor resist.

Notes from Coach Mike**:** In P.E., students are playing an invasion game similar to “Capture the Flag” called “Pumpkin Patch.” Invasion games focus on teamwork, keeping possession, scoring, and defending.

If you or a family member are a veteran and want to be in our Veterans Day slideshow, please email me a picture and his/her name, rank, military branch, and student that they are related to.

**Math Night**

**Our Math Parent Involvement Night will be held this Thursday, October 24th, from 6-7:00. We’ll use this time to go over what we do in class, school expectations, and the curriculum. I hope that everyone can attend.**

**We still need 1-2 more volunteers to help with cooking that afternoon from 12:45-1:45. Please email me or go to SignUpGenius if you can help.**

**Silent Auction**

**We will be holding our silent auction at our math PI night on October 24th. 5th grade’s theme is movie night. Any donations to our basket would be appreciated! You can visit amazon.com for literally thousands of movie ideas. Donations must be turned in by Wednesday, October 23rd. Please don’t wait until the last minute to contribute.**

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| **ELA: This week, we covered persuasion, conjunctions, compound and complex sentences, and the prefix, “quad-.”**  **SS: Students just had an open-book test on economics and government. Next up is Ancient American Civilizations.**  **Math: We are still working on Ch. 2, which covers exponents and prime factorization. Test Thursday!**  **Science: We tested on Unit 1: The Nature of Science this week. We’ll now jump to Unit 3, and study Earth and Space.** |
| **Word of the Week:**  **Our word of the week was “unity.” Unity means to work together as one, often to accomplish a shared goal. When we stand together, unity gives us the strength, power, and courage to do great things. Being united makes for a stronger community, and a stronger country.** |
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**National Unity Day**

**Wear orange this Wednesday, October 23rd, as we stand united to fight bullying!**

**Report Cards**

**Report cards will be sent home on Thursday, October 24th. If grades are not what you hoped they’d be, students have a fresh start to make improvements!**

**Honor Roll Assembly**

**Our Honor Roll and Morning Mile Assembly will be held during Morning Meeting on Tuesday, October 29th.**

October 17, 2019

### Students should neatly write and mark each of the following words with large, legible print on the index cards sent home today. This week, we will focus on the schwa in –tial and -cial words.

### antisocial superficial presidential artificial influential

### residential sequential exponential confidential impartial

#### Spelling

#### Miscellaneous

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