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|  | **November 2023**Class News **From the 5th grade classroom of Ms. Buonomo** |
| Highlights |
| October was a busy month in our classroom! We have been working hard on improving our reading skills on iReady. We have also continued working on fiction with concepts like summarizing, making predictions and inferences, character analysis, and book reviews. In November, we are starting our non-fiction unit and will focusing on main idea and details as well as text features, text structures and different types of informational text. Congratulations to Sophia Baez for being September’s Student of the Month and Alexander Morel for being October’s Student of the Month, |
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| . November: 3 – Sahmeid 8 – Jesus11 – Josiah13 – Oden14 – Ms. Buonomo17 – Ariane **Important Dates*** November 6-10 – No School – Fall Break
* November 16 – End of Marking Period 1
* November 22 – ½ Day
* November 23-24 – No School Thanksgiving
 | Subject news |  |
| **Reading:** We are shifting focus to nonfiction text during the next marking period. Students will be selecting their own nonfiction books and applying skills learned in class to their own books. Reading logs and responses will be expected nightly Monday – Thursday.**Specials**Monday – HealthTuesday – MusicWednesday – GymThursday – Gym and Technology/MediaFriday - Art |
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**Something to talk about.** Reading doesn’t have to stop when you put the book down. Talk to your child about books you’ve read and books you think he or she might enjoy. Please make sure your child is reading 60 minutes a week and logging his/her reading log.

**Reading tip of the week...**