

TEAM TALENT



Dear Parents/Guardians,

Welcome! We hope this letter finds you well and rested after a long summer. We hope that you are as excited as we are about the 2021-2022 school year. We look forward to a year filled with learning and positive growth. Great success depends on great choices.

Sam Jamison's theme this year is Jaguars Have S.P.O.T.S. We are **Team Talent!**

Our teachers are available for scheduled conferences every day during our conference period. We are available by appointment from **1:35 - 2:20pm**. If you wish to make an appointment, please email, or call 281-412-1440. The communication folders will be sent home each Monday. The communication folder will include letters of communication as well as graded papers. Please read through all papers that are enclosed and review all graded work. If your student has a missing assignment for the week, he or she will receive the incomplete assignment in his/her folder. Your student has up to one week (the following Monday) to complete the assignment or he/she will earn a grade of a zero on the missing assignment. If a student earned a grade below a 70 on an assignment, he/she will have up to one week (the following Monday) to correct the assignment or the original grade of below 70 will remain in the grade book. Notations for missing work (**MA**) and assignments needing to be corrected can be found in Skyward. We will be using ClassDojo to connect with our parents and provide feedback regarding their child's behavior.

Our website addresses are as follows:

Ms. Ellis - Language Arts

[Ellis, Kelly / Teacher Home Page \(pearlandisd.org\)](https://pearlandisd.org/ellis-kelly)

Ms. Kingrea - Math

[Kingrea, Lindsey / Kingrea's Home Page \(pearlandisd.org\)](https://pearlandisd.org/kingrea-lindsey)

Mrs. Wightman - Science/SS

[Wightman, Taralee / Teacher Home Page \(pearlandisd.org\)](https://pearlandisd.org/wightman-taralee)

Some of you have already signed up for Skyward Family and Student Access. This program allows you to view your child's grades weekly via the internet. It is an excellent way to see your child's progress before report cards at the end of each nine weeks. Please look for the graded papers in the Monday folder. We encourage students to come to tutoring when they need additional assistance with current assignments or objectives. Tutoring times for each teacher will be sent out during the 2nd week of school.

The students will be guided to make positive choices in our classes. We want to provide your child with a positive educational environment. Together we can make this year a success!

Sincerely,

Ms. Ellis

Ms. Kingrea

Mrs. Wightman

Language Arts

Mathematics

Science/SS

Ms. Ellis, Language Arts

ellisk@pearlandisd.org

Tutoring Times: Check your child's notebook for tutoring pass the 2nd week of school. Tutoring is set for students that have questions concerning current classroom work only (20 minutes).

Welcome to Fifth Grade Language Arts! Students will create an interactive notebook for reading and a second interactive notebook for grammar. Students will use a 5-subject notebook for journal writing and reading responses. The 5-subject notebook will remain in the classroom throughout the year. Your child will also use a purple folder (for handouts), yellow highlighters, glue, and scissors. Students will visit the school library every other week. They are responsible for bringing their library books to school each day to independently read throughout the day.

Ms. Kingrea, Mathematics

kingrealn@pearlandisd.org

Tutoring Times: Check your child's planner for tutoring pass the 2nd week of school

Welcome to fifth grade math! Students will have a combination textbook and workbook this year. Textbooks will be kept in the classroom. Students will have access to the textbook and other resources online. Homework is assigned on Mondays and is due on Fridays and will cover material we are currently learning or that has been previously taught. Students are encouraged to use class notes, resources provided in class, and his/her textbook to complete homework assignments. **Students must show their work on all assignments and attach it to the assignment. If no work is shown, the student will not receive credit for the problem. No Work No Credit (NWNC).** We will use a yellow folder for math and a composition notebook for notes.

Mrs. Wightman: Science, Social Studies

wightmant@pearlandisd.org

Tutoring Times: Check your child's planner for tutoring pass the 2nd week of school

Welcome to fifth grade science and social studies! Students will create an interactive notebook (ISN) for science. The students will receive science homework on Mondays and it will be due on Friday. Additionally, if students do not complete daily classwork, it will be sent home for completion and is due on the following day. Students will use a green and blue folder and 1 composition book.

Parent Copy

Missing Work and Corrections Policy

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Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

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Phone: _____ 2nd Phone: _____