



Freedom Elementary

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Intermediate Classrooms' Newsletter

Mrs. Palmer

What a great summer! I had a blast, but now I'm very excited to be getting ready to start the new school year. Mrs. Briggs and I have been working hard to organize our language arts program for this year, and I've been studying up on the 5/6 science standards.

I will provide you with a homework folder. You will also have glue, scissors, rulers, calculators, protractors, and colored pencils available in the classroom. You may bring your own, but it isn't necessary.

I plan on incorporating technology as much as possible, and I try to encourage an open line of communication. For those of you with Internet access at home, your summer assignment is to email me before school starts. I would like to know one thing that you would really like to learn about in science this year. If you don't have an email account then just write your answers down inside one of your new notebooks and bring it with you the first day of school. My email address is: fourth@freedomschool.com. That is the best way to reach me if you have any questions before school starts. I usually check it daily.

This year should be a lot of fun. I'm looking forward to teaching and learning with all of you.

Sincerely,
Mrs. Palmer

Mrs. Briggs

It's time to start thinking about the beginning of another school year. I had a great summer with the twins and look forward to a fantastic school year with all of you.

As you may or may not know there have been some changes in teaching assignments that we are very excited about. Mrs. Palmer and I will be team teaching language arts for grades 4-6 this year. We have spent a lot of time organizing and planning for this year. Along with that, I will also be teaching social studies for grades 4-6. I've been reading and learning about the curriculum for fourth grade social studies.

Grade 4 Social Studies

The fourth grade curriculum concentrates on New Hampshire history while incorporating United States history from 1700 to 1800.

Grade 5 Social Studies

The fifth grade curriculum emphasizes the history of the United States from 1800 to 1900 while integrating New Hampshire history of the same time period.

Grade 6 Social Studies

The sixth grade curriculum focuses on the study of various regions in the Eastern Hemisphere-past and present-including Africa, Asia, and the Middle East.

I try to incorporate technology use and would like to keep communication between home and school open. You can reach me anytime by email:

fifth@freedomschool.com. Please feel free to contact me with any questions, comments, or concerns you may have. I look forward to seeing all of you on Thursday, September 2!

Sincerely,
Mrs. Briggs

Mr. Giles

I hope you all had a great summer. The weather has been fantastic. My family and I took a vacation to Virginia. We visited Busch Gardens, Colonial Williamsburg, and Kings Dominion. The roller coasters were incredible.

This year I will be teaching you math. Mrs. Briggs and Mrs. Palmer and I are very excited about our new teaching arrangements. .

Please come to my class with all of your materials. You will have homework every night except for Friday. On the average, your homework should not take you longer than an hour to do. This is total for all classes. It is helpful if all students come to class with their addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division facts memorized. Please make sure to brush up on any you still have difficulty with.

If you have any questions please call the school and I will try to answer them for you. I look forward to seeing you on the first day of school. Enjoy the rest of your summer.

Sincerely,
Mr. Giles

These are the supplies that you will need to have with you on the first day of school.

- 2 - 2" 3-ring view/presentation binders (any color)
- 2 - 8 pack 3-ring notebook dividers
- 1 - package 3-ring binder notebook paper (usually 500 sheets)
- 2 - single subject spiral notebooks
- 1 - folder
- lots of pencils & erasers ☺

Freedom Public Library Hours

Tuesday
2:00pm – 7:00pm

Wednesday
10:00am – 1:00pm

Thursday
2:00pm – 7:00pm

Friday
12:00pm – 5:00pm

Saturday
10:00am – 1:00pm



Specials Schedule Gr. 4&5

Tuesday - **Guidance Gr. 4** - 11:15 – 12:00
P.E. Gr. 4 & 5 - 1:30 – 2:15
Guidance Gr. 5 - 2:15 – 3:00

Wednesday - **Art Gr. 4 & 5** - 9:45 – 10:45
Library Gr. 4 - 10:45 – 11:15
Library Gr. 5 - 11:30 – 12:00
Tin Mt. Gr. 4 - 11:15 – 12:00
12:45 – 1:30

Friday - **P.E. Gr. 4 & 5** - 9:45 – 10:30
Music Gr. 4 & 5 - 10:30 – 11:15

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Specials Schedule Gr. 6

Tuesday - **P.E.** - 2:15 – 3:00

Wednesday - **Art** - 10:45 – 11:45
Guidance - 12:45 – 1:30

Thursday - **Library** – 3:00 – 3:30

Friday - **Music** – 9:45 – 10:30
P.E. - 10:30 – 11:15

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