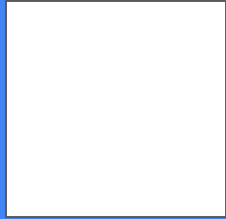


# **5th Grade: *A Transitional Year***

What you need to know

What changes your child will see

# 4th-6th Grade Progression

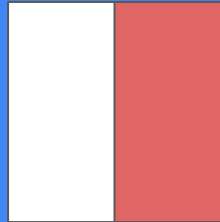


4th Grade

1 teacher

all subjects taught  
by same teacher

same classmates  
all day



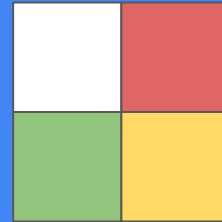
5th Grade

2 teachers

2 subjects / teacher

same classmates for  
the core classes

new classmates for specials  
& world languages



6th Grade

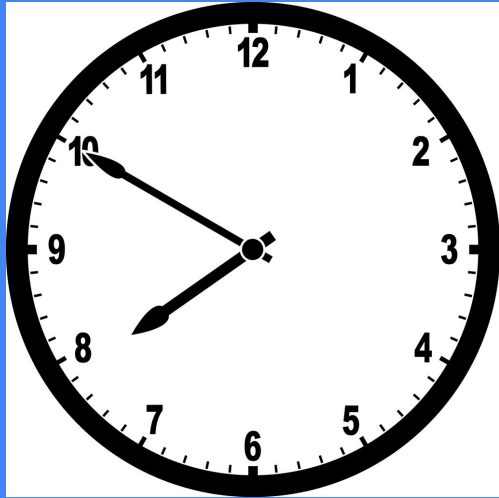
4 teachers

1 subject / teacher

new classmates  
for each class

# Big Changes

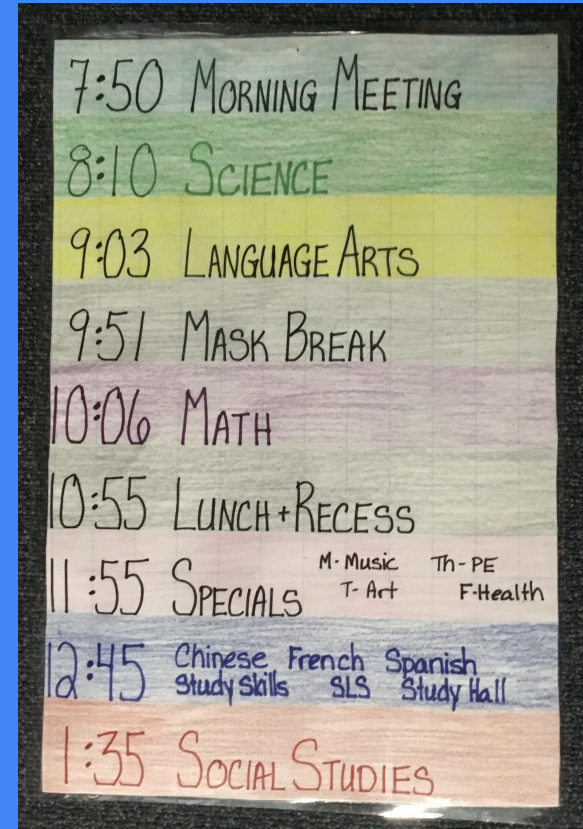
## from 4th to 5th Grade



- earlier schedule
- nightly homework
- letter grades & interim reports
- new opportunities, including one-to-one devices
- increased independence
- PE, health, & art      1x / week
- band and / or choir      2x / week  
instead of general music
- world languages      3x / week

# How Do We Support 5th Graders?

- posting daily schedules
- using GoogleClassroom
- teaching organizational strategies
- offering homework club
- having Flex block



# What Can Families Do to Help Over the Summer?

- read, read, read (make books available)
- read together & talk about what you've read
- keep math skills fresh
- play games
- support your child's interests

# What Can Families Do to Help During the School Year?

- set up a homework area
- establish routines
- regularly check your child's homework folder and To Do list in GoogleClassroom
- communicate with teachers

*email is the best method of communication*



Thank you!

We look forward to  
seeing you in September!

The 5th Grade Team