


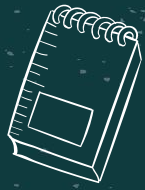
WELCOME TO
FIFTH GRADE





NOTHING is IMPOSSIBLE,
the word itself says
I'm Possible!

-Audrey Hepburn



Welcome! You are now officially joining the "leaders of the Wolfpack" as a fifth grader! I am beginning my third year at West Hills Elementary school in fifth grade! My life has taken me on a few adventures, but has eventually led me back to Tennessee. I have taught for 11 years in a few different states... North Carolina, Tennessee, Massachusetts and Oregon... while teaching a myriad of grades ranging from kindergarten through eighth grade. This year, I will be starting another new adventure. I will begin a doctoral program in Instructional Leadership through Lincoln Memorial University. My life has been blessed with a wonderful husband and two incredible sons, Hudson and Henry, who also attend WHES as a fourth grader and second grader. When I am not at school, I enjoy spending time with my family, reading, hiking and baking!



Mrs. Brown





I'm so excited to begin my 16th year teaching! This will be my 3rd year at West Hills and I could not love our Wolfpack more! I have been in 4th grade for the past 9 years but this year I'm forging on to 5th grade and could not be more thrilled. My husband, Neal, and I have two beautiful daughters, Mackenzie (9) and Kamryn (4). My favorite places to be are the beach and Disney World. I also love spending time with my family and friends. I can not wait to explore and learn with all my students this year!

Mrs. Flemming





This will be my 6th year teaching 5th grade at West Hills Elementary. I love Math and Science! Since joining the West Hills staff, I have shared my love of STEM by starting a Science Olympiad program, a Student Space Flights Experiment Program (S.S.E.P) and also a Vex Robotics program.

My husband, Rick, and I have one daughter, Cassidy, who will begin her studies virtually at ETSU this fall. We also have 1 dog, Ginger, and 2 cats, Winnie and Snickers.

I love teaching and feel very blessed to be able to teach at West Hills!



Mrs. Gray



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I am a recent graduate from Johnson University's Masters program. This is my second year at West Hills, as I spent last year as a student teacher with 4th grade. I love hiking, traveling, and spending time with my wife and our two dogs. I am also a huge soccer fanatic and I love teaching math and science!



Mr. Jordan





I have been teaching at West Hills for 4.5 years but this will be my first year in 5th grade! I'm so excited to teach my first West Hills babies again! I have a black lab fur baby named, Nellie Belle. She is 5 years old. When I'm not at school you will find me going to UT games or hanging out on my porch with my sweet pup! I'm excited to see all of you again!

Ms. Mantlo





This is my 11th year teaching 5th grade at West Hills and I feel so lucky to be a part of such a wonderful community. I have 3 kids: Arbor (17), Maggie (7), and Lindon (4). In my free time I love spending time with my family and friends. This summer invigorated my love of gardening and all things plants.



Mrs. Roe



What We Will Learn This Year:

1

ELA

-Read, Talk, and Write about complex text!

- Improve our writing in:
 - Focus and Organization
 - Development
 - Language
 - Conventions

2

Math

- Operations and Algebraic Thinking
- Numbers and Operations in Base Ten
- Numbers and Operations-Fractions
- Measurement and Data
- Geometry

3

Science

- Matter and Its Interactions
- Motion and Stability: Forces and Interactions
- From Molecules to Organisms: Structures and Processes
- Heredity: Inheritance and Variation of Traits
- Biological Change: Unity and Diversity
- Earth's Place in the Universe

4

Social Studies

- Industrialization, the Gilded Age, and the Progressive Era
- World War I and the Roaring Twenties
- World War II
- Post-World War II and the Civil Rights Movement
- Tennessee Prior to Statehood
- Statehood and Early Tennessee History
- Tennessee in the Civil War Era
- Tennessee in the 20th Century

AUGUST is the BRIDGE
between SUMMER
and AUTUMN—
between HOW the
YEAR has BEEN
and HOW the
YEAR will END.

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