

Mrs. Cutchall's Newsletter

Week of August 28 - September 1 2023, Week 1.6 jordan.cutchall@gulfportschools.org

Assessments

Reading. Language, Math, Science MPTS - Tuesday

Spelling test - Thursday

Vocabulary test - Friday

*Grades will begin going home on Mondays from this point forward.

*30% grades are given at teacher discretion.

Announcements:

- Please sign all graded papers that go home on MONDAYS. I review work with students the previous week.
- Please do NOT do i-ready at home! AR CAN be done at home!
- Open house is Tuesday, September 5.

What are we learning:

Reading - Summarizing
Writing - Informational Writing
Language arts - Idioms

Math - Multiplication/Division word problems

Science - Water Cycle

Social Studies - Mississippi Native American

Tribes

Vocabulary

port carry

Root

<u>export</u> – v. to send a product to be sold in another country. Hawaii grows and exports macadamia nuts to other countries.

import – v. to bring a product into a country to be sold. The United States imports goods from other countries.

portable - n. easy to carry or move around. The portable radio requires batteries in order to work.

<u>teleport</u> – v. an imaginary phenomenon in which a person or object is moved across a distance instantly. The alien was able to teleport to his home planet and back within minutes.

<u>transport</u> – v. to take or carry people or goods from one place to another by means of transportation. A barge can transport dozens of new cars at one time.

com-, con-, co- with

Prefix

<u>complement</u> – n. something that completes something else or makes it better. Marley purchased a pair of brown shoes as a complement to her new brown purse.

<u>compatible</u> – adj. able to exist together without trouble or conflict; able to be used together. I bought a printer that is compatible with my new computer.

<u>converge</u> – v. to move toward one point and join together; to come together and meet; to come together and have one interest, purpose, or goal. Students converged in the parking lot after school to celebrate.

conspire – v. to secretly plan with someone to do something that is harmful or illegal; to happen in a way that produced bad or unpleasant results. The criminals conspire to rob the bank and make a getaway.

<u>coordinate</u> – v. to make arrangements so that two or more people or groups of people can work together properly and well; to look good with another color, pattern, style, etc. Betsy worked for weeks to coordinate the perfect wedding for the bride and groom.



Spelling: two syllable words with prefixes (con-, dis-, pro-) followed by -ct blends (-nect, -tract, -tect)

attract predict product collect protect connect subject contact subtract hare contract hair distinct flower distract flour effect *teacher choice from previous extinct lessons instinct

Homework for the Week

Spelling Practice
Vocab review
"The United States Constitution" Passage
Math Practice 1.6

*Homework is not checked on a daily basis. It is for your convenience and practice as you see fit. There is no consequence for not completing homework. However, homework is due Fridays regardless of completion.