

5th Grade Learning Activities for Week of May 1 - May 6, 2020



- 1) Write a poem using language from our story Pale Male. (see poetry writing task). The first thing you need to do is complete the word list. Next, write a poem using the Line by Line structure. (see example). Last add a title. Try to write another poem using the same process but use words on the challenge list. (**writing**)
- 2) If you need a copy of the story Pale Male please look on your teacher's web page for the link.
- 3) Read for 25 minutes daily. Record your reading on the May Calendar. Do you need a new book to read? Go to the Washington State Free Books for Kids and download a book of your choice. <https://anytime.overdrive.com/library/kids/> If you'd rather have an actual book, talk/text or email your teacher & we'll get you one. (**reading**)
- 4) Check out the May the Facts Be With You Challenge! At the end of the week (on May 7) send a picture of your completed fact log to your teacher. You'll get a special surprise from the principal. Collect all 4 surprises during the month of May and a hot fudge ice cream sundae party for your entire family will be delivered to your door!! (If you think you've got your multiplication facts mastered move onto your division facts.) (**math**)
- 5) Play your band instrument. Mr. Clark sent an email to everyone regarding how to pick up your instrument. (**music**)
- 6) Did you know that the Skagit River is one of the few watersheds on the West Coast that still has all 5 salmon species? Your task this week is to learn more about these amazing fish. Complete the science activity. (**science**)

When you're done, join our Survive the Sound team. It's an online game that uses funny fish avatars to represent a real steelhead (a fish similar to salmon) that were tracked during research efforts by a local organization called Long Live the Kings. Join our team by clicking this link

<https://survivethesound.org/invited/e1f36230-87f6-11ea-b56d-114563f23fa3>

And then enter our group: 5th Grade Pod LC 98257 . The goal is to be the team with the most salmon surviving. The more fish we have in our pod, the more likely we'll be to live/win. ... so... get other family members to join our team too!