

# Ortwein Overview

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Dear Parents,

Hello! We had a busy week last week and plan to do the same this week. We have a unit review in reading. Our unit test will be on Thursday and Friday. Our spelling list will consist of unit 5 words.

The homework will look different this week due to the review week.

I hope you had a chance to check your child's quarter three grades. Please don't hesitate to ask me any questions.

Our field trip to the Indianapolis Children's Museum is scheduled for Tuesday, May 14th. Your child will have the opportunity to explore the Riley Children's Health Sports Legends Experience and the museum. Permission slips will be coming home today. Please sign, pay, and indicate if you would like to be a chaperone on the trip.

I would like to have five-six parent volunteers on this day. I will have a random drawing

to select parents. If your name is not chosen, you are still welcome to meet us at the museum on this day. Now would be the perfect time to turn in your volunteer profile form. A background check is required before you can assist.

JB Stephens will be hosting STEM Night again this year. It is scheduled for May 16<sup>th</sup> from 5:30 to 7:30. Camp Invention is back this summer. It will be at JB Stephens Elementary School from July 15-19 for students entering K-6<sup>th</sup> grade. You can register at

[www.campinvention.org](http://www.campinvention.org). If you are interested in helping, you can contact Amanda Bradford at [abradford@gcsc.k12.in.us](mailto:abradford@gcsc.k12.in.us).

Please check Mrs. Greulich's weekly newsletter on Fridays for important school wide information. There are a lot of sign-up sheets for spring and end of year activities.

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## Subject Areas:

### **Unit 5 Review**

- Comprehension: Fact and Opinion, Cause and Effect, Plot and Theme, Character and Setting, Main Idea and Details
- Phonics: Suffixes ly, ful, er, or, ish/Prefixes un, re, pre, dis/Consonant Patterns kn, wr, gn, mb/ Consonant Patterns ph, gh, ck, ng/Vowel Patterns au, aw, augh, al

### **Unit 8: Geometry and Arrays**

- Playing Array Concentration
- Exploring Mystery Shapes, Polygons, and Equal Parts
- Review and Test

## Spelling

### **Unit 5 Review**

- chalk
- walk
- unlock
- quickly
- rewind
- fighter
- climb
- sign
- fault
- laugh
- graph
- wrong

## Upcoming Dates:

- Spring Book Fair April 22
- Children's Museum Field Trip May 14<sup>th</sup>
- Stem Night JB 5:30-7:30 May 16
- Camp Invention JB July 15-19

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