

Welcome to fifth grade, as your child enters this important stage of their academic journey, we are honored to partner with you in providing a year filled with growth, discovery, and faith-building experiences.

Fifth grade at CCS is designed to challenge students academically, nurture their independence, and strengthen their relationship with Christ. In the classroom, students engage in a rigorous curriculum, daily Bible study, and prayer, while developing leadership skills and confidence in their abilities. Students will also be challenged through a variety of project-based learning opportunities that encourage creativity, collaboration, and critical thinking. In addition, students will enhance their public speaking skills through weekly opportunities to present to the class, building confidence and effective communication abilities. Our commitment is to create a safe, encouraging environment where each student is known, valued, and motivated to achieve their personal best.

A highlight of the fifth-grade year is Hume Lake Science Camp in Kings Canyon National Park. This week-long experience immerses students in God's creation, blending hands-on science with spiritual reflection to deepen both knowledge and faith. Additional opportunities throughout the year include chapel leadership, service projects, hands-on science explorations, and interactive events that bring literature and learning to life.

In 5th grade we are guided by the truth of Matthew 17:20—that even faith as small as a mustard seed can grow into something great. It is my prayer that students leave fifth grade with a strong academic foundation, a growing sense of responsibility, and a deepening walk with the Lord.

I look forward to walking alongside your family as we prepare students to become the people God has called them to be—academically, socially, and spiritually.

With joy and blessings, Mrs. Mitchell