

Your Child is ready for 5th grade if he/ she can

Reading

- read 120-150 words per minute
- Give key idea / main idea of a passage after reading it
- Ask and answer such questions as who, what, where, when, why, and how from the details
- Identify the major characters and settings of a story
- Respond to questions in complete sentences
- Distinguish between fact and opinion
- Summarize stories in their own words
- Predict what happens in the story using illustrations, topic etc.
- Assess how point of view or purpose shapes the content and style of a text
- Know and use various text features (e.g., captions, bold print, subheadings, glossaries, indexes, electronic menus, icons)
- Interpret information from graphs, charts and pictures when reading

Writing

- Write narratives using complete simple sentences
- Write in sequence of events, using details as well as sequential words(first, then, finally)
- Use Capitalization and end punctuation in sentences
- Participate in shared research and writing projects
- Recall information from experiences or gather information from provided sources to answer a question

Math

- Recall basic multiplication and division facts from memory (ex. $5 \times 3 = 15$)
- Be able to regroup when adding and subtracting
- Understand place values to the millions
- Read time using an analog clocks to half hour , quarter hour and 5 mins
- Reason with shapes (triangle, square, trapezoid, rhombus, square, circle)and their attributes
- Know the basic fractional parts (ex. $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{1}{2}$)