



## 5<sup>th</sup> Grade OVERVIEW

To go with the book titled:  
[What Your 5<sup>th</sup> Grader Needs to Know by E.D. Hirsch Jr.](#)

Print the following documents to go along with this overview: [SCHEDULE](#), [SENTENCES LIST 11](#), [WORDS LIST 11](#), [SENTENCES LIST 12](#), [WORDS LIST 12](#)  
[5<sup>th</sup> Grade WRITING WORKSHEETS](#), purchase this [5<sup>th</sup> Grade MATH WORKBOOK](#)(optional)

READING: On Monday, read the pages noted TO your children for enjoyment.

PHONICS: On Monday, talk about the blended sounds and think of words that begin or end with that blend. Write the words that you think of on a piece of paper. Casually talk about the blend all week long as you come across other words with that same spelling pattern.

WRITING: Print and read, [An Easy and On-Going Spelling Strategy](#), Lists [11](#) and [12](#) are below.

MATH: These concepts may be new for your child or too easy. If they are too easy, supplement the activities with other math pages or workbooks.

HISTORY/SCIENCE: Enjoy reading these pages to your children. I alternate between History and Science throughout the year. Complete the suggested activities on each page. If you have time you can find documentaries on Youtube, Netflix or Amazon Prime. You can check out books from the library and/or complete crafts from [Pinterest](#) to support the concepts your child is learning about.

HIGHLIGHT each section that you complete. Your child may move faster or slower in any one area. Highlighting completed sections helps you keep track of what they have finished and what they still need to do.

Week	Reading	Phonics	WRITING: <a href="#">Sentences List 11</a>	Math	History/Science
1	Poetry 4-7	Review "gh" = "f" sound	"Do you think we have enough water?" James asked.	Numbers 220-222	Chemistry 292-294
2	Poetry 8-11	Abbreviations: Mr. etc.	"We'll be all right," Mr. Lee assured.	Numbers 222-224	Chemistry 295-299
3	Poetry 12-15	Abbreviations: Mr. etc.	Mr. O'Neal says that safety is most important.	Numbers 225-226	Classifying 300-305
4	Poetry 16-18		Persuasive Essay (25 sentences)	Numbers 227-228	Classifying 306-310

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5	Stories 19-20	Capitalize dog breeds	The <u>German Shepherd</u> stopped to bury a <u>bone</u> , then disappeared.	Comp. 229-230	World Geo. 72-75
6	Stories 21-23	Capitalize days of week	This <u>Friday</u> , you have to name a song that has a good rhythm.	Mult. 230-232	World Geo. 76-81
7	Stories 24-27	Capitalize cities/states	We heard that it happened in <u>Tampa, Florida</u> .	Division 232-235	Early Civ. 82-85
8	Stories 28-29		Informative Essay (25 sentences)	Division 235-237	Early Civ. 86-90

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9	Stories 29-33	Capitalize countries	What is the United States dollar worth in <u>India</u> ?	Decimals 238-240	Exploration 91-95
10	Stories 34-38	Capitalize restaurants	My family and I especially like <u>Dunkin' Donuts</u> .	Decimals 240-243	Exploration 95-100
11	Stories 38-40	Capitalize landmarks	Let's go straight there instead of stopping by <u>Hoover Dam</u> .	Decimals 243-246	Slavery 100-102
12	Stories 40-43		How To-Instructions (25 Sentences)	Decimals 246-249	World Hist. 103-107



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13	Stories 43-44	Comma in a series of nouns	I'd like to visit the Eiffel Tower, Taj Majal and Colosseum.	Fract. 249-251	World Hist. 107-111
14	Fig. Lang. 45-47	Synonyms for pain	The dog was losing weight because of the pain in his mouth.	Fract. 251-253	England 112-116
15	Fig. Lang. 48-49	's for possession	We realized how necessary it is to brush a dog's teeth.	Fract. 253-255	Russia 117-119
16	Shakespeare 50-51		Personal Narrative (25 Sentences)	Fract. 255-257	Japan 120-122

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17	Gramm. 52-54	Spell # words 11-19	The veterinarian had to remove twelve teeth immediately.	Fract. 258-259	Amer. Hist. 123-127
18	Gramm. 54-55	Spell # words 20-99	The temperature inside the restaurant was about seventy degrees.	Ratios 260-262	Amer. Hist. 127-128
19	Gramm. 56-57		Assess <a href="#">WORDS LIST 11</a>	Percent 263-265	Amer. Hist. 129-132
20	Gramm. 57-60		Practice misspelled words	Percent 265-266	Amer. Hist. 133-137

Week	Reading	Phonics	<a href="#">Sentences LIST 12</a>	Math	History/Science
21	Gramm. 60-61	Capitalize months and add a comma	There will be an opportunity to present your idea on February 6 <sup>th</sup> , 2021.	Graph 267-269	Amer. Hist. 138-144
22	Write a letter 62	__able	"Which vegetables do you recommend? the woman asked.	Graph 269-272	Amer. Hist. 144-147
23	Research 62-63	Commas and abbreviations.	Beginning this week, we will walk for approximately 30 min. each day.	Geom. 273-275	Amer. Hist. 148-152
24	Prefix/Suffix 63-64	Short vowels/double consonants	Exercises will include hopping, running and swimming.	Geom. 276-278	Amer. Hist. 153-158

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25	Sayings 65-66	__ment	We actually don't need any equipment today.	Geom. 278-280	Amer. Hist. 159-164
26	Sayings 67	__ally	The team accidentally forgot to bring the bats.	Geom. 280-284	Amer. Hist. 164-167
27	Any book!	__ise, sounds like __ize	The team was surprised, embarrassed and frustrated.	Geom. 284-287	Geology 168-170
28	Any book!	__ence	The parents consciously separated the twins in school to encourage independence.	Geom. 287-289	Plants 311-313

Week	Reading	Phonics	Sentences	Art	History/Science
29	Any book!	Synonyms for "good"	The student government is organized and consistently displays good character.	Art 174-176	Plant Reprod. 314-318
30	Any book!	Comma	My friend, Amy, is responsible, courageous and encouraging	Art 177-180	Plant Reprod. 318-321
31	Any book!	Commas	In your opinion, does a business need privilege to succeed?	Art 180-185	Plant Develop. 321-323
32	Any book!	__ous	Soldiers courageously enter dangerous situations.	Art 186-191	Animal Reprod. 323-326

Week	Reading	Phonics	Sentences	Music	History/Science
33	Any book!	__ice	Practice safety whenever you go swimming.	Music 196-201	Human Body 327-332
34	Any book!	's for possession	The doctor's office had a clean and friendly environment.	Music 201-206	Sci. Biographies 333-335
35	Any book!		Assess <a href="#">WORDS LIST 12</a>	Music 207-212	Sci. Biographies 335-337
36			Complete End of Year Assessments	Music 213-216	