

## Course Guide for 5th Grade — 2022-2023

Altamont's fifth grade curriculum consists of the following courses:

- 5th Grade English
- US History to 1877
- 5th Grade Science
- Math Course 2<sup>1</sup>
- World Language Rotation<sup>2</sup>
- Arts & Electives Rotation<sup>3</sup>
- 5th/6th PE

<sup>1</sup> The standard math course for fifth graders at Altamont is Course 2. Taking Course 2 in fifth grade sets a student up for the greatest range of possibilities in high school. After Honors Algebra 2 in tenth grade, the subsequent two years can be any of the following:

11th: Honors PreCalculus, Honors Statistics;

12th: AP Calculus BC, AP Calculus AB, Honors Statistics, Finite Math.

Any deviation from this curriculum must be approved by the head of the math department.

<sup>2</sup> All fifth graders take a quarter of each of our four world languages: French, Latin, Mandarin, and Spanish.

<sup>3</sup> The 5th/6th Rotation allows students the opportunity to experience a variety of art and elective classes throughout the year. Students take two courses at a time over a quarter, for a total of eight courses throughout the year.