Grade 5 MOSAICS Virtual Learning Choice Board Student Name:_____

Students: Complete all activities in the Must Do box and then choose ***one*** activity from Complex Reasoning, *one* from Creative Thinking, and ***one*** from Affective Processing.
Parents/Guardians: Initial each box after completion and return to school the following day.

Must Do
- Choose a new topic to learn and explore. Research it, then find a creative way to teach or share what you've learned with a family member. *Estimated Time: 30 minutes.*

Complex Reasoning	Creative Thinking	Affective Processing
Winter Trade-Off Analysis Choose a snow-related decision (stay inside vs. go outside, open school vs. close school, salt roads vs. leave them). Create a trade-off chart listing benefits and drawbacks for each option.	**Snow Day Pitch** Create a pitch for a short film set entirely on a snow day. Include genre, main conflict, a twist ending, and why it would attract viewers).	**Emotion Equation** Create an "equation" that explains your emotional state today. Example (cold+ creativity-interruptions X hot chocolate = calm). Explain each part of your equation.
Predict and Justify Predict what your street, neighborhood, or backyard will look like hours from now. Justify your prediction using weather clues, temperature data, and observations.	**Transform the Ordinary** Take a common winter object (scarf, hand warmer, snow shovel) and redesign it for a completely new purpose, real or imaginative.	**Social Sensitivity Scenario** Write a tricky social moment that might happen on a long snow day (example: sharing space, noise, chores, boredom). Explain two positive ways someone could respond..
Revise Engineering Challenge Pick a winter item (snow boot, glove, thermos, sled). Break down all of the parts and materials you think it's made of and explain how each part solves a specific problem.	**One-Word Story Spark** Create a story inspired by one powerful winter themed word: *fracture, drift, hush, frostbite, shimmer,* or *whiteout*. Show mood and tone through language choices.	**Inner Weather Reflection** Compare your moods throughout the day to different weather (example: foggy morning thinking, sunny afternoon mood, stormy evening frustration). Explain how your "inner weather" changed and why.
Multiple-Outcome Scenario Pick a winter event (lost power, heavy snowfall, icy roads). Write three different possible outcomes from most likely to least likely. Explain your reasoning.	**Impossible Architecture** Design a building that could only exist in a sci-fi winter world (gravity changes, time slows, snow flats). Label the building's special features and what makes it "impossible."	**Role-Model Recognition** Identify someone in your life who handled today well (a sibling, parent, neighbor, teacher). Describe the qualities they showed (patience, leadership, responsibility) and how you might practice those qualities yourself.