

May 12th - May 16th



7th Grade Newsletter

Reminders:

- Please check Infinite Campus to see if your child has any missing work.
- Please remind students to come to school with their Chromebooks fully charged.

Upcoming Dates/Events:

- Final Exams - **Monday, May 19th** (SC & SS) & **Tuesday, May 20th** (Math & ELA)
- **Field Day** - Wednesday, May 21st
- **7th Grade Awards Day** (by invitation ONLY) - Friday, May 23rd

Parent Links:



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Content Updates

Language Arts

(Sloan, Johnson, Elrod, & Wright)

Sloan/Davis/Wright: Students will complete their final ReadWorks assignment of the year. They will then analyze both a nonfiction text and a fictional story related to military children. Using the information gathered, students will create an infographic that highlights the unique challenges and benefits of being a military child.

Johnson: I am so proud of students and the effort that they put forth last week in standardized testing! I cannot wait to see the result and their growth! This week, we will be doing a murder mystery unit. Students will be applying their inferencing and analyzing skills.

Elrod: We will begin a novel study called Hatchet. Hatchet is a 1987 young-adult wilderness survival novel written by American writer Gary Paulsen. Please check out the Canvas Calendar for more details.

Math

(Anglin, Hansen, Novak, & Thomas)

Hansen - 7th Grade Math:

This week students will be introduced to 8th grade math concepts. Mid week we will start reviewing for our math **final May 20th**.

Novak - 7th Grade Advanced Math

All assigned IXL skills due by Friday, 5/16! Students should be working at home if they are behind on their skills!

Math Final Exam on Tuesday, 5/20!

We will spend this week previewing some 8th grade concepts with linear equations and reviewing for the final exam the last week of school. More detailed information about the lessons are located in the Unit Agenda, linked on my Canvas course page.

Anglin/Thomas - 7th Grade Math We will continue our probability unit. **Our Unit test will be on May 20th**, Parents can follow along with what we are doing in class by accessing the lessons on our canvas page. If you have any questions please let us know.

Thomas - 7th Grade Math . We will continue our probability

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<p style="text-align: center;">Science (Arsenault Tashlein, & Reed)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Social Studies (Neville, Jones, & Gillis)</p>
<p>This week we will complete our frog dissection lab and complete a few end of the year activities to wrap up our year in science.</p> <p>For the frog dissection lab, we are in need of a few consumable items. If you are able to donate any of the items from the list below, please send them in by Wednesday, May 14th! Any donations are greatly appreciated!</p> <p>Items Needed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Plastic or nitrile gloves (latex-free) Sizes: Large and XL ● Disinfecting wipes ● Paper Towels <div data-bbox="214 854 612 1136"> <p>A diagram of a frog dissection. It shows two green frogs facing each other. Between them is a yellow line drawing of a frog's skeleton. Above the skeleton is a yellow line drawing of a frog's internal organs, including the heart, lungs, and digestive system.</p> </div> <p>Looking ahead:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Final Exam Date: Mon., May 19th (ALL 7th-grade science classes) <p>Students are expected to keep an organized binder in science and will have binder checks periodically. We spent time setting up our binders during the first week of school.</p> <p>Please visit your student's science Canvas course page for a detailed view of the daily agenda.</p> <p>Wish List Items for Science: Tissues, paper towels, Clorox wipes, band-aids, notebook paper, & pencils</p>	<p>We are embarking on an important historical exploration of African history, focusing on the critical standard SS7H1, which examines the profound impact of European colonization on the African continent.</p> <p>Standards</p> <p>Content Standards to address:</p> <p>SS7H1 Analyze continuity and change in Africa.</p> <p>a. Explain how the European partitioning across Africa contributed to conflict, civil war, and artificial political boundaries in Africa today.</p> <p>How You Can Help support your child's learning:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Reinforce the importance of understanding historical context - Emphasize how political boundaries can impact community relationships - Consider the importance of the complexity of international relations <p>Upcoming Due Dates</p> <p>All missing work must be turned in by 5/7 for Honors Day awards.</p> <p>Neville: A Long Walk to Water One-Pager is due 5/8. Students will work on this project in class during Milestones testing week. They should not need to work on this assignment at home if they are using class time wisely. Work must be original and incorporate authentic ideas. A rubric as well as mentor examples have been provided for students as a guideline of expectations</p> <p>Neville and Jones</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● A Long Walk to Water Test - 5/9 ● Final Exam - 5/19 <p>The final exam in Social Studies will cover maps of the three regions we have learned about this year (Southwest Asia, Southern and Eastern Asia and Africa). Please check Infinite Campus for missing work. All work</p>

	<p>that is missing (not due to an absence) must be turned in by the end of the unit assessment.</p> <p><u>Wish List Items for Social Studies:</u></p> <p>Paper towels, Pencils, Tissues, hand sanitizer</p>