

	Brambleton Middle School • 2023 - 2024	
	WEEKLY UPDATES	
	Exciting Topics ● Formative & Summative Assessments ● Unique Announcements	

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LAST WEEK'S UPDATE:	2/19/24
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GRADE 6		DATE: 2/26/24 to 3/1/24	
CONTENT AREA & TEACHER		TOPICS COVERED	UPCOMING ASSESSMENTS
ART	Art 6 • Lapp sharon.lapp@lcps.org	Zen Landscapes then Ceramics	
	Art 6 • B. Thiele bethany.thiele@lcps.org	Fashion Design Zentangles then Ceramics	Watercolor unit is complete! Next unit is Ceramics which will be staggered with Fashion Design and Zentangles (pattern making with mindfulness.)
	Art 6 • R. Thiele ryan.thiele@lcps.org	Ceramics	
BAND	Band 6 • Blount Martin.Blount@lcps.org	New notes, scales, songs in the book	E-flat (or A-flat) scale for Low Brass B-flat scale for High Brass
	Band 6 • Meeks Colson.Meeks@lcps.org	New notes, scales, songs in the book	
	Band 6 • Charriez Samantha.Charriez@lcps.org	New notes, scales, songs in the book	
CHORUS	Chorus 6 • Forthman kirk.forthman@lcps.org		
STRINGS	Strings 6 • Susser zoe.susser@lcps.org	Bring instruments every B day. We are continuing with Impulse.	Playing test on Impulse m17-25 on Wednesday 2/28!

GRADE 7			
CONTENT AREA & TEACHER		TOPICS COVERED	UPCOMING ASSESSMENTS
ART	Art 7 • Lapp sharon.lapp@lcps.org	Charles McGee relief sculptures Then Notan Design	
BAND	Band 7 • Blount Martin.Blount@lcps.org	Dotted 8th - 16th note rhythms (#91, 98, 135 in Band Book) All Scales, played as one	Major Summative #2 due 2/27 Scale Summative (Brass) #135 (Woodwinds)
	Band 7 • Charriez Samantha.Charriez@lcps.org	New Scales, new songs, quartets	Having supplies summative Major Summative 2 (2/29)
	Percussion 7 • Meeks Colson.Meeks@lcps.org		
CHORUS	Chorus 7 • Forthman kirk.forthman@lcps.org		
	Chorus 7 • Susser zoe.susser@lcps.org		
GUITAR	Guitar 7 • Meeks Colson.Meeks@lcps.org		
STRINGS	Strings 7 • Susser zoe.susser@lcps.org	Bring instruments every A day. We are finishing Sahara Crossing this week.	Playing test on Sahara Crossing m 43-58 on Tuesday 2/27!

GRADE 8			
CONTENT AREA & TEACHER		TOPICS COVERED	UPCOMING ASSESSMENTS
ART	Art 8 • B. Thiele bethany.thiele@lcps.org	Needle Felting (Adding detail and finishing touches)	Needle Felted Creatures should be finished in class this week. Students needing additional time will be taking work home to complete. Minor Summative Drawing Assignment will be assigned.
BAND	Band8 Block 7/8A • Samantha.Charriez@lcps.org Martin.Blount@lcps.org	Assessment music	Rehearsal 2/28 Pre-assessment concert on 2/29 @ BAM, 6:20 call time
	Band8 Block 5/6A • Samantha.Charriez@lcps.org	Assessment music	Rehearsal 2/28 Pre-assessment concert on 2/29 @ BAM, 6:20 call time
	Percussion 8 • Meeks Colson.Meeks@lcps.org	Assessment music	Rehearsal 2/28 Pre-assessment concert on 2/29 @ BAM, 6:20 call time
CHORUS	Chorus 8 • Forthman kirk.forthman@lcps.org		
GUITAR	Guitar 8 • Meeks Colson.Meeks@lcps.org		
STRINGS	Strings 8 • Driscoll ashley.driscoll@lcps.org	assessment	Assessment March 7