

WEEK AT A GLANCE - WEEK OF 11/3-11/7

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ELA	Sousa- This week we will wrap up our study of the works of Edgar Allan Poe and transition into our Veteran's Day short story. Students will learn about the history of Veteran's Day. Then in preparation for reading and analyzing the short story, "Stop the Sun" we will watch a McMahon ELA- Students in ELA will be continuing their analysis of some of Poe's works, identifying ways he employs various suspense techniques and digging into close reading questions while practicing collaboration skills. Students should be wrapping up at least their first independent reading book this week in preparation for their slide project due on Nov. 13th. If you do not see a reading book coming home with them and some reading being done on the weekend or at night, please check that they have finished at least one book this term so that they can get under way with their project by Monday, Nov. 13th. This weekend, the homework for all classes is to have completed the "Analyzing Suspense Techniques" with direct quotes from the text for just the "Tell Tale Heart" column. Students were given time and examples in class to build upon prior classwork and/or complete the assignment.	
Math	O'Brien Algebra 1- We will continue learning about writing and solving linear equations O'Brien Grade 8 Math- We will be learning about scientific notation.	
Science	Hipp- For this upcoming week. We have a Lab on Monday and will be wrapping up States of Matter. On going assignments: Study Island, we will have 5 assigned as of Monday To Wrap Up states of matter, these items need to be in. TEXTBOOK, BrainPop, Oobleck Lab, Can Crush Lab	
Civics	Peterson: We will continue this week to study different influences on US government including British, Iroquois, and the Enlightenment.	
Spanish	Señora von Hausen - Chapter 6 - Brandon Brown quiere un perro - Vocab to study Assignments: • Check Google Classroom/Aspen for assignments. • Past due ○ Recap the Chap ○ Packet 1-5 ○ Written Assessment 1-5	Srta. Smith- Topic: La Familia Assignments Check Google Classroom for assignments

French	Topic: Students will read Chapter 7 of <i>Brandon Brown veut un chien</i> and demonstrate comprehension through reading, writing, and speaking activities. Assignments: Study vocabulary Brandon Brown - Chapitre 7 * Quiz Tuesday, Nov. 4					
Health	Last day of term 1 is Wednesday, 11/5- all work MUST be in! Term 2/new students begin Thursday 11/6					
PE	base running activity • Understand force play • Demonstrate defensive strategy • Demonstrate proper base running strategies • Incorporate into modified game					
Robotics	Students are building retro video game systems and preparing to make a table top arcade cabinet using a CNC Router.					
Greenhouse	Students will be working on greenhouse and garden management skills outdoors This week we will be working to improve one outdoor garden bed to ready it for a winter cover crop (winter rye) and continuing harvest for the cafeteria and for produce sales. To improve marketing, students will work on projects: An intercultural recipe sheet for clients who purchase greens at the Orleans Farmers Market And a new promotional trifold describing the Greenhouse Program Students will be working on greenhouse and garden management skills outdoors By making planting beds and transplanting strawberries. To improve marketing, students will work on projects: An intercultural recipe sheet for clients who purchase greens at the Orleans Farmers Market And a new promotional trifold describing the Greenhouse Program					
Changemakers	📅 This week's agenda can be found here .					
Millionaires	Unit 6: Investing 📧 6.0 Investing Parent Newsletter • IMPORTANT: Students should complete and submit missing assignments. I am accepting late work through October 31, 3 pm. If needed, please contact me to arrange for extra help.					
Art	Students are starting clay!					

WEEK AT A GLANCE - WEEK OF 10/27- 10/31

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ELA	Sousa- This week we continue our short story unit with an author study of Edgar Allan Poe. We will read, “The Tell-Tale Heart” and “The Raven” as we explore elements of suspense. McMahon ELA- Students completed Topic 3: “The Family Kitchen and Memory” this week and took the unit quiz on the entirety of the poems. Students had access to the poems and their annotations for this task. Grades for this unit assessment will be a combination of students’ reflection sheets, annotations, participation/interest in class discussion and the quiz. (*During the unit, students will also write short reflections connecting poems to other texts, themselves and the world, and the unit will culminate in a poem analysis quiz.) Next week we will begin our short story unit. Students will review the elements of short story and how the structure impacts the narrative. In addition, students will identify theme, analyze character development and motive as well as consider the author's choice of literary devices, such as foreshadowing, imagery, and symbolism. McMahon Advanced ELA - Students’ quizzes contained questions from two additional poems.					
Math	O’Brien Algebra 1- We will continue learning about writing and solving linear equations O’Brien Grade 8 Math- We will be learning about scientific notation.					
Science	Hipp- For this upcoming week. We have just started our next unit on states of matter. There will be hands-on activities and gizmos. On going assignments: Study Island, we will have 4 assigned as of Monday					
Civics	Peterson: We will continue to look at different forms of government (Democracy, Dictatorship, etc). Then later this week we will be learning about influences on US Government (Greece, Rome, British etc)					
Spanish	Señora von Hausen- • Topic: Read Chapter 5 of <i>Brandon Brown quiere un Perro</i> - Vocab to study Assignments: • Complete Brandon Brown Packet completely • Written Assignment - Chapters 3, 4, 5		Srta. Smith- Topic: La Familia and El dia de los Muertos Assignments Check Google Classroom for assignments			
French	Topic: Students will read Chapter 7 of <i>Brandon Brown veut un chien</i> and demonstrate comprehension through reading, writing, and speaking activities. Assignments: Study vocabulary Brandon Brown - Chapitre 7 * Quiz Tuesday, Nov. 4					
Health	Relationship unit, commercials for unit assessment, safe messaging					
PE	base running activity • Understand force play • Demonstrate defensive strategy • Demonstrate proper base running strategies • Incorporate into modified game					

Robotics	Students are building retro video game systems and preparing to make a table top arcade cabinet using a CNC Router.
Greenhouse	Students will be working on greenhouse and garden management skills outdoors This week we will be working to improve one outdoor garden bed to ready it for a winter cover crop (winter rye) and continuing harvest for the cafeteria and for produce sales. To improve marketing, students will work on projects: An intercultural recipe sheet for clients who purchase greens at the Orleans Farmers Market And a new promotional trifold describing the Greenhouse Program Students will be working on greenhouse and garden management skills outdoors By making planting beds and transplanting strawberries. To improve marketing, students will work on projects: An intercultural recipe sheet for clients who purchase greens at the Orleans Farmers Market And a new promotional trifold describing the Greenhouse Program
Changemakers	📅 This week's agenda can be found here .
Millionaires	Unit 6: Investing 📧 6.0 Investing Parent Newsletter • IMPORTANT: Students should complete and submit missing assignments. I am accepting late work through October 31, 3 pm. If needed, please contact me to arrange for extra help.
Art	Students are starting clay!

WEEK AT A GLANCE - WEEK OF 10/20- 10/24

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ELA	Sousa- This week we will continue to build on our knowledge of terms commonly used when reading, analyzing and discussing literature. We will focus on “characterization” in preparation for reading the short story, “Papa’s Parrot”. There will be a quiz on all literary terms on Thursday 10/16. McMahon ELA- This week students have moved on to <i>Topic 2: Identity Theft</i> in our ongoing Indigenous Poetry Unit. By continuing to annotate, identify literary devices, and participate in class discussions students are becoming skilled in literary analysis and making connections between text, their own experiences, and the world.. Next week we will move into the final topic of the unit. <i>During the unit, students will also write short reflections connecting poems to other texts, themselves and the world, and the unit will culminate in a poem analysis quiz.</i> McMahon Advanced ELA - Students will have an additional poem to annotate, analyze and reflect upon for upcoming topics: Identify Theft and Topic 3: Memory and Identity.	
Math	O’Brien Algebra 1- We will continue learning about writing and solving linear equations O’Brien Grade 8 Math- We will be learning about scientific notation.	
Science	Hipp- For this upcoming week. We are Continuing with Gravity, Inertia, and the difference in Mass and Weight. By the end of the week, a quiz on the subject matter will be given. Items to be turned in before the quiz as of the end of last week. BrainPop Gravity, Gravity TEXT, Mass and Weight Gizmo (hard copy).	
Civics	Peterson: We will be finishing up our unit on news and media literacy/Freedom of the Press. Our next unit of study is Philosophical Foundations of the US Government. We will be starting with a look at different types of government (dictatorship, oligarchy, democracy, etc)	
Spanish 	Señora von Hausen- Topic: Read Chapter 5 of <i>Brandon Brown quiere un Perro</i> - Vocab to study Assignments: - Complete Brandon Brown Packet completely - Written Assignment - Chapters 3, 4, 5	Srta. Smith- Topic: La Familia and El día de los Muertos Assignments Check Google Classroom for assignments
French	Topic: Students will read Chapter 6 of <i>Brandon Brown veut un chien</i> and demonstrate comprehension through reading, writing, and speaking activities. Assignments: Study vocabulary Brandon Brown - Chapitre 6 * Quiz Thursday, Oct. 23	

Health	Week of 10/20- 10/24 Relationship unit: describe characteristics of healthy relationships and identify warning signs of abuse. Mr. Saum visits one day to do SOS.					
PE	base running activity • Understand force play • Demonstrate defensive strategy • Demonstrate proper base running strategies • Incorporate into modified game					
Robotics	Students are building retro video game systems and preparing to make a table top arcade cabinet using a CNC Router.					
Greenhouse	Students will be working on greenhouse and garden management skills outdoors This week we will be working to improve one outdoor garden bed to ready it for a winter cover crop (winter rye) and continuing harvest for the cafeteria and for produce sales. To improve marketing, students will work on projects: An intercultural recipe sheet for clients who purchase greens at the Orleans Farmers Market And a new promotional trifold describing the Greenhouse Program					
Changemakers	📅 This week's agenda can be found here .					
Millionaires	Unit 5: Savings 📖 5.0 Saving Parent • IMPORTANT: Students should please complete and submit missing assignments. I am accepting late work through October 31, 3 pm. If needed, please contact me to arrange for extra help.					
Art	Students are starting clay!					

WEEK AT A GLANCE - WEEK OF 10/14 - 10/17

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ELA	Sousa- This week we will continue to build on our knowledge of terms commonly used when reading, analyzing and discussing literature. We will focus on “characterization” in preparation for reading the short story, “Papa’s Parrot”. There will be a quiz on all literary terms on Thursday 10/16. McMahon ELA- This week students have begun to explore the topic of “Identity” in relation to Indigenous People’s Poetry. Through examination of videos, maps, and artwork, students have accumulated the background information to analyze and annotate young Indigenous people’s poems. Students are continuing to develop their discussion skills, identifying poet’s use of language, common themes and personal reflections. During the unit, students will also write short reflections connecting poems to other texts, themselves and the world, and the unit will culminate in a poem analysis quiz. Just a reminder: students should be reading 20-30 minutes a day. Have a wonderful holiday weekend! McMahon Advanced ELA - Students will have an additional poem to annotate, analyze and reflect upon for upcoming topics: Identify Theft and Memory and Identity.
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Math	O'Brien Algebra 1- We will continue learning about writing and solving linear equations O'Brien Grade 8 Math- We will be learning about scientific notation.					
Science	Hipp- For this upcoming week. We are Continuing with Gravity, Inertia, and the difference in Mass and Weight. By the end of the week, a quiz on the subject matter will be given. Items to be turned in before the quiz as of the end of last week. BrainPop Gravity, Gravity TEXT, Mass and Weight Gizmo (hard copy).					
Civics	Peterson: We will be continuing with our look at Freedom of the Press and the media. Quiz on vocab Thursday 10/16. There is a practice link in daily agenda to use if needed.					
Spanish		Señora von Hausen- • Topic: Reading the novel Brandon Brown quiere un perro - Capítulo 4 • Zoo Animals Assignments: • Work on completing work packet for chapters 1-4 • Check Google Classroom/Aspen for assignments. GRADE 8 FIELD TRIP TO THE ZOO - 10/15 Please send permission slips and payments. Thanks! Please check weather to dress accordingly and REMEMBER TO BRING A PACKED LUNCH!	Srta. Smith- Topic: La Familia and El dia de los Muertos Assignments Check Google Classroom for assignments			
French	Topic: Students will read Chapter 5 of <i>Brandon Brown veut un chien</i> and demonstrate comprehension through reading, writing, and speaking activities. Assignments: Study vocabulary Brandon Brown - Chapitre 5 * Quiz Wednesday, Oct. 15					
Health	Week of 10/20- 10/24 Relationship unit: describe characteristics of healthy relationships and identify warning signs of abuse. Mr. Saum visits one day to do SOS.					
PE	base running activity • Understand force play • Demonstrate defensive strategy • Demonstrate proper base running strategies • Incorporate into modified game					
Robotics	Students will be learning about education and the access to education in other cultures.					
Greenhouse	Students this week are deciding on projects – what they wish to contribute to Greenhouse through Individual study or action. We are also preparing soil in the “Wetu” garden for fall strawberry planting, And continuing to harvest for the cafeteria.					
Changemakers	 This week's agenda can be found here .					
Millionaires	Unit 4: Credit  4.0 Family Newsletter: Credit					

Art	Students are starting clay!
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WEEK AT A GLANCE - WEEK OF 10/6 - 10/9

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ELA	Sousa- Students will begin to review and learn new literary vocabulary in preparation for reading, analyzing and discussing the stories we will read as part of our short story unit. There is an assessment on this vocabulary on Thursday 10/16. McMahon ELA- This past week students worked through the writing process on their One Summer Day pieces including following a self-revising checklist, seeking and giving peer feedback comments and reading their pieces aloud to self and/or a partner to target any final changes. This coming week we will be rolling out an explanation of an independent book project the students will complete and share each semester. Due Nov., 13th, you can begin to look for the posting of info this week. In alignment with Indigenous People's Day and Columbus Day, this next week we will begin a 2-3 week unit of activities tied to those days and poetry study. After some background videos, including one in which they can evaluate contrasting information and decide a position and what details most compelled that choice (ties to one of our standards), we will read poems written by a range of young poets with different tribal affiliations. We will continue to practice text annotation, analysis of style, language and theme, as well as recognize contrasts and connections between various poems. Practice with student-led discussion will be a central activity. During the unit, students will also write short reflections connecting poems to other texts, themselves and the world, and the unit will culminate in a poem analysis quiz. McMahon Advanced ELA - same as above
Math	O'Brien Algebra 1- We will begin our new module on Writing and Solving Equations O'Brien Grade 8 Math- We will be learning about the Properties of Exponents and having a quiz on them on Friday 10/3
Science	Hipp- For the week of the 6th. We are wrapping up our Density unit with a quiz using the Density Triangle of Power. Then we will be going into our next unit physical properties, gravity and weight.
Civics	Peterson: We will be starting our next unit of study this week...Freedom of the Press and News/Media Literacy. In this unit we will look at the role of the media in a democracy as well as media bias.

Spanish 	Sra. von Hausen - Reading chapter 4 of <i>Brandon Brown quiere un perro</i> - Vocab to study Assignments: Check Google Classroom GRADE 8 FIELD TRIP TO THE ZOO - 10/15 Please send permission slips and payments. Thanks!	Srta. Smith- Topic: 7th grade review Assignments Check Google Classroom for assignments GRADE 8 FIELD TRIP TO THE ZOO - 10/15 Please send permission slips and payments. Thanks!			
French	Topic: Students will read the fourth chapter of <i>Brandon Brown veut un chien</i> and use what they learned in 7th grade to understand and talk about the story. Assignments: Study vocabulary Brandon Brown - Chapitre 5 * Quiz Wednesday, Oct. 15				
Health	Eating disorder test on Tuesday 10/7, influences of social media, FD here for CPR and Heimlich training				
PE	Floor Hockey - Demonstrate skill in stick handling, passing, and defensive strategy - Demonstrate understanding of off sides and icing - Modified games				
Robotics	Students will be learning about education and the access to education in other cultures.				
Greenhouse	Students this week are deciding on projects – what they wish to contribute to Greenhouse through Individual study or action. We are also preparing soil in the “Wetu” garden for fall strawberry planting, And continuing to harvest for the cafeteria.				
Changemakers	 This week's agenda can be found here.				
Millionaires	Finishing up Unit 3: 3.4 Why Do We Pay Taxes? 3.5 Let's Make a Budget 3.R Unit Review 3.A Unit Assessment Family Newsletter here				
Art	Students are starting clay!				

WEEK AT A GLANCE - WEEK OF 9/29 - 10/3

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ELA	Sousa- Students will continue to revise and edit their One Summer Day narrative writing pieces. Additionally, we will begin our review of vocabulary that is essential for understanding, analyzing and discussing literature in the classroom. McMahon ELA- This week students wrapped up a graphic organizer in which they practiced planning for an evidence-based paragraph. They also got an introduction to our supportive use of IXL, completing lessons in sensory detail identification, sentence structure and past tense verbs in preparation for writing the descriptive narrative piece One Summer Day. Now that the planning stages for the piece are done, including reading, evaluating and discussing exemplar pieces written by former students, they are ready this next week to move into drafting, revising and editing stages. You may even get a request from them to read their "in progress" pieces and give feedback! :-) McMahon Advanced ELA - same as above	
Math	O'Brien Algebra 1- We will begin our new module on Writing and Solving Equations O'Brien Grade 8 Math- We will be learning about the Properties of Exponents and having a quiz on them on Friday 10/3	
Science	Hipp- We will be starting physics with the basics about Matter and its properties. Please make sure your student has turned in their LAB SAFETY document and CLASSROOM syllabus document, both to be SIGNED by parent/guardian, extra copies are available electronically in your students G-Classroom	
Civics	Peterson: we will be wrapping up our first unit of study with a mini research project. As part of our discussion on civics, community, and culture we will be researching about a person who has made a change in their community.	
SSI	Sousa-	
Spanish	Sra. von Hausen - Reading chapter 3 of <i>Brandon Brown quiere un perro</i> - Vocab to study Assignments: Check Google Classroom	Srta. Smith- Topic: 7th grade review Assignments Check Google Classroom for assignments
French	Topic: Students will read the fourth chapter of <i>Brandon Brown veut un chien</i> and use what they learned in 7th grade to understand and talk about the story. Assignments: Study vocabulary Brandon Brown - Chapitre 4 * Quiz Friday	

Health	*Faces of Mental Illness project presentations, begin Eating Disorder unit, Mr. Saum visits classes on Friday to talk about stress handling techniques
PE	Basketball • Identify fouls • Demonstrate understanding of rules • Apply skills such as dribbling, passing, shooting, and defensive strategy into modified game
Robotics	Students will be learning about education and the access to education in other cultures.
Greenhouse	We focus on composting this week – how to make better and more consistent use of our worm compost boxes and creating relationships with cafeteria recycling. We are working on ways to model greenhouse production, sales and fundraising on business practices, this week focusing on using a “task board” and sharing planning and feedback on our successes. We are continuing management of Greenhouse production of pea sprouts and garden harvesting. We will also finish film “Feeding Tomorrow” to understand relationship of organic farming to human health, soil health, and climate remediation.
Changemakers	 This week’s agenda can be found here .
Millionaires	Unit 3: Budgeting. Family Newsletter here
Art	Students are starting clay!

WEEK AT A GLANCE - WEEK OF 9/22 - 9/26

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ELA	Sousa- This week we will continue working on our first process writing piece, "One Summer Day." Last week we analyzed exemplars. Students identified use of imagery and figurative language. This week we will transition into our prewriting activities and rough draft. McMahon Advanced ELA- This week students wrapped up the 9/11 poetry mini unit. Through thoughtful, collaborative discussion and textual annotation students were able to identify the poem they found most impactful. Using a graphic organizer, students composed a text based paragraph which included developing context, citing evidence, and critical analysis. Next week, students will utilize literary devices to create personal narratives. McMahon Grade 8 ELA- Same as above	
Math	O'Brien Algebra 1- We will be finishing our Module on evaluating expressions and having a quiz on 1-4 to 1-6 on Friday 9/19 O'Brien Grade 8 Math- We will be learning how to approximate irrational numbers and estimate their locations on a number line. We will likely have a quiz on Friday 9/19 on this topic.	
Science	Hipp- We will be starting physics with the basics about Matter and its properties. Please make sure your student has turned in their LAB SAFETY document and CLASSROOM syllabus document, both to be SIGNED by parent/guardian, extra copies are available electronically in your students G-Classroom	
Civics	Peterson: Vocabulary Quiz Wednesday 9/24. Students have a practice link on Google Classroom (in addition to practicing during class). This week we will be learning about cultural values, democratic values, and patriotism. We will also look at different types of leadership qualities, and the role of political parties.	
SSI	Sousa-	
Spanish 	Sra. von Hausen - - Review Packet (done independently) - Second half due Friday 9-23 (Extended due date) - Reading chapter 3 of <i>Brandon Brown quiere un perro</i> - Vocab to study Assignments: Check Google Classroom	Srta. Smith- Topic: 7th grade review Assignments Check Google Classroom for assignments

French	Roy - Topic: Students will read the third chapter of <i>Brandon Brown veut un chien</i> and use what they learned in 7th grade to understand and talk about the story. Assignments: Study vocabulary Brandon Brown - Chapitre 3 * Quiz Friday
Health	*Mental Illnesses *Students will be assigned a specific MI and complete the Faces of Mental Illness project (assessment grade) Reflection log- week 1
PE	volleyball - students will demonstrate the following skills • Serve • Forearm pass • Set • Modified game
Robotics	Students will be learning about education and the access to education in other cultures.
Greenhouse	Students this week are deciding on projects – what they wish to contribute to Greenhouse through Individual study or action. We are also preparing soil in the “Wetu” garden for fall strawberry planting, And continuing to harvest for the cafeteria.
Changemakers	 This week’s agenda can be found here .
Millionaires	Unit 2: Consumer Skills Family Newsletter here Lesson 2.3: How to Read a Receipt Lesson 2.4: Checking Accounts Lesson 2.5 Payment Types Unit 2 Project Assessment-review materials are posted at the top of Google Classroom under the Classwork tab. Next up: Unit 3: Budgeting. Family Newsletter here
Art	Students are finishing their introduction self-portraits and will move on to color theory

WEEK AT A GLANCE - WEEK OF 9/15 - 9/19

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ELA	Sousa- This week we will be working on our first process writing piece, “One Summer Day.” McMahon Advanced ELA- This week students wrapped up a poem project called “Just Because”. These poems, in which students declare what they are and are not in relation to an aspect of their self-identity, allowed students to explore self, develop ideas, try out some imagery and practice visual aid skills as they created their poem slides in Canva or Google Slides. Look for them displayed in the hall soon! In honor of 9/11, we are also in the midst of reading three poems written in response to events at the WTC. This mini unit is focused on the skills of poem annotation, discussion and finding meaning/impact in poems while importantly humanizing the individual victims. These activities will provide a foundation for an upcoming writing assignment which will assess the use of vivid language, imagery, and literary techniques. McMahon Grade 8 ELA- Same as above
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Math	O'Brien Algebra 1- We will be finishing our Module on evaluating expressions and having a quiz on 1-4 to 1-6 on Friday 9/19 O'Brien Grade 8 Math- We will be learning how to approximate irrational numbers and estimate their locations on a number line. We will likely have a quiz on Friday 9/19 on this topic.	
Science	Hipp- We will be starting physics with the basics about Matter and its properties. Please make sure your student has turned in their LAB SAFETY document and CLASSROOM syllabus document, both to be SIGNED by parent/guardian, extra copies are available electronically in your students G-Classroom	
Civics	Peterson- Timeline of events of our lives due Tuesday 9/16. US states map and quiz on Monday 9/15. Rights and Responsibilities of citizens.	
SSI	Sousa-	
Spanish 	Sra. von Hausen - - Review Packet (done independently) - Second half due Friday 9-19 - Reading chapter 2 of <i>Brandon Brown quiere un perro</i> - Vocab to study Assignments: Check Google Classroom	Smith- Topic: Celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month! Assignments Check Google Classroom for assignments
French	Roy - Topic: Students will read the second chapter of <i>Brandon Brown veut un chien</i> and use what they learned in 7th grade to understand and talk about the story. Assignments: Study vocabulary Brandon Brown - Chapitre 2 * Quiz Friday	
Health	- Finish health SMART goal - Identify support systems - Stress & the Mind/Body connection - Mental Health vs Mental Health Disorders	
PE	Frisbee Games: Demonstrate correct throwing and catching mechanics Demonstrate ability to throw for accuracy. Incorporate skills into modified competitive and leisure activities	
Robotics	Students are researching how to make things using a CNC Machine.	
Greenhouse	Next week we'll be working outdoors to improve our new vegetable garden: Cleaning up a cover crop in one bed, and creating new beds to enlarge strawberry production. In the greenhouse, students will start vegetable seeds for observation/sketching of sprouting. They have one homework assignment due Tuesday, Sept. 17: a home survey to learn about family heritage and food traditions. (Students can alternatively ask questions on the survey to an adult at school.)	
Changemakers	 This week's agenda can be found here.	

Millionaires	Unit 2: Consumer Skills Family Newsletter here Lesson 2.1: Comparison Shopping Lesson 2.2: Coupons & Discounts Lesson 2.3: How to Read a Receipt Lesson 2.4: Checking Accounts FRIDAY: Trip to Friend's Market--PERMISSION SLIPS DUE NOW
Art	Students are finishing their introduction self-portraits and will move on to color theory

WEEK AT A GLANCE - WEEK OF 9/8 - 9/12

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ELA	Sousa- This week we will be working on "Just Because" poems, and we will begin our exploration and analysis of poetry about 9/11. McMahon Advanced ELA- McMahon Grade 8 ELA-	
Math	O'Brien Algebra 1- O'Brien Grade 8 Math-	
Science	Hipp- Classroom expectations along with setting up drive folders. Lessons on good testing, graphing, previous knowledge.	
Civics	Peterson- Timeline of events of our lives due Friday 9/12. US states map and quiz on Monday 9/15. Rights and Responsibilities of citizens.	
SSI	Sousa-	
Spanish	Sra. von Hausen - - Review Packet (done independently) - First half due Friday 9-12 - Starting <i>Brandon Brown quiere un perro</i> chapter book - Vocab for chapter 1	Smith-
	 Assignments: Check Google Classroom	
French	Roy - Topic: Students will read the first chapter of <i>Brandon Brown veut un chien</i> and use what they learned in 7th grade to understand and talk about the story. Assignments: - Study vocabulary Brandon Brown - Chapitre 1 * Quiz Friday - Read the syllabus & ask your parents/guardians to complete the online form * Due Friday	
Health	- Complete our gratitude journals - Identify support systems - Coping skills simulation - Stress & the Mind/Body connection	

PE	
Computer Science	
Greenhouse	Next week we'll be working outdoors to improve our new vegetable garden: Cleaning up a cover crop in one bed, and creating new beds to enlarge strawberry production. In the greenhouse, students will start vegetable seeds for observation/sketching of sprouting. They have one homework assignment due Tuesday, Sept. 17: a home survey to learn about family heritage and food traditions. (Students can alternatively ask questions on the survey to an adult at school.)
Changemakers	📅 This week's agenda can be found here .
Art	