# HSP Newsletter

February 10, 2023

2/8: This was mid-quarter2/10: Enrollment Begins

2/20: No School (President's Day)

2/24: Dress Down Day and TLS Fun Run

• 2/25: Jr. Youth Event with Ms. Laura at Ape Index

## Mrs. Benally: Faith Development

#### 8th Grade:

- Ruth: God works through ups and downs for the good of His people
- The Call of Samuel: What vocation may God be calling you to?
- Vocation Google Slide Project coming up next week

#### 6th/7th Grade Combo:

- Discipleship: Our roles as followers of Christ and how we can see Jesus present in our lives
- Group Devotion writing/videos

### 6th Grade:

 Elisha: God working through His prophets to help His people; How does God use us?

#### 5th Grade:

- How we can give back to God in thanks to all He has given us
- Unit 3 Test Average: 88%
- Class Service project brainstorming and beginning stages

#### 8th Grade Govt.

- We wrapped up Lesson 16
- Mock Trial: The Case of the Stolen Car
- Teen Uses His Make-A-Wish to Feed Unhoused Community article
- Courthouse Experience: 2nd degree murder trial
- We started the movie "12 Angry Men" to see how a courthouse experience works

## Specials-

## Art/STEAM (Mr. Benally)

• HSP students are finishing up their design projects this quarter.

#### P.E. (Mrs. Neville)

- HSP students continuing our basketball unit with layups and free throws. Students played a game called pin 'em down, trying to be the team to shoot layups by hitting a pin in the center court. The other team can stop them by making 3 free throws. Basketball test will by Weds 2/15 for boys and Thurs 2/16 for girls.
- Basketball Study Guide

#### Band

 All students need to bring their instruments and books on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Band is now in Room 111.



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## Memory Verse:(can be found on Gradelink and Google classroom)

Bible Reflection Sheet #4 due Friday, February 10. Verse choices will be on love and can be found on the back of the paper. I will also be posting this assignment in Google Classroom. They can print out the sheet if they lose it.

### Mr. Koehne:

5-6 Science: We finished up our unit on the Excretory System and the students did very well on the end of the unit test. On Friday we started our unit on Biomes which should take us through all of next week.

7-8 Science: This week the students completed projects on a Biome. Some created mini models of biomes while others were able to do presentations on the Biome of their choice. We will complete our lab next week and take our test on the Biome unit.

5th U.S. History: We are entering a new unit as we study the development of the US Government. We will explore how the Articles of Confederation were first created before the US Constitution was written and enacted. We will also take a look at the Constitution and Bill of Rights.

H.S. Geography: The students did an excellent job on their presentations this past week on a European country. We will take a closer look at Northwest Europe in the coming week.

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Mrs. Mahon: Math & US History

5th Grade: This week we will wrap up our work with Module 5 ending the week with a review to prepare for our test on Monday 2/20.

6th Grade: This week we will wrap up the first half of Module 3 with connecting our work with positive and negative integers and rational numbers to the concept of absolute value. The test over the first half of Module 3 is scheduled for Wednesday 2/15/23.

7th Grade: This week we will begin our work with Module 3 focusing on expressions and inverse operations.

8th Grade: This week we will continue to work on linear equations focusing on different types of solutions and what they mean.

## 6th Grade U.S. History:

I was SO IMPRESSED with the presentations this week. The students put a lot of work and thought into them and am very happy with how it turned out. Presentations are taking a bit longer than I thought so we will finish up presentations on Monday and finish our studies on WWI with a documentary this week.



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Mrs. Mosley: Literature, Writing, Grammar, Ancient History: 02/10/23

I want to take this opportunity to thank our parents who were chaperones for our Zoo trip, Every student expressed how much fun they had and how great it was to be part of a group. I'm so grateful for your volunteer spirit and for your kindness to each member of your group! Blessings to ou all! Mrs. Mosley

oth Grade: Research papers are due on Fri, 2/10. I'm excited to read all of the final drafts! Thank you all for assisting your student when they needed help.

6th Grade: Sixth grade is still enjoying "Number the Stars". We are very close to finishing this exciting book and storyline! We will take a final test, most probably next week; then we'll be onto a short grammar unit.

7th Grade The 7th Gr and 6th Gr Honor Students are preparing to finish their Research Writing. The Final Draft in hard copy is due today, 2/10. I am VERY PROUD of our 7th Grade/6th Grade Honor class! Their work has been consistent and they have demonstrated that they learned many new writing skills!

8th Grade + 7th Gr Honor Students: "The Hiding Place" has been widely accepted in our 8th gr/7th Gr Honors class. The book and the story are long and somewhat complex. We've just read that Corrie and Betsie are being transferred to another prison camp. The characters are strong and honorable and I'm so glad that our students have had the opportunity to read this book!

7th Gr Ancient History (7th): We have finished Ch 4, Ancient Egyptians and Nubians, and are beginning a section on Judiasm and the Jewish People. We'll get to delve into many biblical truths that are also part of our studies of Ancient History. Please take a moment and ask your student about how religion and culture are connected!

Blessings to you all for a restful and family-filled weekend. I hope you all enjoy watching the Super Bowl; it should be a great game!! Please remember that Worship is a great way for families to become stronger and more connected! Please plan to attend Worship services with your family!

Prayers and Peace to you all,

Mrs. Anita Mosley