

HSP Newsletter

March 31, 2023



Matthew 5:16- Let your light shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is in heaven.

- 4/1: BCLAL Track Meet for Grades 3-8 at 9:00 am at South Mountain High School
- 4/7: No School-Good Friday
- 4/10: HSP Field Trip to Feed My Starving Children
- 4/21: Trinity MS Walk-more details to follow
- 4/24: Midterm

Mrs. Benally: Faith Development

8th Grade:

- Unit 3 Test Average: 89% 😊
- Habitude: Discipline Bridge: building discipline throughout all areas of your lives
- Brainstorming for chapel in May and our testimony presentation in May
- Not to judge others

6th/7th Grade Combo:

- Loving our "neighbors"
- Following God's command of respecting people in authority
- Coveting/Stealing can become sins real easily
- Bible Board Game workday

6th Grade:

- Unit 4 Test Average: 85% 😊
- Celebration of learning: Esther Veggietales video
- "Sadako and the Thousand Paper Cranes" book discussion; how we can share Jesus with people for different cultures and religions

5th Grade:

- Unit 4 Test Average: 89% 😊
- Following Jesus: being a Christian disciple
- Noticing Jesus' presence in our lives constantly

8th Grade Govt.

- Lesson 22: Ways the Supreme Court interprets laws. We looked at how we could, would, and should interpret the 2nd amendment
- Down Syndrome awareness article. National Down Syndrome awareness day was March 21
- Current Events

Specials-

Art/STEAM (Mr. Benally)

- 5th and 6th grade boys and girls are finishing their shoe design projects. 7th and 8th grade girls are working on their documentary projects and getting the filming finished so they can edit. 7th and 8th grade boys are really working hard their restaurant design projects.

P.E. (Mrs. Neville)

- We are starting a tennis unit to work on racquet skills. Students will work on forehand and backhand swings and play a skillastics tennis game.

Band

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

On Monday, April 10, HSP will be taking a field trip to Feed My Starving Children in Mesa. It is a great field trip and we will need chaperones for this trip. Please consider attending and helping us pack meals for countries in need. Please have the permission slip signed by MONDAY, APRIL 3. Thank you.

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

This coming week is Holy Week, we will walk through Jesus' journey to the cross in a creative way. There will be no out of class memory work this week, April 3-7

Mr. Koehne:

5-6 Science: The class has worked hard this week on understanding Food Webs and the transfer of energy within a Food Web. The students began their activity lab on Friday and will complete it on Monday. We will review for our test on Tuesday and the students will take their test on Food Webs and Food Chains on Wednesday. They have a packet that will serve as the study guide this week.

7-8 Science: Students completed the unit on Energy Pyramids this week. Students looked at how energy is depleted as it moves through the food chain. Overall the class did well on this unit. We will stay with a similar unit next week as we look at Organism Relationships including predator / prey relationships.

5th U.S. History: The students worked on creating a video this week to summarize the War of 1812. The videos are due on Monday and we will choose them in class for everyone to watch. Next week we will also look at the Trail of Tears and further development as the country grows.

H.S. Geography: We are in the midst of our chapter on North Africa. The class did a good job on a migration report and the causes of migration. We will wrap this chapter up this week and have a test on Wednesday or Thursday.

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Matthew 5:16- Let your light shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is in heaven.

Mrs. Mahon: Math & US History

5th Grade: This week we will be wrapping up our work with Module 6 with a review and test.

Module 6 test is scheduled for Monday 3/31.

6th Grade: This week we will continue to work through the second half of Module 4 which focuses on Order of Operations and an intro to Algebra!

7th Grade: This week we will continue to work on solving inequalities

8th Grade: This week we will continue to work through the second half of module 4 focusing on functions.

6th Grade U.S. History:

This week we will continue our studies with WWII with a focus on what the war looked like in Europe.

Mrs. Mosley: Literature, Writing, Grammar, Ancient History

Friday: 3/30/23

5th Grade: Our book, "Because of Winn-Dixie" is moving right along. We have worked on Character traits for our main characters. This is a learned skill in Literature because we are using the author's context clues to guide us. The class has responded very well to our special treats in celebration of their wonderful work!

6th Grade: Our 6th grade students and 5th gr Honor students are now busily turning their Information Card contents into the supporting paragraphs in their Travel Journal Writing assignment! I've read all of the students' Introductions and now we're advancing on to the Supporting Paragraphs. These are exciting times!

7th Grade & 6th Gr Honor Students: Reading "Touching Spirit Bear" has proven to be both exciting, engaging and terrifying in its storyline. Please ask your student about the storyline in this book.

8th Grade + 7th Gr Honor Students: 8th Grade students have begun their FD of the Graduation Speeches. It's an exciting and unbelievable time; how can 8th grade students be so close to leaving us at Trinity!?? 7th Gr Honor Students are also writing a Current Events Essay concurrent with the 8th Grade class.

The 7th Gr Honor Students are writing a Current Events Essay that requires research, outlining, paragraphing, and final drafting. This is a great writing assignment, one where they had a choice of topics and where we did not repeat any of those topics.

7th Gr Ancient History (7th): The class will finish Ch 11 and then assess where we need to be to finish our History year on a strong note. We will do a Quiz Review Session on Mon. 4/3 and then we'll have the Ch 11, Sect 2 Quiz on Tues. I'm hopeful that the students will really be motivated about learning who Alexander the Great was, how Aristotle taught Alexander to be a great student, and how even though Alexander dies at a young age, his relevance still lives on, today.

Easter is approaching very quickly, in fact, Good Friday is this coming Friday, and then Easter Sunday is this week! I pray that you will take time to Worship with your families on Good Friday, and Easter Sunday!

Blessings to everyone!

Mrs. Anita Mosley

