

HSP Newsletter

May 5, 2023



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- 5/9-11: Book Fair
- 5/10: 7th and 5th Grade Field Trips
- 5/17: Talent Show
- 5/19: Dress Down Day
- 5/24: Field Day
- 5/25: Last Day of School: Early release at 11 am

Mrs. Benally: Faith Development

8th Grade:

- Chapel practice and presentation: Great job!
- Jesus teaching about being righteous by faith
- Spiritual and physical healing-seeing with the eyes of faith

6th/7th Grade Combo:

- Board Games were due this week. I had a blast playing each group's game. The students did an excellent job! We will share our games with other classes next week

6th Grade:

- Disciple research: we shared our findings and learned a lot
- Nicodemus: born of water and the Spirit
- Unit 5 Test Friday

5th Grade:

- Service project: We shared actions to the Lord's Prayer to kindergarten and preschool students. Way to show leadership and discipleship!
- We will begin a new unit Monday

8th Grade Govt.

- Separate but equal clause: we looked at two supreme court cases; Plessy vs. Ferguson and Brown vs. Board of Education
- We also looked at ways people used their 1st amendment rights to make change during the Civil Rights movement
- Article on the SpaceX rocket explosion and what could be learned

Specials-

Art/STEAM (Mr. Benally)

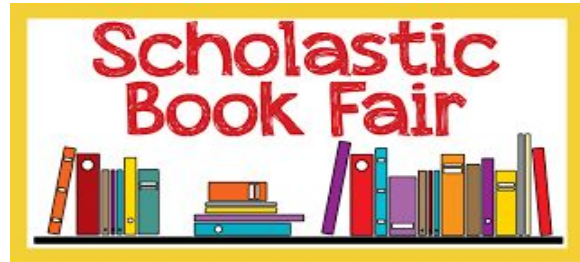
- 5th and 6th grade boys and girls are doing a unit on rockets. 7th and 8th grade girls are working on finishing filming and editing their documentary projects. 7th and 8th grade boys are really working hard their restaurant design projects.

P.E. (Mrs. Neville)

- HSP has started our bowling unit. This week we will review our 3 step approach, good form, terminology and how to run our lanes appropriately, students will learn how to keep score and will score their lanes.

Band

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



May
9-11

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

Jeremiah 29:11-12(ESV) due Friday, May 12

11 For I know the plans I have for you, declares the LORD, plans for welfare and not for evil, to give you a future and a hope. **12** Then you will call upon me and come and pray to me, and I will hear you.

Mr. Koehne:

5-6 Science: With MAP testing this week we have taken our time getting started with the Classification Unit. Depending on the pacing next week this could be our last unit. If the test is next week it will be near the end of the week.

7-8 Science: The class has worked hard this week on a Biodiversity project that was extremely in-depth. The project is due Monday with our test on Biodiversity on Monday as well. We will start a new unit on Tuesday next week on the Nitrogen Cycle.

5th U.S. History: Overall the class did well on our Chapter 8 test on Wednesday. We have started our last chapter as we will look at the Civil War to finish out the year. Our test to end this chapter will be on Thursday, May 18th.

H.S. Geography: The class just started our last chapter of the year on Australia and New Zealand. We will finish up this chapter this next week and then begin preparing for the Final Exam. The Final Exam will be on Thursday, May 18th.

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Mrs. Mahon: Math & US History

5th Grade: This week we will begin Module 8 which returns us to fractions, but with multiplication and division!

6th Grade: The test over Module 4 is scheduled for Monday May 8th. We will then continue to work through Module 4 focusing on expressions with all operations.

7th Grade: This week we will continue to work through Module 3 with a focus on area and perimeter of composite figures.

8th Grade: This week we will continue our work with Systems of Equations with a focus on substitution.

6th Grade U.S. History:

READY OR NOT... HISTORY PRESENTATIONS WILL BEGIN MONDAY MAY 8TH. If your student does not finish their project in class, they must bring it home to finish over the weekend. After presentations we will start reviewing for our test over WWII which is scheduled for Monday 5/15



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

Friday: 5/5

5th Grade: BLESSINGS to everyone! All of our 5th Grade Students have their Poetry Packets in hand. Our first poem is called the "I AM" poem. Students will finish their Rough Drafts, and then copy the edited copy right into their Packets! We'll be listening to some of the completed poems, and then we'll progress on to the writing of poems using Metaphors, Similes, and Hyperbole, Very exciting learning times in 5th, almost 6th grades.

6th Grade: Our 6th Grade/5th Gr H. class have received their Poetry Packets. We'll be using our "creative" brains to learn how to write a variety of genres of poetry.

7th Grade & 6th Gr Honor Students: We have successfully finished reading "Touching Spirit Bear" and will have taken the final test when you read this article. I have planned to transition the class into some Grammar Lessons to polish up our writing, and then, we'll do a bit of Poetry writing to end our year successfully!

8th Grade + 7th Gr Honor Students: We have begun reading "Book II: Between" of *Son*. The main character has seen many changes and the society that she now finds herself part of brings a lot of confusion and even more changes, some welcome, some not so welcome. We have had good discussions about this book, and our goal is to finish it completely, before the end of school!!

7th Gr Ancient History (7th): We have concluded our work with the Ancient Greek Civilization, and are now beginning our study of the Ancient Romans. The class did a great job with their Greek presentations, and I'm excited to see how well they relate the Greek information to their Roman cultural experiences!

There is quite a bit of 'chatter' about the Talent Show on Thurs, May 18th. The Auction was a great success and the PTO will be sending out an electronic survey gathering information about parents' opinions about the projects PTO has sponsored. Please take a few moments to answer the PTO survey if it comes to you!

Have a blessed weekend and enjoy your time with family and in Worship together.

Blessings to everyone!

Mrs. Anita Mosley