



Weekly Parent Update for 6th Grade

Week of: April 5, 2024

Greetings Families: Below you will find topics and assessments/projects in each content area from the week, as well as some important dates that you should be aware of. Smaller daily assignments may be assigned and communicated to students, during class or on myMCPS classroom.

IMPORTANT MESSAGE FOR 6th GRADE FAMILIES - As part of our upcoming Outdoor Education program, we're excited to provide each student with a class t-shirt to commemorate the experience. These shirts not only foster a sense of unity and belonging among the students but also serve as practical attire for outdoor activities, helping ensure that everyone is easily identifiable and safe. To enable us to order the right t-shirt size for your student, we kindly request that you complete this [OUTDOOR EDUCATION T-SHIRT SIZE FORM](#) by MONDAY, APRIL 8, 2024. If the form is not completed by that date, we will ask your student to provide their preferred t-shirt size.



Outdoor Ed T-shirt Size

Dates:



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Wednesday, April 10	No school for students
Monday, April 22	No school for students - asynchronous assignments posted

	English							
Course Name	Advanced English 6 Academic Vocabulary Q1-4 Linked				Read 180 Academic Vocabulary Q1-4	Dig. Lit. ~ Creative Writing	Academic Literacy	Greek Mythology
Teacher Name	Ghaman	Morrison	Daley	Byrd	Smith	Smith/Byrd	Hill	Hill
Topic	Students in Adv Eng 6 began prepping for their Q4 EWP by choosing an independent reading book. Through their book, they will gather evidence to prove the book has educational value using specified criteria reviewed this week. In addition, students began the Unit 4 reading and writing assignment.				Students analyzed characters to determine how they change as the story continues.	Historical Fiction Story.	Story structure: "No More Trash"	Original hero myth



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	English Language Development		
Course Name	English 6 for ELs 1	English 6 for ELs 2	English 6 for ELs 3
Teacher Name	Francis		
Topics Covered			

	Math							
Course Name	<u>Math 180</u>	Math 6		<u>AMP6+</u>	<u>AIM6/AMP7+</u>			
Teacher Name	Cacho	Reina	Watkins	Simoncic	Simoncic	Leffler	Reina	Perlson
Topic		<p>This week, students reviewed for and completed the Quarter 3 Progress Check. Homework for this week has been missing assignments because the</p>						



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		end of the quarter is Tuesday (04/09).		
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Course Name	Science		
Teacher Name	Lutchenkov	Sadeghi	Sandford
Topic	Students are studying weathering and erosion and how these processes shape the Earth's surface. An outdoor activity is planned this week (weather permitting) to observe weathering and erosion processes around school grounds.		

	Social Studies		
Course Name	World Studies Academic Vocabulary		Global Humanities
Teacher Name	Haag	Jasti Currie	Steimer
Topic	We have started our Rome unit! This week, students examined the impact of geography in the development of Rome.		

	World Languages	
Course	Spanish FY 1A	French FY 1A



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Name				
Teacher Name	Bonatesta	Ranaweera	Puleo	Bonatesta
Topic				Describing family relationships using the vocabulary and the irregular verb être

	Health and Physical Education	
Course Name	Health	<u>PE</u>
Topic		Box Soccer, Volleyball, Cornhole

	Electives		
Course Name	Art <u>Vocabulary</u>	<u>Engineering Design & Modeling</u>	<u>Coding 6</u>
Teacher Name	Stentz	Paul-Philips	Tin
Topic		P3 - Newspaper challenge P6 - Roller coaster Challenge	



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	Music Electives		
Course Name	Chorus	Orchestra	Band
Teacher Name	McFeaters	Hepburn	Hepburn
Topic		D Major, G Major and C Major Tuning All Strings Peace Like a River Bronco Rapids	Standard of Excellence Pages 18 - 19 Gallant March Barbara Ann

	SSL (Student Service Learning)