

Sixth Grade Newsletter

Religion

Ms. Piovane

We continue Chapter 6 & 7: "The Liturgical Year" & "Ordinary Time"

Grammar/Writing

Mrs. Schoening

How can I tell if a pronoun is intensive or reflective? We will be able to answer this question and practice identifying usage errors and correcting them.

Literature

Mrs. Schoening

The class will continue with precise writing and how-to articles, working on steps in directions and using transition words to indicate order. The class will examine game directions and plan their own project.

Math

Mr. Zepnikowski

Math 6 will, begin their unit on multiplication. We will explore how to multiply by powers of ten, large numbers and decimals numbers.

In Pre-Algebra 6, we will learn about equations and how to solve them. We will also begin filming our project on Ustream.

Music

Mrs. Smith (Mrs. Dufield-substitute)

Students will learn proper breathing techniques in singing. They will sing in groups and learn about how to make simple harmonies with singing in a round.

Science

Mrs. Rovenolt

The First Quarter Project has been introduced. The students are creating a travel brochure to someplace in space. They will tackle the spatial task of entering information into an three dimensional brochure from a document.

Spanish

Mrs. Bonilla

We will work on days of the week and months of the year. Also we will practice oral everyday greetings.

STREAM: Science Technology Religion Engineering Art Math

Mr. Baker, Mrs. Rovenolt, Mr. Zepnikowski

The students continue to work on their budgets. On Friday they will take a virtual field trip to the Alcoa Aluminium Plant in Davenport, Iowa.

Mrs. Whitemore

Students will be assessed on their knowledge of Ancient Mesopotamia. We will begin our unit on Ancient Egypt.

P.E. / Health

Ms. Piovane

We participate in cooperative games. We will focus on teamwork, sportsmanship and skill refining activities. In Health we continue to investigate "Stress" utilizing LifeDojo. Please ask your student to share this exciting app with you.

Art

Ms. Hudson

Sixth grade will use this class as an extra free draw period, or may choose to use it to finalize any details from their self-portrait assignments.