



## Seventh Grade Newsletter

### Religion

#### Ms. Piovane

We begin Chapter 1: "The Source of All Life" In this chapter the students will learn that God created us to know him. They will also learn that Jesus Christ fully reveals who God is.

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### Literature

#### Mrs. Schoening

We will look for honesty and truthfulness in our reading this month. The class will read several examples of narrative writing and take a closer look at the life of Saint Padre Pio. We will discover how this theme relates to the saint.

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### Math

#### Mr. Zepnikowski

In Algebra, we will explore the differences between rational and irrational numbers. Also on the agenda this week is to perform operations with rational numbers.

In Pre-Algebra, we will learn what a rational number is. From there we will also identify integers, whole numbers, and natural numbers.

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### Music

#### Mrs. Smith

Welcome back! We will discuss music classroom procedures and expectations. Students will also review music notation and vocabulary playing Music Potato.

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### Grammar/ Writing

#### Mrs. Schoening

This week we will review nouns and adjectives. We will learn about narrative writing and how that looks as a newspaper article. Katie Couric will give us tips for conducting a good interview and we will try these skills out with our classmates.

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### Art

#### Ms. Hudson

Looking forward to a great 2014-2015 year in Art! We'll review Art Room rules and expectations, then jump into some creative fun as we get back into art mode!

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### Science

#### Mrs. Rovenolt

In preparation for this year, we review safety procedures and sign safety contracts, discuss Summer Science experiences, check out the curriculum and play a game to see how to categorize and classify.

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### Spanish

#### Mrs. Bonilla

Welcome to a wonderful school year!! We will be working on everyday greetings. Nos vemos el lunes!!

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### STREAM: Science Technology Religion Engineering Art Math

#### Mr. Baker, Mrs. Rovenolt

We are taking a vacation!!! The students will plan, budget and make a vacation presentation. The students start with a discussion why we take vacations and move into choosing a destination.

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### United States History

#### Mrs. Whitemore

Hope everyone had a great summer! I am looking forward to working with you all this year. First up, will be setting up our interactive notebooks. We will then begin our study of the Reconstruction Period, following the Civil War.

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### P.E. / Health

#### Ms. Patty Piovane

We begin with our back to class orientation, safety review and discussion of Health and P.E. goals and expectations. Team building activities will be our focus this week. We have P.E. everyday this year! I am excited to get everyone up and moving! I am looking forward to a fun filled year!