

March 22, 2024
Dear Sixth Grade Parents,
Holy week is upon us. May your Holy Week be a sacred time and may God bless us as we make this journey to Easter Sunday together. Stay safe and stay well.

Homeroom Updates:
Good Friday: Next week is Holy Week. Friday, March 29th is a perfect uniform day. We will have Stations Of The Cross in the church. Students will be let out as a silent dismissal. We ask that you too try to be as silent as possible too during pick up.

Rice Bowls: We really appreciate your contributions to the Rice Bowl project by putting extra change in your rice bowl. Please do not mark the Rice Bowls with your name.

## Curriculum Updates:

Math (Mrs. H): Monday: *10.6 Simple Probability
Tuesday: *10.7 Experimental Probability
Wednesday: *Extra lesson: Compound Probability
Thursday: *Extra lesson: Fundamental Counting Principle
Friday: *Good Friday - quiet class.
Math (Mrs. C): We will be finishing up Chapter 9, Area, on Monday. We will spend Tuesday and Wednesday with reviews and take our chapter 9 test on Thursday, March 28th.

Math (Mr. W):
Hello HRS families. Next week will finish finish the chapter 8 test and begin chapter 9
Monday: Finish the chapter 8 Test.
Tuesday: 9.1 Area of Parallelograms
Wednesday: 9.2 Area of Trapezoids
Thursday: 9.3 Area of Trapezoids.
Friday: Mid-Chapter Check Activity: Designing a floor plan with shapes.
Have a great weekend!
ELA: We will continue our Figurative Language unit next week analyzing our March Madness poems and also reviewing hyperboles, idioms, and onomatopeias. Students will take notes and also have a few different worksheets to help with their review. Please be sure your student is reading their book for the next book report. For this book report
students will create a soundtrack that could be used during a film made for their novel. Information for this is in Google CLassroom. Students should be done reading their book by April 8th.

Social Studies:. Next week students will be turning in the Greek Gods Slideshow they started this week on Tuesday (3/26). They will also be placed in Greek Polis ( City-State) groups. Each group will be choosing a way to present to the class all the amazing details of their Polis group. These presentations will be after Spring Break.

On Thursday March 28th I will be explaining the Ancient Civilizations Wax Museum and the rubric. Students will be coming to class that day with a list of their "Top 15" picks. Then we will pick sticks to select who they will be for the Wax Museum. Please read the explanation below regarding the Ancient Civilization Wax Museum.

## Description of Event: ANCIENT CIVILIZATIONS WAX MUSEUM May 23, 2024

- The Ancient Civilization Wax Museum is a culminating event for 6th Grade Social Studies. The sixth grade Social Studies curriculum focuses on the study of various ancient civilizations. At the end of the year, each student researches a famous ancient Mesopotamian, Egyptian, Greek or Roman of history or Myth. They Memorize the "Four W's" (Who, What, When, Where) about the person or god(dess); and recreate him/her by dressing as the person or god(dess). They also practice mannerisms consistent with the person's or god(dess) character for a wax museum of the ancient civilizations. Then we perform in the hallways of our school. Each student has a "Button" that they create. As a museum visitor passes by they can press the button to indicate when the sixth grader can start the presentation. The Wax Museum is on May 23, 2024. Parents and relatives are all welcome to attend at one of the following times.

Please note the schedule : May 23, 2024
9:00 am - 11:00am - Students will be presenting in the hallways.
11:00-12:00 Break for Lunch and Recess
12:05-1:40-Students will be presenting in the hallways.
Religion: 6th graders will reflect on the Holy Week events. We will focus on the Last Supper. They will share their Last Supper project to their Faith Families on Holy Thursday.

Due: Last Supper project should be done by Monday, 3/25/2024

## Calendar Updates:

- Mar 22nd - Report Cards sent home via email.
- Mar 29th - Noon Dismissal
- Apr 1st-5th - Spring Break
- Apr 12th - Bingo Bash
- Apr 19th - 8th Grade Pizza Lunch
- Apr 23rd - Class Pictures

Have a wonderful weekend!
Nicole Chiodo and Tommy Williams

