Classroom Newsletter

Ms. Manal's 5th, 6th, 7th& 8th grades Language Arts & Reading Class December 7, 2018





12/5 Progress Reports sent home/Please sign & return if you have

Not done so

12/16 Fundraising Dinner-Our students will be performing...More info

to come

- Daily homework will not be posted in newsletter. Only tests, quizzes, and projects will be posted. Students are responsible for writing daily homework in their Student Planners and turning it in on time.
- **Make learning fun!** There are many websites that can help your child practice grammar concepts online. Just google any concept we work on and get practice worksheets online.
- **★** To stay on track with your child's progress during the school year, all grades will be posted on engrade.com. If you do not have a username and password, pass by Mrs. Summer's office to retrieve it
- **Your child's safety is important to us. Please be aware that if you drop your child off at school before 8 am, he/she is not being formally supervised. The school is not responsible for anything that happens before 8.**
- **★** Students should be in uniform at all times-Navy blue/light blue. If a student is not in uniform, a warning will be sent home. The student will be sent to office after 2nd violation and won't be allowed in class until a uniform is brought from home.
- Students should wear flat closed toe shoes for comfort and safety. NO HEALS. NO SANDALS/FLIP FLOPS. NO CLEATS.

look What We-Are Jearning!



• 5th-8th will be introduced to parallel structure







• Students are responsible for reading assigned chapters. If they don't, they will fall behind. Have a daily plan for reading, so as to stay on top of things.

Take home test for both groups due 12/14

5th & 6th grades: We will compare and contrast 3 informational text: "Weather That's Out of This World", "Space Settlements, & "Artist's View of a Space Colony" –We will focus on Synthesizing & Making Connections and Main Idea & Supporting Details

The Lion, the Witch, & the Wardrobe vocabulary test Tuesday,
December 11

7th& 8th grades: We will read and discuss an informational text: "A Wall of Remembrance"- We will focus on Main Ideas & Supporting Details and Summarizing.

Spelling Homework is due Friday/Spelling Tests will be on Friday also

All grades will continue using the writing process to write a Compare & Contrast essay



- > Students should have a down time "leisure" reading selection at all times.
- > Students should have their own library cards to check out books they are interested in reading or books selected by the teacher for classroom discussions.

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Email or text messages are preferred

