

This week in Social Studies

Monday, August 31st-Friday, September 4th

6th Grade

This week, students continued learning about early humans and the skills they developed to survive, including making tools, hunting, using fire, and working together. Students also created their own cave art to explore how early humans used pictures and symbols to communicate, record experiences, and express

ideas about their lives.

Coming up...

In the coming weeks, students will continue moving through their social studies curriculum while participating in engaging lessons, class discussions, and hands-on activities. Each grade will build upon what they have already learned, practice important vocabulary, and strengthen their ability to analyze historical evidence. Students will also complete homework and class assignments to review key concepts, and a test will be given at the end of each unit to assess their understanding.

7th Grade

This week, students learned how historians use primary sources, secondary sources, artifacts, and other evidence to study the past. During our hands-on archaeology activity, students searched for and uncovered hidden objects in their excavation grids. They then examined the objects, recorded their observations, and used the clues they discovered to make reasonable conclusions about the society that may have created or used them.

8th Grade

This week, students explored prehistory and learned how archaeologists and other scientists study artifacts, fossils, and remains from long ago. Students applied their knowledge during an excavation activity by carefully uncovering evidence, identifying their discoveries, and explaining what each item could reveal about early humans and their environment.

Thank You, Ms. Layan