

6th Grade Newsletter

August 29th - September 2nd

Parents and Students:

- Our latest student check-out time is 2:00 each day. After this time, we cannot call students for check-out and will ask parents to wait in the car rider lane for student dismissal.
- Parents please be aware that students will be allowed 2 emergency restroom passes per quarter in each class. They will be taken for a class restroom break during 2nd or 3rd period and allowed to go during homeroom.

Upcoming Events!

August 31, Wednesday

Carver Middle School Jr. Beta Club Meeting @ 2:30-3:15

August 30, Tuesday

Softball Away game with Morgan County, 4:30-6:30pm

August 31, Wednesday

Progress Reports for Quarter I

August 31, Wednesday

Away Football Game with Loganville Middle @ Monroe Area High School, 4:30-7pm

September 2, Friday

Home Softball game @ Monroe Area High with Winder Barrow, 4:30-6:30pm

Connections Corner

- Students are required to wear some type of athletic shoe to P.E. This can include basketball, tennis, running, cross-trainers etc. Students will not be required to fully dress out, but they will have a short 5 minutes to do so if desired. Athletic shoes are mandatory.
- Back to School Yearbook Special--\$30 until September 23rd. You can order online at www.jostensyearbooks.com or bring cash/check to Mrs. Boyce in Room 254.
- FBLA Membership Applications are available in Room 254. Dues are \$15.

Parent Portal Login Information

www.wcpsgrades.org

Username: firstname.lastname

Password: student ID

District ID: SWFPPT

Quarter I Progress Reports

Wednesday (Aug. 31st)

Challenging and Motivating students to be Successful

6th Grade Academic Announcements

Language Arts

We will start the week analyzing figurative language in poetry. We will also begin writing our argumentative essay on *The Outsiders*. Our Midterm will be on Friday, September 2nd. Our department website is www.cms6ela.weebly.com – check here for vocabulary lists and other study guides.

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Social Studies

Mr. Wheeler and Ms. Prince's social studies classes will have a quiz over culture on Wednesday, August 31, 2016. Ms. Kohler's classes will have the culture quiz on Tuesday, August 30, 2016. All social studies classes will end the week and the culture unit with a performance assessment in class.

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Math

Next week will be finishing up our mini-unit covering operations with fractions, greatest common factor, least common multiple, and distributive property. The fractions menu project is due Tuesday, August 30th and our Unit 1 Part One test is Thursday, August 31st. After the test, we will begin to focus on conversions between fractions, decimals, and percents.

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Science

A science quiz on the types of rocks will be on Thursday. We are not doing a new set of vocabulary this next week, but will be instead reviewing this last week's vocabulary in order to best prepare for the quiz on the types of rocks and how they are formed. Remember to review notes on the types of rocks, how they form, and uses of the different types of rocks in the real world nightly to keep up on the information we have covered. We will also be doing a webquest in the computer lab next week (each science teacher has a different day to go).

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