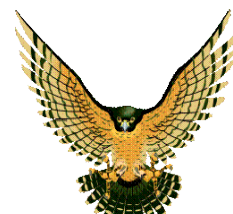


# MIDDLE SCHOOL NEWS

## SNOWY RANGE ACADEMY

**WEEK OF  
APRIL 10-14  
2017**



### MIDDLE SCHOOL NOTES

*Academic Excellence,  
Character Education, and  
Fairness for All*

Welcome to the Middle School Weekly News.

In this publication you will find a synopsis of topics your student is covering in each subject. If you wish to locate homework please log in to your student's Power School account. Should you need to contact a teacher, you may email them via email, provided below.

**Enthusiasm**

*Yankee Doodle*



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# SIXTH GRADE

## LANGUAGE ARTS

In sixth grade, the students will continue reading *The Prince and the Pauper*. We will continue writing research papers. They are tentatively due April 19 (This date has been changed). We will review proper MLA citation. There will be no spelling quiz this week, but there will be a grammar quiz on Thursday.

## SOCIAL STUDIES

This week, 6<sup>th</sup> grade students will continue practicing talking about their food preferences using *gustar*. They will also study –er and –ir verbs. On Wednesday, we will be completing a lesson in Rosetta Stone. Students will have homework (handout) due Friday. As always, please don't hesitate to email me if you should have any questions. ¡Gracias!

## SCIENCE

This week we will continue our Ocean unit. We will finish our study of Ocean habitats. Our unit test will be on Thursday. There might be homework on Tuesday.

## SPANISH 1A

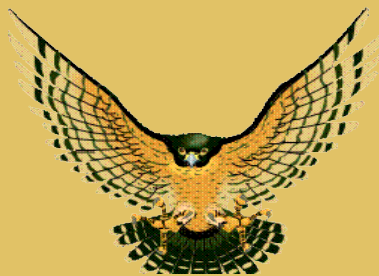
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## MATH 8/7

The Section Nine test is tentatively scheduled for Friday, April 21<sup>st</sup>. This week, students will learn about multiplying algebraic terms, using multiple unit multipliers, and solving an equation with negative coefficients. We will also discuss how to calculate the measure of interior and exterior angles in a polygon.

## PRE-ALGEBRA

Section Eight test corrections are due by Thursday, April 13<sup>th</sup>. This week, students will learn about selecting an appropriate rational number, calculating the surface area of prisms and cylinders, and calculating the volume of pyramids and cones. We will also discuss how to find the probability of dependent events.



# SEVENTH GRADE

## LANGUAGE ARTS

The seventh graders will continue reading *The Diary of a Young Girl*. The students are learning about parts of a sentence and phrases. We will have a grammar quiz Thursday. The spelling quiz will be over words selected from the text.

## SOCIAL STUDIES

This week we will be continuing our WWII unit. We will be looking at the New Deal and which program was the best. Students can expect homework on Monday and Thursday.

## SCIENCE

This week we will begin our Chemical Reactions unit. We will review what we know about chemical and physical change. We will then investigate evidence of chemical change and learn how to control the rates of chemical reactions. There will be homework on Wednesday.

## SPANISH 1B

This week, 7<sup>th</sup> grade students will study the verbs *conocer* and *saber*. They should be studying their vocabulary and the conjugations of *saber* and *conocer*. We will have homework due on Friday. As always, please don't hesitate to email me if you should have any questions. ¡Gracias!

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## ALGEBRA I

This week we will be presenting our Penny Golf projects as well as taking our Section 8 test.



# EIGHTH GRADE

## LANGUAGE ARTS

In eighth grade, we will continue reading *I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings*. We are honing our grammar skills, and there will be a quiz Thursday. There will not be a spelling quiz this week.

## SOCIAL STUDIES

This week we will be starting our unit on the Middle East and the 70s. We will be looking at geography and the creation of Israel. We will also look at some ancient history. Students can expect homework on Tuesday.

## SCIENCE

This week we will finish our Cell energy unit. We will review the process of cellular respiration and photosynthesis. Our unit test will be on Wednesday. We will then begin human nutrition by learning about the essential nutrients and beginning food journals. There will be no homework this week.

## SPANISH 2

This week, 8<sup>th</sup> grade students will practice vocabulary related to clothes and shopping in a variety of ways. We will also review irregular “yo-go” verbs. Students will have homework due on Thursday. As always, please don’t hesitate to email me if you should have any questions. ¡Gracias!

## ALGEBRA I

This week we will be presenting our Penny Golf projects as well as taking our Section 8 test.

## GEOMETRY

This week we will be presenting our Pythagorean theorem proofs as well as taking our Chapter 8 test.

