

Mrs. Sullivan's 7/8 Friday Note

April 11, 2025

Dear Families,

Monday is a Charity Day benefitting Alpha Family Center. We are collecting monetary donations to assist with their outreach of local pregnant women and young families. Please be generous.

Eighth Grade - Our raffle was a success! Another opportunity to raise funds for the 8th Grade Trip is with bottle returns. Students can ask friends and neighbors for their returnables and donate the proceeds to our cause. If you don't want to stand at the bottle machine, you can also bring in your returnables and I will take them to cash in and donate the proceeds. Our trip will be on Thursday, May 29. Plans are still being finalized, but expect your student to return to St. Charles between 9-10pm.

Our eighth graders will graduate on Friday, May 30, 2025. Mass will be held at 10am, with lunch to follow. More details to come soon.

ELA - We will be starting Unit 13 in Vocabulary on Monday. Words are on the back. Work is due on 4/22 and the test will be on 4/25. Students should have a book to read in class. We are completing work with prepositions in grammar. We are also continuing to diagram sentences and work on word roots and affixes. We are working on the art of debate, not arguing, so students will be researching articles to support their side.

Math - Simple Solutions #52 has already been assigned and should be completed. Next week students will be completing #53-56. Our next quiz will be on #49-52 on 4/25. The questions from the quiz are taken directly from the Simple Solutions book. Students should be asking for help on the ones they get wrong. Many are still struggling on the tests because they are not seeking help for the daily work they get incorrect. There is plenty of time before the test to have these questions clarified.

Math 7 - We are multiplying and dividing integers and will test next week.

Math 8 - We are exploring slope and graphing functions and will test after Easter.

Algebra - We are working with monomials and factoring.

Theology - Students are now completing Part 3 of 100 Catholic Questions (#51-75). This will be due 4/25. We continue our Chosen program materials. Students should be completing the foldable as we go through each lesson. Students should be studying the books of the New Testament, as well.

Peace,

Mrs. Sullivan

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Vocabulary - Unit 13: Work due 4/22, Test on 4/25

Grade 5/6 Vocabulary

agitation	blurt
chronological	countenance
diminish	enchant
fluctuate	foster
grovel	handicraft
hilarious	ignite
magnitude	massive
maternal	pall
reputable	revere
saga	stodgy

Grade 7/8 Vocabulary

adapt	attest
dovetail	enormity
falter	foreboding
forlorn	haughty
impediment	imperative
loiter	malinger
pithy	plunder
simper	steadfast
vaunted	vilify
waif	wry