

Mrs. Gilbertson's Class

7th and 8th Grade Room 8

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Hello Dear Families-

Your kids did amazing things this week. They worked very hard. I am extremely impressed with how flexible each of the students has been in the face of so many unexpected changes. This pandemic just will not give us a break. The kids have become professionals at adapting and adjusting. I am very proud of them. Please take a moment to compliment your son or daughter on their hard work this week.

Since we have had students shifting from in person to virtual learning off and on this week, questions may become more frequent from both parents and students. Please feel free to contact me ANYTIME by text. I will take call when I am able and answer your voicemails within 2-4 hours. My cell phone number is 616-885-2381.

Here is what to look forward to next week. Stay healthy and have a beautiful weekend.

Blessings-

-Mrs. "G"

Check Your Email:

- Registration for girls' cheer and boys' basketball for 5th-8th grades is going on now! Check your email for a message from the school with a link to register.

Reminder: Mass at 8:00 Wednesday Mornings-

Participating in the liturgy with our greater faith community first thing in the morning is such a blessing. Parents are welcome to attend Mass with us. It would be wonderful to share the experience with you. We hope to see you there.



Upcoming Events

October 18

Science 5/6 Quiz 3.1

October 19

SS8 Test Chapter 3
Interact Meeting @7:00 AM

October 21

THEO8 Test Unit 1

Important Announcement

REMEMBER;

Farm School Date Change- We will now be attending October 26th & October 27th.

**PICTURE DAY IS OCTOBER 20!!!
MAKE SURE YOU LOOK FANTASTIC!**



- **Sneak Peek:**

Coming up this week:

-Religion 7/8 – Monday: Finish Unit 1– TEST Thursday.

-English Language Arts (ELA) 7/8– Grammar focus Lessons 35 (Active Voice Verbs) - 39 (Regular Verbs). Continue work on essay contest essays: "My Personal Michigan Hero" with Editing. We are also beginning our next novel study on "*My Brother Sam is Dead*" by Christopher and James Lincoln Collier. This novel study pairs with our study of the American Revolution in social studies.

-Science 8– Continue Chapter 3: Elements and the Periodic Table

-Social Studies 8 – Finish Chapter 3: The English Colonies- Test Tuesday. We begin Chapter 4: The American Revolution on Wednesday, October 20.

Earth Science 5/6 – We began Chapter 3: Plate Tectonics on Thursday, October 14. On Monday the students will have a reading quiz over Lesson 1: Drifting Continents. This coming week we will complete Lesson 2: Seafloor Spreading and Lesson 3: The Theory of Plate Tectonics. *