

Combined Friday Note from Mrs. Sullivan and Mrs. Guest

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Dear Families,

Thank you all for being so supportive during this week of change. Your students have been wonderfully resilient.

Interact Club is sponsoring a food drive for IM3rd Kids Meal. They are collecting granola bars, Goldfish crackers, dry cereal, Chex Mix, fruit cups, and sandwich bags. The St. Charles' class with the most items will win a donut and hot chocolate treat on Tuesday!

We have school on Monday and Tuesday next week. Specials will be 5/6 Art on Monday and PE on Tuesday

ELA - Unit 6 vocabulary words are included. Vocab work will be due 12/4. The vocabulary test will be on 12/5.

Grade 5/6 - We are reading *Number the Stars*, which is a fictional account of the German occupation of Denmark during World War II. In Grammar, we are learning about adjectives. We will be practicing writing better sentences and descriptive paragraphs.

Grade 7/8 - We are reading *Treasure Island*, which is an adventure tale set in the 1700s. In Grammar, we are learning about verbs. After break, we will be focusing on our Patron Saint reports in writing to help be prepared for Confirmation.

Social Studies - Grade 5/6 is learning about the colonies. Grade 7/8 is learning about the Constitution.

Science - In Grade 5/6 Science we will be learning about the interaction of the spheres in relation to weather and climate. We will be taking a test on Tuesday. Grade 7/8 is exploring the energy flow through food webs.

Math - There will usually be a Simple Solutions page every day. We will have a quiz on Fridays.

Grade 5 - We are working with place value and multiplication.

Grade 6 - We are working with absolute value and magnitude.

Grade 7 - We are finding unit rates and proportionality.

Grade 8 - We are exploring transformations on the coordinate plane.

Algebra - We are reviewing how to solve equations by the 4 operations before we start graphing linear equations.

Peace,

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VOCABULARY

Unit 6 - Vocab Work due 12/4, Test on 12/5

5/6 Vocabulary

anonymous	browse
dupe	dynamic
eradicate	frustrate
grim	inimitable
makeshift	marginal
pending	prescribe
preview	prominent
quaint	reluctant
scrimp	snare
utmost	vengeance

7/8 Vocabulary

abashed	aloof
anguish	articulate
bask	defect
finesse	flaunt
forthright	genial
instill	ostracize
premonition	pseudonym
purge	rehabilitate
repercussion	resolute
retentive	scapegoat