

Mrs. Sullivan's 5/6 Friday Note

March 7, 2025

Dear Families,

The 8th Grade Raffle will be held March 17-21. Get your quarters ready because there are a ton of fabulous items up for grabs!

All missing work needs to be turned in before spring break. The end of the marking period is near and I have many students earning grades far lower than their potential because of missing work.

As far as I know, the Liturgy and Worship team still needs altar servers for the last two Stations of the Cross at St. Charles April 4 and April 11, starting at 7:00pm. There are 3 spots available on April 4 and room for 1 more on April 11. I would love to be able to let them know some more of our students would be willing to assist. Please let me know if your student can help out. This will count toward service hours.

ELA -Unit 11 vocabulary words are included. The test will be Monday, March 10. We will take a pause in vocab until after spring break. We have been learning how to diagram sentences. Students should be memorizing the 24 helping verbs for a quiz this week. We are working on our grammar unit on verbs. We will be finishing our class novel this week. Students will have a final project to complete before spring break.

Math - Usually we have a daily Simple Solutions Monday - Thursday from our book, with a quiz on Fridays. Many students are not completing the daily Simple Solutions in their book, and are quite far behind, which is contributing to poor quiz grades. The daily Simple Solutions book work is averaged for a weekly grade, so it is to the benefit of your student to be using their time wisely to complete the Simple Solutions of the day. 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. Our next quiz will be on Simple Solutions 33-36.

Math 7 - We are adding and subtracting positive and negative decimals and fractions, with a test this week.

Math 6 - We are working with decimal operations. We will be testing this week.

Math 5 - We have moved onto fractions. Equivalent fractions and simplifying fractions is tricky for some because they do not have their multiplication facts memorized. Continued practice with that is still needed.

Peace,

Mrs. Sullivan

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VOCABULARY

Unit 11 - Vocab Work due 3/6, Test on 3/10

5/6 Vocabulary

adequate	ajar
dialogue	emblem
gigantic	havoc
hearth	implore
infamous	innumerable
lax	mar
misdemeanor	mull
narrative	overture
pact	stalemate
vindictive	wilt

7/8 Vocabulary

appease	belated
calamitous	cite
conventional	decoy
delve	ensue
gallantry	impart
judicious	mediate
milieu	outlandish
overbearing	pert
quirk	regale
shiftless	universal