

6th Grade NEWSLETTER

December News!

We want to take a moment to wish our Sixth grade families a blessed Christmas and a healthy 2019! We hope this special holiday season brings you fun family time and peace.

Reminders: Our Christmas show is this Friday, December 14th at St. Francis Prep. All show participants are to arrive no later than 6:15 PM. Showtime is 7:00! Dress code: Green shirt, black pants, black shoes/sneakers.

Please remember that next Friday, December 21st is 12 noon dismissal. Mass is at 10:30AM.



MATH UPDATE

Please visit the Math homework page to find link and log in information for digital Math book.

In math we have started 2nd Trimester working with exponents and will continue writing and evaluating algebraic expressions. As a reminder homework is given Monday through Thursday and is not permitted to be completed in school.

Please be sure to sign and return all Math assessments. Points are deducted from homework grade when an assessment is not returned corrected and signed.

Be sure to log into Option C for student progress.

SCIENCE UPDATE

We have shifted into our next unit of study - Forces and Motion. Everyone should have a sheet of vocabulary words and definitions for which they will be held responsible come the unit test (date to be determined). For our unit project, all students have been given a "Menu". This is a list of activities ranging in point value from 10 to 30. Everyone must complete at least 100 points worth of activities. There will be plenty of time allotted during class to complete these activities, however, if you would like this work to accumulate extra credit, I will grant 20 points worth of extra credit. This Menu provides students with the option to learn about forces and motion in the modalities that best suits their learning style.

ELA & S.S.

The mystery has been solved! We have completed our class novel The Westing Game. Our next focus in ELA will be different forms of writing and their components! Students will be working on producing various writing pieces. I have also noticed a critical area that needs attention—GRAMMAR! I will be including Grammar mini-lessons into our class.

In SS we have started our study of Mesopotamia (The Fertile Crescent). We will be focusing on all of the contributions from this important time in history!

Reminder: Check the parent portal frequently. You will be able to see if your child is missing homework assignments. All homework is to be completed AT HOME, not in school!! ☺

6th Grade Birthdays

**December – Sophia Cumella
Mason Codner, Gabriella Murillo**

