

# 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Newsletter

## April 24<sup>th</sup> - 28<sup>th</sup>

### Parents and Students:

- Our latest student check-out time is 2:00 each day. After this time, we cannot call students for check-out and will ask parents to wait in the car rider lane for student dismissal.
- Parents please be aware that students will be allowed 3 emergency restroom passes per quarter in each class. They will be taken for a class restroom break during 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> period and allowed to go during homeroom.

### Upcoming Events!

April 27, Thursday Progress Reports

April 27, Thursday CMS Jr Beta Club meeting/Auditorium/2:30-3:15pm

### Parent Portal Login Information

[www.wcpsgrades.org](http://www.wcpsgrades.org)

Username: firstname.lastname

Password: student ID

District ID: SWFPPT

### Connections Corner

Students are required to wear some type of athletic shoe to P.E. This can include basketball, tennis, running, cross-trainers etc. Athletic shoes are mandatory. Students are **not** dressing out.

### YEARBOOKS ARE STILL FOR SALE!

See Mrs. Boyce in room 254 with check or cash (price is still 45\$).

You can also order online at [www.jostensyearbooks.com](http://www.jostensyearbooks.com)

### Q4 - Incentive - Activity Day

The 6<sup>th</sup> grade students can earn a reward this Quarter. At the end of the quarter, the student must be:

- Passing 3 out 4 academic classes
- No ISS or OSS
- No library or lunchroom fines
- A maximum of only one strike per teacher

# 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Academic Announcements

## Language Arts

Mrs. Melton's students should be reading their library books for their upcoming Book Talk (more info to come). We will start our literature circles for *Chicken Soup for the Teenage Soul*. We will also have a vocabulary quiz on Friday, April 28<sup>th</sup>. Check our website for updates: [www.cms6ela.weebly.com](http://www.cms6ela.weebly.com)

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## Social Studies

Mr. Wheeler's social studies classes will finish their unit on Canada and the USA. They will have a test on Friday, April 28, 2017. Ms. Prince and Ms. Kohler's classes will continue their current unit by studying Australia's geography and history.

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## Math

Next week, we will start working on material that will get us prepared for 7th grade. Testing is over for 6th grade, but it is still going on in other grades. There is still a lot of work left to do before the end of the year; the quarter is not over. There will also be some projects coming soon. Have a great week.

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## Science

Continuing Astronomy: Monday, April 24, is the date for the chapter 16 vocabulary and content quiz. We have been working with this vocab set since March 31, twenty-five calendar days prior to this quiz. We are reviewing daily in class, but students should be studying each evening at home. Go to the Study Stack link found on our Weebly pages. Mid-week we will begin working on chapter 17 concepts – stars and galaxies. A new vocabulary set will be introduced at that time (quiz date = Thurs, May 11). Go to <https://apod.nasa.gov/apod/astropix.html> for the "Astronomy Picture of the Day". Some beautiful photos; look through the archived images as well. As always check our Weebly pages for additional resources.

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