

## Ms. LaCugna's Newsletter

## Next Week's Happenings... Week of October 16th:

(Please visit the Assessments Calendar tab on my class website as changes may occur)

Monday, 10/16:

6<sup>th</sup> Grade Math (Quiz 2.1-2.3)

Wednesday, 10/18:

7<sup>th</sup> Grade Math (Quiz 3.1-3.4)

Friday, 10/20:

(PARCC problem due for all)

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This week in Algebra 1: The Algebra 1 students participated in 2 higher-level thinking activities this week. On Thursday, the students took part in a 3-Act Model where they had to come up with questions and solve inequalities and equations based on information given in a real-world application video. In the 2<sup>nd</sup> activity, the students were asked to think outside the box by filling in blanks of an inequality to make a true given statement. They were up to the challenge and did a great job!

## This week in 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Math:

The students in 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Math have been doing a great job not only performing the math, but also having conversations about the mathematical concepts. On Thursday, one student came up with a theory about division of odd numbers. The students were asked if they can find a counterexample of this. Each student came up with their own examples, and as a class the students discovered and discussed when that theory would be true. Keep up the great work7<sup>th</sup> grade!