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# A Peek at Our Week...

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## Mrs. Silvestri's ELA Grades 6-8

### Week of December 14, 2018



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### This Week in ELA Grades 6-8...

**Sixth Grade** completed our RAECT essays, analyzed poetry, critically read and analyzed nonfiction articles, and read our independent reading books. We also continued creative writing practice using our Pick-A-Prompt choice boards. We completed our assessments for Wordly Wise Lesson 5 words, and our next Word Study tests will be on Lesson 6, on Thursday, January 17th. **Poetry recitation of "A Minor Bird" by Robert Frost is due January 10th.**

**Seventh Grade** completed our RAECT essays, analyzed poetry, critically read and responded to nonfiction texts, and read our independent reading books. We also continued creative writing practice using our Pick-A-Prompt choice boards. We completed our assessments for Wordly Wise Lesson 5 words, and our next Word Study tests will be on Lesson 6, on Thursday, January 17th. **Poetry recitation of "Stopping by Woods on a Snowy Evening" by Robert Frost is due January 10th.**

**Eighth Grade** continued reading and working with the novella, *A Christmas Carol* by Charles Dickens. We also analyzed poetry, read our independent reading books, and critically read nonfiction articles on Newsela. We also finalized our personal essays and peer-edited them. We completed our assessments for Wordly Wise Lesson 5 words, and our next Word Study tests will be on Lesson 6, on Thursday, January 17th. **Poetry recitation of "Winter Trees" by William Carlos Williams is due January 9th.**

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Butch and Sundance say...

Read!

and ...  
Woof!



**Reminder...**  
Students should read every day!

### Important Information...

#### 8th Grade ELA

Read for at least 30 minutes **each day!**

Students must have an IR book with them each day.

Nightly homework will be posted on Google Classroom.

**Students should be considering Wax Museum topics!**

#### 7th Grade ELA

Read for at least 30 minutes **each day!**

Students must have an IR book with them each day.

Nightly homework will be posted on Google Classroom.

#### 6th Grade ELA

Read for at least 30 minutes **each day!**

Students must have an IR book with them each day.

Nightly homework will be posted on Google Classroom.

### Thought for December...

**"There is nothing in the world so irresistibly contagious as laughter and good humor."**

— Charles Dickens, from *A Christmas Carol*

