

2018-2019

A Peek at Our Week...

Mrs. Silvestri's ELA Grades 6-8

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Week of March 22, 2019



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This Week in ELA Grades 6-8...

Sixth Grade continued our short story, "Priscilla and the Wimps" by Richard Peck. We also completed grammar units on NoRedInk. Additionally, we completed our RST essays, and continued finalizing our poem drafts. We built our reading stamina by engaging in D.E.A.R. (Drop Everything And Read) Fridays with extended reading time. We began Wordly Wise Lesson 10 activities, and our next Word Study tests will be Thursday, March 28th.

Seventh Grade began a new class novel, *The Giver*, by Lois Lowry. We also completed grammar units on NoRedInk. Additionally, we revised our RST essays, and continued revising our poem drafts. We built our reading stamina by engaging in D.E.A.R. (Drop Everything And Read) Fridays with extended reading time. We began Wordly Wise Lesson 10 activities, and our next Word Study tests will be Thursday, March 28th.

Eighth Grade began reviewing our class novel, *The Gospel According to Larry* by Janet Tashjian, and we continued our critical analysis of it. We continued our reading and discussion of the poem, "The Road Not Taken" by Robert Frost, and we will memorize and recite it by Thursday, April 4th. We also completed grammar units on NoRedInk. Additionally, we revised our argument essays to vary our sentence structures and lengths, and we continued revising our poem drafts. We built our reading stamina by engaging in D.E.A.R. (Drop Everything And Read) Fridays with extended reading time. We continued our Wax Museum research. We began Wordly Wise Lesson 10 activities, and our next Word Study tests will be Thursday, March 28th.

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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 researching their selected 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 MARCH...

To live is the rarest thing in the world. Most people exist, that is all. --Oscar Wilde

