

Seventh Grade September 9th, 2019



Upcoming Events

We are excited for a great year of growth and learning this year! The 7th grade newsletter will be emailed home bi-weekly. It will also be posted on the website.

9/9: PIE Meeting @ 3:45pm in the library

9/16: Bike Club Begins after school from 3:45-4:30

Spirit Week:

9/16 Buddy Day

Partner read, eat lunch with a new buddy, study with a buddy, play a team game, and yeah, make more and new friends.

9/17 Favorite's Day

We want to get to know you! What is your favorite book, movie, singer, athlete, outfit, or hobby? You can dress up or you can just let people know your favorite things!

9/18 Support your Team Day

Wear a team jersey, hat, or other item and support your favorite team!

9/19 Acts of Kindness Day

What kind things can you do during the day for your classmates, a new friend, your teachers, or someone else you know?

9/20 Blue and Green Day

Fire up for Chatfield and your community! Wear your Blue and Green or Chatfield with Pride!

Curriculum Notes

ELA: Students have been rotating to 3 stations for ELA. In **Mrs. Smith's** station, students are working on grammar. In **Mrs. Logan's** station students are learning about memoirs and will be writing a memoir. Please ask your child what they are writing about, and offer details and suggestions they could include to fully develop their story. The focus is on describing an important event and the lesson they learned from it. In **Mr. Kurtz's** station students are reading *Red Scarf Girl*, a memoir about the Cultural Revolution in China. This also connects to Social Studies. Please ask your child about the characters in the story and what happened during the Cultural Revolution.

Social Studies: Students have been learning about China's history, government, and geography. They will have quizzes each week over the content learned. If they score 100% on quizzes in each section, they will be exempt from the chapter test. Another resource we will be using is Junior Scholastic and this is generally online. The student classroom code is **Sup3rman**.

Science: Students are learning that elements are the basic substances from which all common matter is made. They will conduct experiments to practice observing and recording the results of chemical reactions. They will also learn about the periodic table.

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