



Mrs. Otte's Weekly Update



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Reminders:

*THIS UPCOMING WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON WE WILL BE CLEANING THE CLASSROOM AND TAKING SUPPLIES HOME. PLEASE HAVE YOUR CHILD BRING A PAPER OR PLASTIC BAG, PLUS THEIR BACKPACK, IN ORDER TO TAKE EVERYTHING HOME. STUDENTS WILL NOT NEED TO BRING THEIR BACKPACKS ON THURSDAY! 😊

*STUDENTS MAY BE OUT OF DRESS CODE ALL WEEK. PLEASE READ OVER APPROPRIATE OUT OF DRESS CODE OUTFITS. REMEMBER THAT WEDNESDAY IS MASS DAY!

*THIS PAST WEEK STUDENTS HAD THE OPPORTUNITY TO SPEND THEIR CLASSROOM MONEY EACH DAY. ON MONDAY THEY COULD PAY \$200 FOR NO SPELLING TEST THIS WEEK AND \$150 FOR NOT HAVING TO COMPLETE THE LAST FLUENCY SHEET. ON TUESDAY THEY COULD PAY \$50 TO EAT OUTSIDE! WEDNESDAY WAS BUBBLE GUM DAY! FOR \$20 PER PIECE THEY COULD BUY BUBBLE GUM AND CHEW IT THROUGHOUT THE DAY. STUDENTS LOVE THE ROLLING CHAIRS, SO ON THURSDAY THEY COULD PAY \$150 TO SIT IN ONE FOR THE DAY. AND ON FRIDAY STUDENTS COULD PAY \$100 AND MOVE THEIR DESK TO WHEREVER THEY WANTED AROUND THE ROOM. MORE SURPRISES NEXT WEEK!

*CONGRATULATIONS TO SARA AND EMILY FOR BEING ELECTED TO STUDENT COUNCIL.

Math: STUDENTS ARE CONTINUING TO WORK ON PERCENTS OF A NUMBER AND CHANGING BETWEEN FRACTIONS, DECIMALS, AND PERCENTS. THEY WILL HAVE A FINAL QUIZ OVER THIS ON TUESDAY.

Writing: STUDENTS PRINTED OFF THEIR LITERARY ESSAYS AND THOSE WERE GRADED THIS WEEK. STUDENTS ALSO OPENED THEIR PERSUASIVE PAPER THAT THEY WROTE EARLIER IN THE YEAR AND MADE CHANGES. STUDENTS WERE ABLE TO SEE THEIR GROWTH IN WRITING IN JUST A FEW SHORT MONTHS! THESE ARE ALSO BEING GRADED AND RUBRICS WILL BE SEND HOME NEXT WEEK.

English: MENU PROJECTS ARE BEING FINISHED AND TURNED IN. STUDENTS HAD A FINAL QUIZ OVER WHO AND WHOM THIS WEEK.

Reading: STUDENTS WERE SHOCKED THAT I HANDED OUT ONE MORE NOVEL WITH ONLY 8 DAYS OF SCHOOL LEFT, BUT I KNEW THEY COULD FINISH THEM WITH NO PROBLEMS! STUDENTS ARE EXPLORING THE AUTOBIOGRAPHY, BIOGRAPHY, AND MEMOIR GENRE BY READING ONE OF FOUR BOOKS. PLEASE ASK YOUR CHILD WHAT BOOK THEY WERE GIVEN AND WHAT THEY THINK OF IT. ALL BOOKS RELATE TO GLOBAL ISSUES AS WE ARE INCORPORATING OUR LAST SOCIAL STUDIES UNIT INTO OUR LAST READING UNIT!

Religion: THERE WILL BE A 10 COMMANDMENTS TEST ON TUESDAY. STUDENTS WILL NEED TO BE ABLE TO WRITE THEM IN ORDER AND EXPLAIN WHAT THEY MEAN.

*I will be inputting grades up until Wednesday morning! Please continue to stress to students to keep giving their full effort on classroom assignments.

Dates to Remember

JUNE 9
JUNE 11

MOVE UP DAY
LAST DAY OF SCHOOL! AWARDS!