

Spencer County Middle School

Oct. 3-7

7th Grade Weekly Update

TEAM/SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS

- DISTINGUISHED KPrep Scores—Once again, SCMS received a Distinguished rating on 2016 KPrep test. We are proud of our students in so many ways and this is just one small, but highly publicized way of showing everyone that SCMS is truly a great school!
- Grizzlies Beyond the Bell—If you are interested in enrolling your child in GBB, see Karen Leff (<u>Karen.leff@spencer.kyschools.us</u>)
- The nine weeks ends this Thursday 10/6. All grades will be posted by Tuesday, Oct. 11. Report cards will go home next week.

MRS. GROSS' MATH CLASS

- ♦ Learning Target this week: I can multiply & divide rational numbers.
- ♦ Homework # 7 (All review over ratios/proportions/percents)
- ♦ Vocabulary Quiz THIS Wednesday, Oct. 5—Students received study guide last Tuesday; Online study—https://quizlet.com/fwpks (Quiz is multiple choice—definitions and words, just like what is found on the quizlet website.)
- ♦ **Monday**—Homework Sheet #7 Given; Lesson 4: Multiply & Divide Integers (p. 24-33)
- ♦ **Tuesday**—Check HW, Finish Lesson 4 (p. 24-34)
- ♦ **Wednesday**—Check HW, Numbers Vocabulary Quiz, Multiplying & Dividing Rational Numbers Kahoot (online activity)
- ♦ **Thursday** —Check HW, Fantasy Football Activity
- ♦ Friday— Homework Due, Fantasy Football Activity
- Class website: (http://spencermath7.weebly.com/ numbersoperations.html)



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SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST

- Math— HW #7 Due Friday
- Math -Vocab Quiz Wed.
- Science- HW Due Friday
- Social Studies— ILA #7 Due Wednesday
- Social Studies—Vocab Quiz Wed.
- ELA—Self-Paced Learning Due Tuesday

MISS E.MAC'S SCIENCE CLASS



This week in Science class we will be beginning our new unit on Energy.

Monday- Students had the opportunity to finish their test from Friday. Students also received a homework assignment practicing calculating percent change. This assignment is due on Friday.

Tuesday- Students will begin learning about the concept of Heat.

Wednesday & Thursday- Students will learn about three types of thermal energy transfer.

Friday- Students need to turn in their HW assignment. Students will choose their groups for their engineering project next week & develop a plan.

"Do not let what you cannot do interfere with what you can do."
- John Wooden

MISS AMAC'S SOCIAL STUDIES CLASS

This week in Social Studies we will be continuing our unit on Ancient Egypt. This week we will be working on ILA #7 and will have our vocabulary quiz on Wednesday. We will be focusing on Government, History, & Social Structure in Ancient Egypt. Check out resources @ http://scmshistory7.weebly.com/-ancient-egypt.html

The week ahead:

Monday: Government of Ancient Egypt

Tuesday: Pharaohs

Wednesday: ILA #7 Due, Egypt Vocabulary Quiz

Thursday: Social Pyramid of Ancient Egypt

Friday: Social Pyramid of Ancient Egypt



Don't forget to sign up for my text reminders: text @amacss to 81010



MRS. JACOBSON'S LANGUAGE ARTS

This week in ELA, we will finish this quarter's Self Paced Learning work & begin our Informative unit.

Monday: Brain Strain Day #1 this week. Students will have the opportunity to work in their journals or take tests if still necessary.

Tuesday: Brain Strain Day #2 this week. I am giving students an extra Brain Strain Day in case any students have not paced themselves to meet their obligations well, & would not be able to complete the work Tuesday alone. This will be the only time this year that I will give students an extra day at the end of the 9 weeks to catch up on missing Self Paced Learning work. All SPL work- including assessments- is due by the end of the day Tuesday (10/4).

Wednesday- Friday: we will have a variety of activities related to informational reading. We will also make preparations for a special guest we will be hosting next Monday!

Congrats on being part of a DISTINGUISHED school family! Have a great week!

Stay Connected!

Class Websites:

<u>Language Arts— http://www.spencer.kyschools.us/olc/teacher.aspx?s=132</u>

Math—http://spencermath7.weebly.com/

Social Studies – http://macclass.weebly.com/

Science—http://scmsscience.weebly.com/

READING/ LEADERSHIP CLASS

Reading:

We will determine a theme in a text and analyze its development.

- Monday— Determine the Theme of Children's books
- Tuesday—Suicide
 Prevention Lesson &
 Continue working
 with theme
- Thursday— "Doris Duke: Poor Little Rich Girl"
- Friday— ERQ: "Doris Duke" Determine the theme and explain how the character's actions help develop the theme.

Leadership:

On Wednesday, students will hear presentations on Habit 3: Put First Things First from Mrs. Fugate's 5th period classes.