



# Middle School Update

**Friday, June 15<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

It is now the last week of the school year and on behalf of all the teachers, I would like to say a huge thank you for a great year. It's been so busy that the year has flown by. With trips, assignments, projects and tests, the students have shown great progress and growth. Thank you for a fantastic year and I hope everyone has a wonderful summer!

Remember that next Wednesday is our last day. Make sure to start cleaning out your lockers on Monday and bring bags to do so. Wednesday is also Sports day and everyone may come out of uniform in athletic clothing. Make sure to bring lots of sunscreen and wear weather appropriate clothing. Thursday is our closing ceremonies. Please be in your homeroom for 12:30pm, dressed in Number One uniform.

## **English**

The Grade Six students completed their Stage 7 English Progression Test Papers, and they are commended on their excellent effort and poise. They truly are a wonderful group of unique and hard-working individuals! To end the school year, they have been completing some workbook activities to fine-tune what they've learned.

The Grade Seven and Eight classes worked on a creative writing piece and finished their Progression tests. Great work this year everyone!

## **Social Studies**

The Grade Six students researched great inventions and innovative technologies that began during then industrial revolution.

The Grade Seven and Eight students took time to reflect of what they learned this year by reviewing their Fun with Flags project. They discussed the pros and cons of their made up country. On Monday we will decide the winner of the project with a battle for world domination- or Dennisterra Dodgeball.

## **Math**

In Grade Six Math, students finished their progression tests. They will be finishing up the course next week with Probability.

This week the Grade Seven students wrote their Math Progression Tests.

The Grade Eight students finished their progression tests. They will be finishing up the course next week with Probability.

### **Science**

The Grade Six students finished their progression tests. They will be finishing up the course the next week with Cells and Organelles.

The Grade Seven students finished their progression tests. They will be finishing up the course the next week with the systems within the body

The Grade Eight students finished their progression tests. They will be finishing up the course the next week with Adaptation of Organisms to their environment.

### **Health and Physical Education**

This week the students in Middle school started their Strategy and Game Concepts Unit. This unit will cover games such as soccer baseball (kickball), capture the flag and navy seals. This unit will continue next week.

### **Visual Art**

The Grade Six students are completing their Animal or Portrait of a Person Collages in colourful construction paper and newsprint.

The Grade Seven and Grade Eight students are completing their Portrait of a Iconic Person Collages in colourful construction paper, newsprint and mixed media.

### **French**

The Grade Six did an amazing job presenting their work about 'Mes prochaines Vacances!. Students and I enjoyed learning about and virtually visiting all these fascinating French speaking countries.

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**Students are expected to work on the Rosetta Stone programme for at least ten minutes a day every day.**

### **Music**

Our Spring Arts Night on Thursday was a huge success! The students played beautifully, and made Ms. Evans-Stocks very proud.

\*Please make sure that any instruments or bows borrowed from Fieldstone are returned to the music room by **Wednesday June 20<sup>th</sup>**.

### **Middle School Homework Sites**

[Grade 6 FDS Homework Site](#)

[Grade 7 FDS Homework Site](#)

[Grade 8 FDS Homework Site](#)

## WHAT'S HAPPENING IN GRADE SIX?

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		Sports Day Athletic Wear  Last Day of Classes	<b>Closing Ceremonies 1 PM</b>	PD Day No Classes

## WHAT'S HAPPENING IN GRADE SEVEN?

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		Sports Day Athletic Wear  Last Day of Classes	<b>Closing Ceremonies 1 PM</b>	PD Day No Classes

## WHAT'S HAPPENING IN GRADE EIGHT?

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Grad Trip to Canada's Wonderland	Sports Day Athletic Wear  Last Day of Classes	<b>Closing Ceremonies 1 PM</b>	PD Day No Classes

### ATHLETIC ANNOUNCEMENT

- Upcoming Spring Sports

**IMPORTANT SCHOOL-WIDE ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

<b>UPCOMING SIGNIFICANT DATES</b>	
<b>Grade 8 Graduation/Last Day of Classes</b>	<i>Wednesday, June 20<sup>th</sup></i>
<b>Awards Ceremony – Afternoon</b>	<i>Thursday, June 21<sup>st</sup></i>