7TH GRADE NEWS & INFORMATION

10/14/19 - 10/18/19

Key Weekly Objectives

Each week we will highlight key objectives covered in seventh grade during the week.

Literature: To trace the themes of identity/belonging, social classes, and family in *The Outsiders* by S.E. Hinton.

Religion: To understand the importance of gratitude as expressed in the Biblical story of Jesus healing the ten lepers

Math: To identify appropriate metric measures; to convert metric units

Science: To understand how understanding one aspect of an environment can create a chain of events that affects many other parts of an environment.

CLASS UPDATES

SUCCESSES: The students showed maturity at their conferences and we able to articulate how they want to achieve their goals going forward. They also did a great job with their spirit cheer this morning.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR GROWTH: During literature and religion we have a lot of group discussions. More students need to actively engage by participating to share their ideas while respectfully listening to others' ideas.

If you have any questions, the best way to reach me is by email. marybethl@mountcarmelschool.net

Lunch Duty: Please signup for lunch duty. Use the following link https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C084BACAC28A2FF2-october

Teacher In-Service: There is no school on Monday because the teachers will be attending curriculum training

Mother/Son Game Night: Help is needed for the Mother Son Game Night on Sunday 10/27. In order to benefit from the Outdoor School and CIMI scholarships, your family must help one of the fundraising events (Halloween Lunch, Father-Daughter Dance, Mother-Son Game Night). Sign-ups are initially

for just 6th and 7th grade families, but will be opened to the entire school next Wednesday, so sign-up soon! https://tinyurl.com/olmcs-mother-son

Lancer Folders: Please make sure that you sign the back of the Lancer folder before you return it each Monday to verify that you have seen the graded work in the folder. In the folder this week you may find free dress passes from the auction donations. It is on a small slip of paper so check the folder carefully.

Gradelink: We encourage families to check gradelink regularly.

First Trimester Community Service Requirement: The Pre-Approval form was due Tuesday, October 1, and the hours and the write up are due Tuesday, November 12, but they may be turned in early. The forms are available to download on the class website.

Book Club! – Time for a graphic novel!

We had a great first book club for the year. Our October book club selection is Guts by Raina Telgemeier. In this autobiographical graphic novel the author deals with issues of friendship and anxiety. Goodreads.com describes it as "a thoughtful, charming, and funny story about growing up and gathering the courage to face... and conquer – her fears." Book club will be on Monday October 28th and, we are looking for a host. If you can host please contact Miss Lee or Miss Kim. See the attached flyer.

Weekend Homework & Up Coming Tests & Projects:

- Reader's Notebook The first Reader's Notebook Response will be due on Thursday and every Thursday for the rest of the year. It must be on a Google doc and turned in to the Google classroom.
- Religion: Finish/Print the 10 Lepers Story

MONDAY – No School
TUESDAY – P.E. –
WEDNESDAY – Mass THURSDAY – P.E. –
FRIDAY – Spirit Shirt Day
Have a great weekend! - Miss Lee