### CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR WILDCATS OF THE WEEK!

These students were chosen for the teacher's class listed to the sides of their names. These students were chosen based on individual performances in each classroom. We are so proud of them!



Mrs. Andrews	Delilah Miller
Mr. Baus (Science)	Alonna Brown
Mrs. Christian (Math)	Daniella Williams
Mr. Edwards (Reading)	Uriah James (7th)
Mrs. Jump (Math)	Laila Fairley
Mrs. Justice (ELA)	Tania Joseph
Mrs. McBride (ELA)	Daniella Williams



- All library books are due this week.
- All 6<sup>th</sup> grade textbooks are due by May 16<sup>th</sup>.

I suggest your student begin bringing in their textbooks one a day and turning them in to their homeroom teacher. This will prevent your student bringing in all 4 heavy books at once.

If your student has lost their textbooks, please let Ms. McDowell know. She will need get you the replacement cost of the textbook.

If you have any questions, please let us know.

# **Academic Awareness**

# What is my kid doing in class this week?

## **Math**

Mrs. Jump's and Mrs. Christian's class: Upcoming Assessments/Due Dates and Close Dates

Assessment	Location of Assessment	Due Date / Close Date	Assessment Information
Formative 25	In Illuminate:  HCS_21-22_Math Grade 6_Formative 25	Due: 5/6 Close: 5/8 @ Midnight	We completed Formative 25 as our problem of the day this week. We completed these together. Every student should have a 100 on their formative, if your student completed their work with class.  Formatives Completed as a class together will NOT be reopened for corrections.
Formative 26	In Illuminate:  HCS_21-22_Math Grade 6_Formative 25	Due: 5/6 Close: 5/22 @ Midnight	The students had Friday % to complete the quiz.
Unit 7 Performance Task	Completed on Paper	Due: 5/11	The students will have 2 days to complete the Task in class. Monday and Tuesday.
Unit 7 Test	In Illuminate:  HCS_21-22_Math Grade 6_Unit 7 test	Due: 5/13 Close: 5/22 @ Midnight	The students will have Thursday and Friday to complete the test and to make corrections. The students will only have 1 week of corrections/completion time before the window closes.

**Next week:** We will complete the Unit 7 Performance Task (Mon/Tues), study guide (Wed) and Test this week (Thurs/Fri).

### All Students need a Basic Calculator.

## **Social Studies**

#### Ms. Andrews:

We have concluded our Australian Economy Unit. We will start our personal finance unit this week. Be on the look out for information about final exams coming up as well as study guides. Have a great weekend!

\*\*\*ATTENTION PARENTS AND STUDENTS-IF YOU ARE IN CLASS FOR CLASSWORK ASSIGNMENTS, I WILL NO LONGER ACCEPT THEM LATE. IF STUDENTS HAVE TWO DAYS IN CLASS TO WORK ON AN ASSIGNMENT, THEY WILL HAVE 2 MORE DAYS TO WORK ON IT AT HOME BEFORE I GRADE IT. WHEN I GRADE IT, I WILL ONLY GRADE IT THAT ONE TIME. OF COURSE, IF YOU ARE NOT IN SCHOOL, I WILL WORK WITH YOU ON THE MAKE UP WORK. THERE ARE TOO MANY KIDS JUST NOT WORKING IN CLASS. I AM SPENDING A LOT OF TIME ON LATE WORK WHEN I SHOULD NOT HAVE TO. \*\*\*

## **Science**

#### Mr. Baus

We took our Unit 2 test today. Students may still be working on it. They can work on finishing the test over the weekend. On Monday we begin Unit 3. This unit will be over water and the role it plays in our world.

Assignments will be posted on Google Classroom for any missing students. If you have any questions about grades or assignments please let me know so we can set up a plan to make up or correct any work.

## **English**

#### Ms. Justice's and Ms. McBride's class:

Next week, We will continue with our novel study, "Freak the Mighty." Students will be completing several activities that align with the text.

All assignments will be posted in google classroom. Students are encouraged to use the google slides if they did not understand something in class or if they are absent. Students need to be continually checking Infinite Campus for missing assignments.

\*\* Please encourage your child to read at least 15 minutes a day. This is such an important skill and will be so beneficial for your student.

## Reading Support/System 44/Read 180 (Edwards)

- **Reading Inventory & Phonics Inventory**-Students finished up the reading inventory on Friday, 5/6 The Lexile range for 6th grade is from 925 to 1070L, and the range for 7th grade is from 970 to 1120L.
- $\bullet$  **Exams**-Students will take the End-of-Workshop Assessment for the Final Exam during the week of 5/9-5/13.
- Missing Work-Students have been given time in class everyday to complete missing work.
- If you have any questions, please contact me at <a href="mailto:eric.edwards@henry.k12.ga.us">eric.edwards@henry.k12.ga.us</a>

#### BEHAVIOR CONCERNS

### 1) Charged Chromebooks

We are having increasing issues with students coming to school without their Chromebooks charged and ready for class.

Most classrooms were provided with 2 chargers but those are starting to fail or disappear.

Even though some students are bringing their own chargers to school we have very limited outlets.

If a student's Chromebook is not charged for class, they will receive a step if they are not able to complete their assignment for the day.

If your student has lost their charger you will need to replace their charger. The link for My School Bucks is provided.

If your student's charger is no longer working, you can return it to the school for a

### replacement.

**Chromebook Power Cord - Purchase Here.** 

• With this link they will have to have or create a My School Bucks acct.

### 2) Playing Games/ Off Task

We are having an increasing number of students playing games or searching online during class. We have sent numerous screen shots from Go Guardian to parents this week. Students have been warned and warned.

(This is a huge contributing factor to the computers needing to be charged.)
Beginning Monday, students on gaming sites or on a site other than their assignment will receive a step for being off task.

### 3) Unauthorized /Unassigned Seat

We are required to maintain a seating chart for administration for numerous reasons but mainly for contact tracing. We also use seating charts for attendance purposes. A small handful of students do not understand the necessity of a seating chart and move around constantly.

Students not sitting in their seat will be given a step.

### 4) INSUBORDINATION

Students will receive steps for not doing what is asked when it comes to following school rules and procedures.

5) Students have been bringing rubber bands to school. These are usually the ones kids use to create jewelry. However, they are being used to pop other students with, and they are being left on the classroom floors. These are not allowed at school. Students who do pop other students with them, will receive a referral to the office.

If you have any questions, please let us know.



Congratulations to our Student of the Month and our Citizen of the Month!

**Alonna Brown and Konsuela Harris** 

Chrome book assistance If students are having issues with their devices, please go to the Google Form that is located on LGMS website. As you scroll down, you'll see a box on the right-hand side that says.... What to do if your child has a Technology Issue? Click on the box and that will take you to the Google Form. When you fill out the form please provide a phone number where Ms. Martin can contact you. Parents will be allowed to bring in or pick-up Chromebooks for repair etc. by appointment only on Mondays and Thursdays only from 9:00am-11:45am. If you need to order replacement carrying cases due to damages such as broken zippers, handles etc. you can also include that on the Google Form. For lost power adapters parents are to place orders using their MYSCHOOL BUCKS account. For more information/assistance contact Ms. Bishop: april.bishop@henry.k12.ga.us

Need a new charger for your Chromebook? Please email Ms. Bishop: april.bishop@henry.k12.ga.us for further assistance.

#### **Daily Schedule:**

8:15-8:55 Homeroom 8:55-9:50 1st period 9:55-10:50 2nd period 11:00-11:35 Lunch with 3rd period 11:40-12:30-3rd period 12:35-1:30-4th period 1:35-2:30-5th period 2:35-3:55-6th period

## **Team Announcements**

- If your child is absent, please send their excuse note to <u>LGMattendance@henry.k12.ga.us</u> be sure to include your child's first & last name in the email
- Check Infinite Campus to be sure your child is completing their assignments. If an assignment is flagged as "missing", Infinite Campus will calculate it as a o. If it is flagged as late or incomplete, please have them complete the work.
- Yearbooks are currently on sale for \$50. Please consider purchasing a yearbook so that your child will have memories from the 6th grade year. The way to purchase a yearbook is through <a href="www.jostens.com">www.jostens.com</a>. Please let Mrs. Justice know if you have any questions.

#### **Dress Code**

We continue to speak to students about dress code.

The main violations we are seeing include:

- Shorts and skirts too short above fingertip length.
- Ripped jeans with the rips above fingertip length.
- Cropped tops Students are not permitted to show their midriff.
- Spaghetti straps Straps and tops must be three fingers wide.
- Hats Hoodies Head coverings
- Leggings

SY21-22 Henry County Handbook Please Review pages 57 & 58 of the handbook.

If you have any questions, please contact us.