

McCloskey Advisory Newsletter

January 22, 2019

The past few weeks have been really busy weeks of teaching and learning. This week we are beginning our 3rd week of Literature Exploration. In math this week, kids worked to apply their knowledge of statistics and probability to a carnival game. Here are more details from this week:

- Students designed, built, ran carnival games for tomorrow's visit from the CSA Explorers. During the carnival students will be tasked with collecting surveys from each participant. On Thursday students will work to analyze the data that they collected. This is always such a special day for our students. 😊
- Yesterday students selected cabin and walking groups for camp, which is approaching quickly. 😊
- The Science Unit Test is fast approaching, I have sent home both blank and filled out study guides in order to make sure students have what they need to prepare. We had planned on testing the day before going to camp, and still might, but we are going to try to test a day earlier in order to allow finish up/ re-teaching/ and mastery. We are still working on the schedule.

THIRD YEAR PRESENTATIONS

Please assist me in encouraging your child to adhere to designated due dates. Staying on schedule will help to ensure that the work is done in manageable pieces which will minimize their stress. Additionally due dates are an important part of life in high school and in adulthood. Learning how to navigate with deadlines is an important skill for them to develop as they prepare for high school. I have attached a copy of the requirements to the email.

WEEBLY

Please visit www.cspams.weebly.com on a regular basis for calendars and assignment links for your child's classes, especially in the event of absences.

RE-ENROLLMENT

It's reenrollment time! Please make sure that you take the time to fill out and turn in your child's reenrollment form to secure a place for them for our next school year. These forms were due on January 18th, but if you still have not secured your child's place for next year, no worries. Just get your reenrollment form to Mrs. Krettlin in the front office as soon as possible.

CAMP

Winter has arrived just in time for camp! We are starting to get really excited about winter camp, which is coming up next week. Please pay careful attention to the weather report

leading into camp week in order to ensure that your child packs appropriately. They will be outside for several hours at a time, so extra socks, gloves, and boots are going to be a necessity.

For students who are not attending camp, there will be teachers at school prepared to teach a traditional school schedule.

IMPORTANT DATES

January 25th

Science Culminating Event: **for current science students such as us in the McCloskey Advisory (11:00)**

Camp Placement

January 30th-February 1st

Winter Camp

Tuesday, February 5th

Midterm Reports Go Home

Have a great day!



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