



News from the Top Dawg!  
January 5, 2024

**Math:**

We will continue solving systems of linear equations by substitution and elimination. Weather permitting, we will have a quiz next week. Remember that I told you that you need to practice!!!

**ELA:**

We will continue the novel, *Roll of Thunder Hear My Cry*. We will be learning about the characters including their physical and personality traits.

**Dawg Schedule:**

- 01-12 AR Quiz-FIC DUE by 8:25
- 01-12 AR NON-FIC DUE BY 8:25
- 01-15 NO SCHOOL Martin Luther King Jr. Day
- 01-18 History Test
- 01-19 Science Test
- 01-22 Bookmobile
- 01-25 CHS Tour
- 02-05 Bookmobile
- 02-09 AR (2) NON-FIC DUE BY 8:25
- 02-09 Progress Reports Send Home
- 02-14 Valentine's Party 2:30
- 02-19 NO SCHOOL
- 02-29 Snow Creek Ski Field Trip
- 03-01 SHS Tour
- 03-04 Bookmobile
- 03-06 AR (2) NON-FIC DUE BY 8:25
- 03-08 End of 3rd Quarter, Early Out, PD Day
- 03-08 Grade Cards Send Home
- 03-11 LHS Tour
- 03-14 PI DAY!
- 03-18 Bookmobile
- 03-20 Culver's Night 5-8
- 03-25-29 NO SCHOOL-Spring Break
- 04-01 School Resumes
- 04-01 Bookmobile
- 04-11 AR (2) NON-FIC DUE BY 8:25
- 04-12 Progress Reports Send Home
- 04-15 Bookmobile
- 04-19 EO PD day.
- 04-22 - 5-3 MAP TESTING WINDOW
- 05-06-05-10 EOC TESTING WINDOW
- 04-29 Bookmobile
- 05-03 Reading Circle Due
- 05-05 Possible EO PD day
- 05-06 Bookmobile
- 05-16 Possible Last Day

**American History:**

No school Monday! Happy Martin Luther King, Jr. Day! We will spend Tuesday on Martin Luther King, Jr.'s vision for our country and our world. We will then continue on with Ch. 9 (Jefferson's Presidency) with our test on Thursday, Jan. 18th.

You will need to sing/recite the first verse of our national anthem "The Star Spangled Banner" to me sometime before January 19th.

**Science:**

Students will wrap up our Light Waves study by investigating light waves within our atmosphere and analyzing evidence. Our unit test will be on Friday, the 19th!

**EPIC CLASS CODE:  
wia9240**

**Please be reading for your 2 nonfiction ARs that will be due on February 9th. Get these books checked out, read twice, and take the quiz over each one!**



**Parents, Please Note:**

**High School Tours:**

CHS-January 25th (10-11)  
SHS-March 1st (9-10)

LHS-March 11th (9-10)

**Valentine Party: Monday, February 14th, 2:30 PM**

- ★ Take home treats: Ms. Shuster
- ★ Party treats: Ms. Anderson
- ★ Cups/plates/napkins: Ms. Silcott
- ★ Run the party: Ms. Worley

Students may bring juice/soda on Fridays if they have not had any lates, IA, or referrals to the office. They may enjoy these in my room after lunch.

**Concerning homework:**

**"If you don't have time to do it right the first time, when do you have time to do it again?"**

-John Wooden, Hall of Fame BB player/coach

- 05-16 Grade Cards Sent Home