

# Mrs. Snyder's Class Newsletter

DEAR PARENTS AND GUARDIANS,

HAPPY WEEK 3! PLEASE KEEP AN EYE OUT FOR THIS NEWSLETTER, IT'LL COME OUT EVERY MONDAY. YOU WILL RECEIVE A HARD COPY FROM YOUR CHILD, AND CAN FIND A DIGITAL COPY ON MRSSNYDERSCLASS.COM.

THIS WEEK, WE WILL CONTINUE TO FOCUS ON ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES. WE WILL BE COMPLETING OUR PERSUASIVE, INFORMATIVE LETTERS THIS WEEK. WE ARE CONTINUING TO WORK ON OUR STRONG THESIS STATEMENTS. NEW CORE BOOKS HAVE BEEN ASSIGNED. DIGITAL COPIES OF CALENDARS ARE POSTED ON MRSSNYDERSCLASS.COM THROUGH APRIL. :) THE "MATCHBOOK" BOOK REPORT WAS ASSIGNED TODAY. ALL PIECES OF THE PROJECT HAVE BEEN DISTRIBUTED IN THE MANILA FOLDERS NEEDED FOR THE BOOK. OUR EARTH FORCES PROJECT WILL BE DUE ON DECEMBER 21ST. WE HAVE DISCUSSED DIFFERENT TYPES OF FORCES AND THEIR INFLUENCE ON THE EARTH IN CLASS. MOST OF THIS PROJECT WILL HOWEVER BE COMPLETED AT HOME. I CAN'T WAIT TO SEE WHAT CREATIVE DIORAMAS OUR STUDENTS COME UP WITH!

MOST STUDENTS WILL BE WORKING ON WRAPPING UP AND EDITING THEIR WRITING AT HOME. IN ORDER TO ACCESS THEIR WORK, THEY NEED TO LOGIN TO GOOGLE CLASSROOM. IF THEY ARE LOGGING IN AT HOME, THEY NEED TO USE THEIR STUDENT LOGIN INFORMATION. THAT INFORMATION IS THEIR STUDENT ID NUMBER FOLLOWED BY @MCPSMD.NET AND THEIR PASSWORD.

PLEASE MAKE SURE THAT YOU ARE CHECKING IN WITH YOUR CHILD AND ASKING TO SEE THEIR AGENDA AND TAKE HOME FOLDER EVERY EVENING. WE COMPLETE THE AGENDA TOGETHER. THEY SHOULD HAVE THE SAME THING WRITTEN DOWN THAT I WRITE ON THE BOARD. WE WILL BE WORKING QUITE A BIT ON ORGANIZATION THIS YEAR, AND REGULAR HOME-SCHOOL COMMUNICATION IS IMPORTANT.

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## Reminders!

- December 3<sup>rd</sup> –Swimming Unit Starts
- December 7<sup>th</sup> –Spelling Test/ Work due.
- December 20<sup>th</sup> –TKPK Library
- December 21<sup>st</sup> –Matchbook Book Report Due!
- December 21<sup>st</sup> –Science Project Due





# Due Dates and Additional Class Information

## To Do/Due this week:

### Literacy:

- Morning Work (Daily Language Practice)
- Portfolio Item: "Is the Weather getting Worse?" (Monday)
- Comparing Themes across Texts (Tuesday)
- Mood and Tone Comparison (Tuesday)
- Portfolio Item: On Demand: Animal Research (Wednesday)
- Red Bookmark + Reading (Due Thursday)
- Mastery Check 3 (Friday)
- Reading/Language HW Packet (Due Friday)
- In Class Eco Column Poster (Due Friday)
  
- Spelling #6 Assignments A, D, G due 12/07/18
- Portfolio Item: Persuasive letter due 12/07/18
- Book Report due 12/21/18
- Forces Project due 12/21/18

**\*These Assignments are mostly in Class. Assignments that are not completed in class will come home for homework.**

WE WILL HOLD A STUDY HALL THIS WEEK ON **Wednesday, December 5th** FROM 4-5 PM. STUDENTS MAY COME AND WORK INDEPENDENTLY. I WILL BE THERE TO ANSWER QUESTIONS AND TO GUIDE STUDENTS. STUDENTS MUST HAVE WRITTEN PERMISSION (EMAIL IS FINE) TO ATTEND AND MUST BE PICKED UP/HAVE A WAY HOME BY 5PM.