

# Sixth Grade Newsletter Week of 9/21-9/25

**Mathematics** 

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#### HOMEWORK FOR THE WEEK

#### Module 1

Mon: Lesson 3 Tue: Lesson 4 Wed: Lesson 5
Thur: Lesson 6 Fri: Lesson 7

#### This Week

We continue our study over ratios. We'll be mastering our ability to use tape diagrams to solve for equivalent ratios. Tape Diagrams are new to many students, but is a great tool to visually understand what is occurring conceptually, not just numerically. Even though there are other ways to find equivalent ratios, which we will also learn, it is a part of our state standards to master Tape Diagrams.

# HEADLINE NEWS!!!

## **Upcoming Important Dates**

9/24 Picture Day

9/24 6th Grade Parent Meeting @ 6pm

9/24 Open House K-6 @ 6:30

#### **Missing Assignment Reports**

Missing Assignment Reports are passed out every Wednesday. **Study Hall** during lunch is available when student requests a specific day to meet with the teacher.

# Language Arts/Writing

### **Collections book Theme: Facing Fear**

- 1. Complete the reading of The Ravine.
- 2. Analyze the Text, pg. 14, #1-6, Due 9-21-15
- 3. Start reading The Jumping Tree, pgs.3-16
- 4. Close Read Notes, 1-6, & Short Response
- 5. Grammar Notes: Lesson 1, Fragments

#### Mrs. Kay's Homeroom:

ABC Writing Project: Descriptive Sentences and final google.slide show is Due 9-26-15.

As a class, we have set a weekly goal that each student will read an average of 150 minutes per week outside of school. Students will log their reading minutes in **Learn2earn** every Monday.

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## Social Studies / Science

BIG IDEAS: United States and Canada Regions

This week we will finish our geography review on maps, landforms and lines of longitude and latitude. Towards the end of the week, will be starting a short unit on regions of the United States and Canada. Students will be assigned a region to research. These projects will be due Friday, October 2.

United States and Canada Regions

- · Canadian Shield
- Rocky Mountains
- Appalachian Mountains
- Atlantic Coastal Plain
- Great Plains

HOMEWORK: Maps & Globes/ 5-Themes Review- due Wed. 9/23

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