



8th Grade Friday Newsletter November 25, 2017

Islamic studies, Qur'an & Arabic

Dear Families Assalamu-alaikum,

We continued our discussion in unit B about the Hour and its major signs. We wrapped up the unit and started with unit D about Hayaa; its importance, significance, and types in Islam & misuses.

The quiz that the students took was corrected and given back so the students can share with parents, discuss, and sign for two more points of extra credit.

Written instructions and rubrics for the Islamic multicultural fair project were discussed and handed to the students. It is due on December 18 and the presentation is on December 21.

As for Arabic Class, we continued our activities in the unit: read the rest of the unit and explained the meaning after discussing the vocabulary words in the list, entered those words in the personal dictionaries, worked on the workbook and discussed some grammar rules related and practiced them with some examples, and constructed complete and meaningful sentences from the new vocabulary words.

Have a nice long weekend! And if you have any questions or concerns please don't hesitate to contact me at khatib@school.lansingislam.com

Or call me at school (517) 332-3700

Sincerely,

R.Khatib

Arabic Language Arts:-

Dear Parents,
Assalam Alykum

We covered the following material during the past two weeks:-

Started unit 4 (Where do you live) we practiced reading lesson 4 dialogues for accuracy and fluency. We solved oral and written questions for this lesson from the workbook and learned new vocabulary words related to this lesson.

Upcoming test will be on Thursday 11/30/2017, the study guide was sent home with the students.

If you have any questions or concerns email me at alqadi@school.lansingislam.com.

Regards,

Feryal Al qadi

Arabic language: Intermediate level

During the past two weeks, we had vocabulary quiz, spelling test, learned and applied the grammatical rule for "the part of the speech and the prepositions". We finished all the workbook exercises and reviewed the materials for lesson 2 "الإستئذان آداب". We wrapped up the week with a test. We will start the third lesson "الجرّاح بن عامر عبّيده أبو" next week insha Allah.

Have a nice long weekend:)

Respectfully,
Sawsan Mahmoud
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Language Arts

Eighth graders continue with their study of poetry by reading, discussing and writing. They have also learned a lot about various literary devices and kinds of poems. They also completed their hero essays. They now need to be ready to submit the poetry projects.

Math:

Students are continuing to work on Chapter 3. We are spending extra time to make sure students fully understand how to find slope, the different equation forms, and how to graph correctly.

Science:

Dear family's assalamu-alaikum,

In our science class we have finished studying the radioactive elements. As we have learned about the elements of the periodic table and the properties of these elements, we had our test and grades are posted on teacher ease. We have started studying the "Chemical Reactions", students will learn the different types of reactions and how to balance chemical equations. Students are working with their electronic version of the "Interactive Science" text book. Grades for the new quarter are posted on teacher ease, please take the time to check them regularly and see the progress of your student as we proceed along our second quarter.

For any questions or concerns contact me at alobaidi@school.lansingislam.com

Best regards
Ghasak Al-Obaidi

Social Studies:

We have now moved on to the beginnings of our nation with a focus on the first few presidencies and issues that arose during their time. Such issues include the xyz affair and the alien/sedition acts.

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