



# HANOVER MIDDLE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

6<sup>TH</sup>  
GRADE

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## Upcoming Events:

- *April 1st*  
Nighthawk Day!  
Wear your Orange & Black
- *April 2nd - 5th*  
No School for Students (Spring Break)
- *April 7th*  
2 Hour Delay for Students
- *April 8th*  
HMS PTO Meeting
- *April 17th - 19th*  
HS Musical - The Lightning Thief
- *April 21st - 23rd*  
English Language Arts PSSAs
- *April 28th - 29th*  
Mathematics PSSAs



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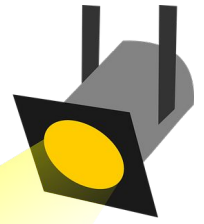
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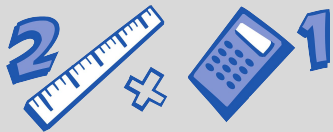
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## SUBJECT SPOTLIGHT:



### **Mathematics:**

Sixth Grade math students are working their way through Geometry - Module 8 Area of Polygons and Module 9 Volume and Surface Area. These are very important concepts in Sixth Grade. We will begin reviewing for the PSSA test as we enter the month. All students will be completing their third iReady diagnostic as we begin the month. This will allow us to see how your student is growing in their math abilities as we move through the year.



### **Social Studies:**

In Social Studies classes, we are beginning our "Race Around Asia!" Students will be studying the geography of the vast continent of Asia in four parts - Southwest Asia/North Africa, South Asia, East Asia, and Southeast Asia. Through map challenges and other interactive activities, students will see that each region of Asia is very different in terms of its physical and human geography, which contributes to the differences in way people live across this great continent!



### **Science:**

Things are heating up (and cooling down) in science class as we explore the invisible forces that shape our world. We're currently unpacking weather patterns and how this affects climates locally and around the world! We will continue with weather patterns and then we will be finishing up the year with, "Earth's Changing Climate".



### **ELA:**



This month in ELA, we will continue to work on Unit 4. We will continue to focus on how people meet challenges and solve problems. We will focus on how people can discover what they have in common. We will also discuss the ways in which people from different cultures can find common ground. We will work on homophones and homographs and review the meaning of commonly confused words. Students will develop their comprehension skills by determining the Theme in Dramas (Plays) that we will read in class. As we get closer to PSSA testing, we will be reviewing the important skills covered during the last 7 months. As always, students should be reading at least 20 minutes every night. Showing interest in your child's reading, writing, and speaking will help his or her progress during the year.