



HANOVER MIDDLE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

**7TH
GRADE**

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Upcoming Events:

- **April 2nd**
2 Hour Delay 
Nighthawk Day (Wear orange & black)
- **April 5th**
MP 3 Behavior Bash
- **April 10th**
PTO Meeting - 6:30pm
- **April 19th**
Specials Rotation Change
- **April 23rd-25th**
ELA PSSAs
- **April 29th**
Midpoint of MP 4 
- **April 30th - May 1st**
Math PSSAs

PSSA Tips

- Get a good night's sleep and eat a fulfilling breakfast
- Keep your phone turned off and in your locker
- Re-read questions and passages
- Go with your first instinct



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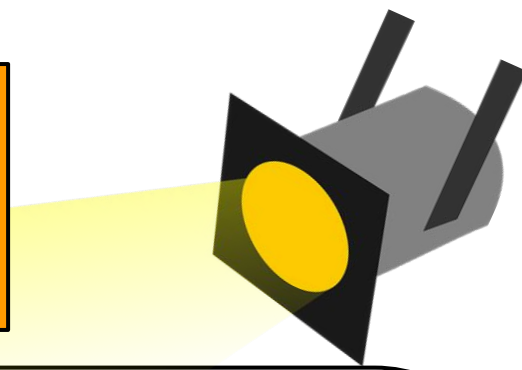


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7th Grade Subject Spotlight



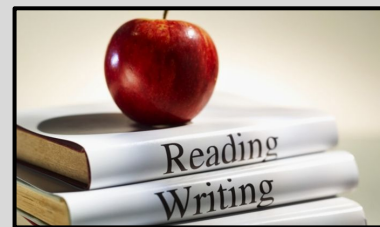
Mathematics:

Seventh grade math students will be continuing to look at Algebraic Concepts before moving into Geometry. We will also spend the next few weeks reviewing and preparing for the upcoming PSSA testing.



English Language Arts:

Students will be reviewing key concepts leading up to PSSA testing. Topics that will be practiced include TDA writing. This will aid in comprehension, which will provide high achieving scores on the upcoming state tests.



To help at home, please encourage your student to read independently. Also, feel free to discuss the current novel throughout the week or even read along. We are also reading *The Devil's Arithmetic* (analyzing the text, identifying theme, conflict, etc) and working on grammar- misplaced and dangling modifiers, coordinating conjunctions, and introductory phrases.

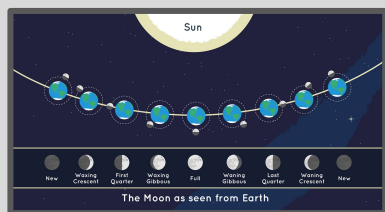
Social Studies:

Seventh grade Social Studies students will take our first trip across the Prime Meridian and learn about civilizations in the Western Hemisphere! Unit 7 is on ancient American civilizations such as the Maya, Aztec, and the Inca.



Science:

Our class topic for the month of April is the relationship between the Sun, Moon, and Earth. Students will study moon phases, eclipses, and tides.



STEAM:

Students are continuing to work on robotics stations. We will be taking a look at topics that include conservation and sustainability through the use of Artificial Intelligence. Students will also be looking at the types of technology that are being used around the world to manage and conserve the resources we have on our planet.

