

# HANOVER MIDDLE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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#### **Upcoming Events:**

Friday, September 4 Monday, September 7
 Labor Day Holiday - NO SCHOOL



> Wednesday, September 16th and Thursday, September 17

Fall Picture Day





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## 8<sup>th</sup> Grade

#### **SUBJECT SPOTLIGHT**:



#### **Mathematics:**

Students in Pre-Algebra will be learning the basics of the number system and practicing computation without a calculator.

Students in Algebra are experimenting in our first unit with Data Analysis. Students will learn different ways to

interpret data.



#### **Social Studies:**

8th Grade students will be exploring the importance of understanding the five themes of geography and how they are applied to our daily lives and in possible careers that utilize geographic skills.

### English Language Arts:

ELA students in grade 8 are off to a productive start. Class reading efforts will focus this marking period on story elements, such as characterization and point of view. Students will read poetry and practice both their creative writing and analytical writing skills. We are excited for a great year in ELA!



#### Science:

Students have begun the school year furthering their knowledge of the Scientific

Method. Throughout 8th grade, students will learn how to apply the scientific method to concepts including ecology, organisms, chemistry and physics. We are excited to be challenged and have fun doing science!



#### Spanish:

The Spanish course will begin by studying reasons why we should study Spanish, the history of the language, what are cognates, and fluency & proficiency.

We look forward to an awesome year!

