

# **School News**:

- Weather makeup days: Friday, December 20.
- Christmas holiday: Starts December 23-January 3rd. Students return to school on January 6, 2020.

#### **Team News:**

- Holiday Spirit Week: Jaguars team will celebrate each day next week with Holiday cheers!!!
  - Monday: Wear your favorite holiday socks
  - Tuesday: Wear your favorite holiday shirt
  - Wednesday: Wear your favorite holiday hat (no caps)
  - Thursday: Wear your homeroom favorite holiday color: Void/red, Garver/blue, Mr. G/black, Crum/green, James/Gold.
  - Friday: Enjoy a Christmas movie and drink some hot chocolate
- **Donations:** It is that time of the year that the teachers are looking for donated items such as pencils, Clorox wipes, dry-erase markers (blue or black), gift cards, white card stock, and copy paper.
- **Report Cards:** Please return the signed brown envelope with your student to their Homeroom teacher as soon as possible. We need the envelope back for the remaining quarters to send home report cards.
- <u>Team Communication:</u> Please make sure you sign up for ALL Core teachers form of communication either via remind, google classroom, or talking points. The teacher's codes can be found in their weekly write up.
- Parent Conferences: If you would like to meet with the team please send me an email and the team would try to accommodate your schedule to have a conference. Please email the core teacher if you have any specific concerns with your student in that subject area. Conferences are Mondays-Thursdays in the AM (7:30-8:05) and PM (3:30-4:05). Conferences are 15 minutes intervals.
- <u>Grades:</u> Please review your students PowerSchool account weekly to make sure assignments are completed. Please review assessments and any comments from teachers. We want to make sure students are working at their greatest potential to be successful for the school year.
- Absences: Please make sure your student is at school every day. We understand if they
  cannot make school due to an emergency or illness, but please encourage them to come
  to school if they can. Students are responsible for completing all assignments while they
  were absent.

 Please email me if you have any questions or concerns regarding team information and setting up team conferences at tvoid@wcpss.net (Mrs. Void: Jaguars Team Leader)

# Core Teacher Information:

# Mr. Gutierrez- Language Arts:

Monday and Tuesday the students will be taking the IReady test for ELA. If you have any questions or concerns, please email at <a href="mailto:fgutierrez@wcpss.net">fgutierrez@wcpss.net</a>. My google classroom code is cwrqg1. You can also contact me at <a href="www.talkingpts.org">www.talkingpts.org</a>. You need to sign up then enter the code is q341m0. Have a great week!

### Mrs. Void- Math:

### Math 7:

This week students worked on Percent finding the tip, tax, markup, and commission and calculate the total cost using percent. They will also work on discount, markdowns, and original price. Next week, the students will work on simple interest and converting percent. Reschedule of Unit 4 test on Percent to after holiday on Thursday and Friday, January 9, 2019.

### Math 7 Plus:

This week students worked on volume and surface area using 3D figure. They will also work on percent to help review for the EOG exams. Next week, the students will work on Math 7 units to help review for the EOG exam such as unit rate, proportional relationship, and scale factor. After the holiday break, students will start Math 8 topics such as Rigid Transformation.

Just a reminder that weekly homework will be assigned for completion except for Fridays. Students are expected to review and complete the assignments. Homework will either come from their workbook, online, and/or a worksheet. My remind code is Math 7: @tvoid and Math 7 Plus: @gee2d3. Please visit google classroom codes (go under class info/Jaguars team) at <a href="http://tvoid3.wixsite.com/7thgrademath2">http://tvoid3.wixsite.com/7thgrademath2</a> for videos on Unit lessons. Please feel free to email me at tvoid@wcpss.net if you have any concerns or comments.

# Ms. Crum- Social Studies:

We will start this week with I ready testing in my classroom. Once testing is done, students will continue to work with Unit 5. Next week we will study the French Revolution and compare it to the American Revolution. Please feel free to email me if you have any questions. My remind code is @jag human. Please feel free to email me at mcrum@wcpss.net

# Mrs., Garver- Science:

In Science this week we looked at water in the atmosphere (this includes cloud types) and precipitation. We also worked on two computer interactives related to weather. Some students need to finish both the book work and the computer work. They will need to utilize their study-hall time after lunch next week, if necessary. Atmosphere projects and weather poems have been graded and returned. 6-week interims come out on Wednesday, 12/18. My remind code is @ahedgec and google classroom code is jaxu8lw (that is an I not a number 1). Please email me if you have any questions at agarver@wcpss.net.

Best Regards,

Jaguars Team