

HCCC High School Newsletter

**Newsletter Date:
November 7, 2018**

High School English & Literature

Ms. Rand/Lockett

10th Grade Literature- We have begun Collection 3 – Response to Change. We are analyzing the graphic novel version of a short story we have read. Last week, students worked an informative essay that asked them to analyze texts from Collection 2 and explain how characters and readers learn life lessons from their experiences with nature.

11th Grade Literature- We have begun Collection 3 – The Individual and Society – which looks at the Romantic and Gothic literary periods. Students recently finished an informative essay that asked them to analyze texts from Collection 2 and determine whether the text shows how individuals fought for their own rights and freedom or how they fought to form a lasting union (America).

Ms. Howard

9th Grade Literature- Collection 3-The Bonds Between Us- We began reading Harper Lee's *To Kill a Mockingbird*. Students' should be able to read and comprehend literature. They must also understand the bonds that link each character together.

British Literature- Renaissance Unit-We began reading Shakespeare's *Macbeth*. Students' should be able to read and comprehend literature. They must also understand how themes develop throughout the text.

High School Mathematics

Mr. Dawson

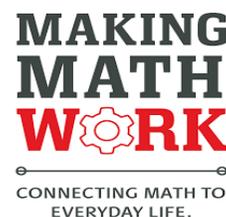
Algebra 1B: Preparation for EOC and Unit 6 (Data Analysis)

Algebra 2B: Math Modeling Sequence and Finite Sum Geometric

College Readiness Math: Solving System of Equations (Linear and Quadratic)

Odysseyware: Complete Assignments and Quizzes at home to help with completing the course.

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Mrs. Jackson

Geometry A will be working on Quadrilaterals, Similarity, and Right Triangle Trigonometry

Geometry B will be reviewing Volume of Solids, Unit 6 Probability, and reviewing for Milestone Assessments

Algebra 2 will be solving Polynomial Equations through Factoring and evaluating Radical Functions

Mathematics of Finance will be investigating Depository Institutions, Record Keeping and Risk Management

Mr. Rogers

Students are learning multiple algebraic concepts in Mr. Rogers class. **Foundations A** students are learning about polynomial operations. **Foundations B** students are learning how to graph linear equations. **Algebra A** students are learning how to solve a system of linear equations. **Algebra B** students are working with quadratic functions.

Upcoming Events



Veterans Day Holiday- November 12, 2018



Thanksgiving School Lunch and Parent/Student Together Time – November 15, 2018



Thanksgiving Holiday - November 19- 23, 2018



Final Exams - December 17 – 19, 2018



Last Day of First Semester – December 19, 2018



High School Science

Mr. Blasingame

Anatomy

- Students will be finishing up the Muscular System.
- Students will do a Chicken Wing Dissection to observe the Muscular System.



Forensic Science: Students will start the Units on Blood and Spatter Evidence and Drugs and Toxicology.



Mr. Burley

We are working on Odysseyware for Physical Science. The expected completion percentage for this class is between 68% and 75%. We will have blended lessons to include laboratory activities and other non-computer related activities to incorporate the 5Es (Engage, Explore, Explain, Elaborate, Evaluate) of the curriculum.

High School Social Studies

Mr. Mosely

Economics: We are finishing up our unit on Macroeconomics. We have learned about how to measure a country's economic success, and what the government's response should be in times of economic expansion or recession. We are getting ready to start Unit 4, dealing with international trade between nations

US and World Affairs: We are in the middle of a Unit covering post-WWII Asia. We have just covered the history of Communist China under Mao Zedong, and are about to discuss Japan and India.

Odysseyware

Students are working at their own pace to finish their Odysseyware courses. Please remind your child that if they are behind or struggling, they can work on their lessons at home and use any notes they take on quizzes and tests in class.



CTAE/Health/Personal Fitness/PE



Coach Capasso

My students in **Physical Education** classes were learning about Evaluating your Health related Fitness, Evaluating your Skill related Fitness, and Training for Fitness. We also covered Nutrition and Fitness and Planning a Diet for Fitness and Wellness. We also play basketball, football, wiffle ball and corn hole.

My students in **Health** class have covered Physical Fitness and your Health, Physical Activity for Life and Nutrition and Your Health.

Dr. Daws

Just a few weeks left in this semester. Ms. Daws' class is working on different functions in a business. Also, we will discuss the importance of leadership skills. In the near future, we will start creating company names, logos, and slogans. Can't wait to see all the creative ideas.

Mr. Sams

Marketing & Business Law Students

Students are gaining foundational knowledge of corporations by researching individual companies along with their founders, historical and current stock market values, and the products offered. Using the information gathered the student will create a power point presentation and present their work to the class.