## 7<sup>TH</sup> GRADE WEEKLY OVERVIEW

Week of December 7th-December 11th

### **Announcements & Upcoming Events:**

Wednesday, December 9<sup>th</sup>- Chorus Concert Dress Rehearsal 7:30AM AND 3:00PM.

Thursday, December 10<sup>th</sup>- NHS Grades 5-8 Choral Concert 7PM

8<sup>th</sup> Grade Student Government Announcement: The first dance will be on Friday, December 11<sup>th</sup>



# Language Arts:

This week we'll turn our attention to preparing to perform our speeches. You'll have three activities in class this we ek to help you to develop some effective skills of public speaking. You'll also have a blog post due by Friday.

Wednesday- Best/Worst Excuse in the World

Friday- Commercial for a Product that doesn't exist with visual

Friday- Blog post submitted for review by Friday.

### Math

Next up in ratio: Multiplicative comparisons! Mrs. Brown is two times tall as Lucas or Mrs. Austin's hair is 1/2 as long as it used to be! ;) We will also have a quick quiz on Friday on what we have done so far.

Homework due:

Thursday - HW due

Friday - Quiz on ratio and multiplicative comparisons

### SCIENCE:

This week students are doing a small research project on a spacecraft/mission. Students will work all week in science class so there should be plenty of in-class time for this project. If your 7th grader needs to do work at night, or over the weekend, they might not be using class time wisely, or they might be obsessing and making this a bigger project than it is!

Due Monday, December 14th: the finished presentation. Have bibliography, hand-written notes and 1-page "report" ready to turn in, plus notecards from which to share report.

#### **Social Studies:**

This week we'll talk a little more about bias and the role of media. Our activity will also center on bias and how facts can be used to make opinions seem factual. You have research due on Friday for discussion. Friday- Discussion Group- have your research ready to share

ESPAÑOL: "Más vale una verdad amarga que muchas mentiras dulces."

(Better a bitter truth than many sweet lies.)

Español de la Comunidad (Mon): ¡Buscaerrores! (Find the Errors)

Miércoles (Wed): Irregular Verbs Quiz Viernes (Fri): Actividades Mixtas