

Welcome to 6th Grade with Mrs. West!

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Mrs. West

- 36 years in teaching
- 2nd Year at Woodridge



I am excited about this year
with your children!

Thank You!

- **Attendance:** Bringing your children on time, every day.
- **Supplies:** Our class would appreciate tissues and wipes!
- Sharing your **GREAT KIDS!**

Philosophy

YES, YOU CAN

Every student can learn.

Every student wants to be successful.



We are a team- parents, students, and teachers are working together to help our students reach their full potential.

It takes all of us!

*PBIS Pamphlet was sent home

Want to help your child succeed?

Have them READ!

ANYTHING

Why Can't I Skip My 20 Minutes of Reading Tonight?

Student "A"
reads **20 minutes**
each day

3600 minutes in
a school year

1,800,000 words



90th percentile

Student "B"
reads **5 minutes**
each day

900 minutes in
a school year

282,000 words



50th percentile

Student "C"
reads **1 minute**
each day

180 minutes in
a school year

8,000 words



10th percentile

By the end of 6th grade Student "A" will have read the equivalent of 60 whole school days. Student "B" will have read only 12 school days. Which student would you expect to have a better vocabulary? Which student would you expect to be more successful in school...and in life?

(Nagy & Herman, 1987)

¿Por qué es importante leer todas las noches?

Estudiante "A" lee
20 minutos cada noche.

Un estudiante que lee 20 minutos cada día = 3,600 minutos en un año escolar. Esto significa un equivalente de 60 días escolares. Este estudiante estará expuesto a 1,800,000 palabras adicionales en un año.



1,800,000 palabras

Estudiante "C" lee
1 minuto cada noche.

Un estudiante que lee 1 minuto cada día = 180 minutos en un año escolar. Esto significa un equivalente de 3 horas. Este estudiante estará expuesto a 8,000 palabras adicionales en un año.



282,000 palabras

Estudiante "B" lee
5 minutos cada noche.

Un estudiante que lee 5 minutos cada día = Son 900 en un año escolar. Esto significa un equivalente de 12 días escolares. Este estudiante estará expuesto a 282,000 palabras adicionales en un año.



8,000 palabras

¿De estos tres estudiante, quién de ellos tendrá mejor vocabulario? Quién de ellos triunfará en la escuela? ¿Y quién de ellos triunfará en la vida?

Hagamos todo lo posible para que nuestros niños amen la lectura y los libros. Lean todas las noches por lo menos 20 minutos y vean los resultados.

West's World-Class Wildc Schedule

8:00-Start

8:05-8:30--PE

8:30-9:30-ROAR Rotations [ELA 60]

9:30-9:50-ELA--Writing [(F)Music-9:35-10:10] [ELA 20]

9:50-10:15-ELA- **Phonics & Fluency [ELA 25]**

- Sound-Letter

- Blending & Decodables

- Dictation & Spelling

10:15-10:30-Recess

10:30-11:10-**Vocabulary & Comprehension [ELA 40]**

- Vocab Instruction

- Reading Selection

- Pre-reading strategies

- During Reading strategies

- Post reading strategies

11:15-12:35-Math with Mrs. Ambrose [Math 80]

12:40-1:25--Lunch

12:40-1:05 recess (with 5th) and 1:05-1:25 eat

1:25-2:00-HSS/Science

2:00-2:10-Recess

2:10-2:30-Community Building/Study Hall

2:42-Dismiss

West Wednesday- early release

8:00-Start

8:05-8:30--PE

8:30-9:15- ROAR

9:15-9:30-Recess

9:30-10:30-ELA

10:30-11:30-Math my class

ELA w/Ambrose's class

11:30-11:45- Closing

11:45-12:30--Lunch

11:45-12:10 recess (with 5th) and 12:10-12:30 eat

Dismissal--12:42

Red Homework Folders



Please ask your child to show you their homework folder every day or as often as possible. Please check for: Student planner and homework, parent notes, and Office paperwork.

Sometimes I will ask students to get a parent signature.

Sixth Grade Curriculum

Curriculum



Amplify



Big Day TK



Desmos
(Teacher)



GeoGebra



HMH - ED YFIL



i-Ready
(Rostered
Student...)



Renaissance
Learning



ST Math



Studies Weekly



SWUN Math
BTBF Practice (...)



SWUN Math
(Teachers)



Think Central Go
Math!



Think Central
Journeys



VAPA Elementary
Art Lesso...



Google Classroom- Some assignments and messages will be posted

Mrs. West's World-Class Wildcats

6th Grade

Class code zcfmfb3

Meet link [Generate Meet link](#)

Select theme
Upload photo

Upcoming

Due today

11:59 PM – Math, Lesson ...

11:59 PM – CommonLit: E...

11:59 PM – CommonLit: C...

[View all](#)



Announce something to your class



Linda West posted a new assignment via Edpuzzle: Math, Lesson 8-Edpuzzle - G6_U1_L8
7:34 AM (Edited 7:36 AM)



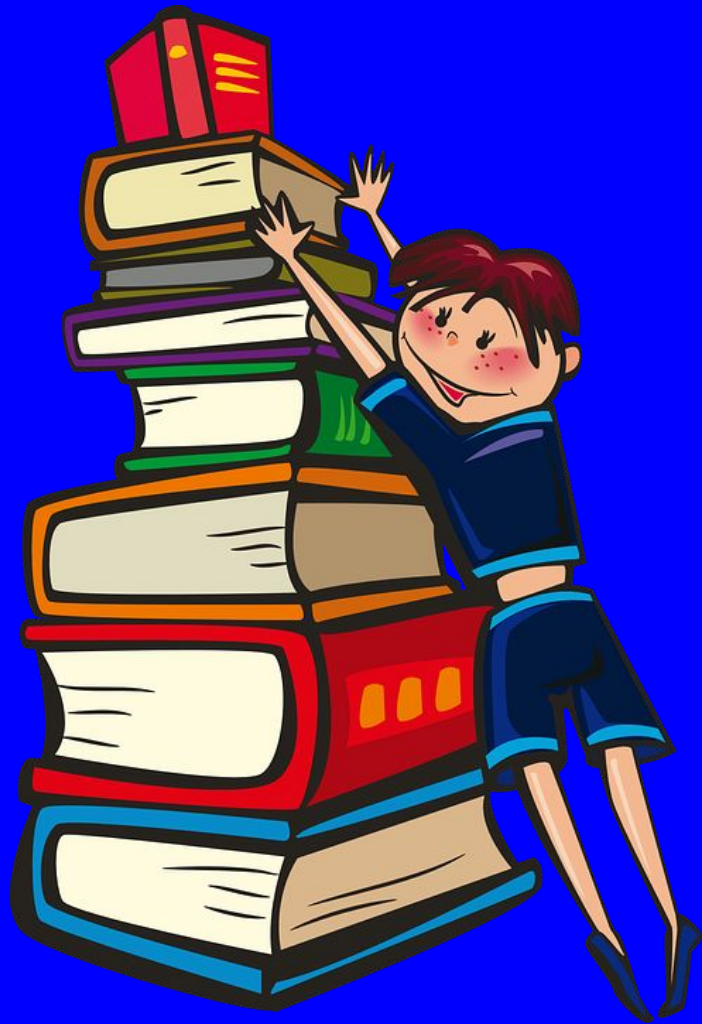
Homework:

Planners: Homework should be written in planner

Reading and Writing: 30 minutes or more!

Math: to reinforce what we learned that day

Tests and quizzes: Friday(?): math and fluency



Please have your
child read **30**
minutes a night.

Make reading a treat!

Have them read to you, with you,
or to a younger sibling.

Go to the library-
it's free (and quiet)!

Online help

Math:

SWUN math (English & Spanish)

JiJi, AAAMath.com and IXL

English:

i-Ready

Raz Kids- reading and
listening

Epic Books

Sly Park- 6th Grade-Science Camp

Field Trip: Nature Camp

We expect it to be virtual this year.

Perfect Attendance

School Starts at 8:00. Students are tardy at 8:01.

Must be WITH THE TEACHER at 8:01

Dismissal 2:42 **Wednesday** Dismissal: 12:42

If students are late, absent, or leave early, they cannot receive perfect attendance and they miss learning.

Class Parties Policy:

“Our most important job is to educate our students so we do not use class time for birthday parties. Birthdays are important milestones for children so at school, celebrations will be limited to a happy birthday song and, if there are treats, passing them out while students are in line, ready to go home.”

Cell Phone Policy

Phones need to be turned off and put away while on school campus.

They may not be used during the school day.

Labeling Materials

Please write your name in your child's clothing and lunch box so the office can return them to your child.

Thank you!

I am looking forward to a great year!

QUESTIONS???