

Mrs. Schmid's newsletter for the weeks of Jan. 30th - Feb. 10th.

MATH

The sixth graders are continuing to work with fractions. We are taking a multiplication quiz on Friday, Feb. 3rd.

Feb 6th - 9th we will be dividing with fractions. The letters KFC will help us to remember the steps. There will be a division quiz on Thursday, Feb. 9th.

ENGLISH / VOCABULARY

In vocabulary, the students are completing the review units 1-9 in their workbook. It is due Friday, Feb. 3rd. The test for units 1-9 will be held on Tuesday, Feb. 17th. Unit 10's workbook will be corrected on Friday, Feb. 10th, and test on Tuesday, Feb. 14th.

The grammar aspect of English is being filled will adjectives and adverbs.

We are starting a persuasive essay, which will then be used in an organized debate. The students will chose a topic and research it. Their opponent will research the opposing side. After writing their own persuasive essay on the topic, they will present a speech on the topic as well as present questions to their opponent.

Reminders

- ~Catholic Schools' week
- ~ Monday, Jan. 30th, Roller skating party 4:30-6:30
- ~Monday, Jan. 30th, Report cards
- ~Tuesday, Jan. 31st, Spirit Day, Movie day
- ~ Wednesday, Feb. 1st, Ski Trip
- ~Thursday, Feb. 2nd, Open House, 9AM-11AM & 12:30-2
- ~Friday, Feb. 3rd, student/teacher volleyball game
- ~ Thursday, Feb. 9th: Fine Arts

Religion

We have finished Chapter 7. The test will be on Monday, Jan. 30th. The 8th graders will be working on a Spiritual Inventory project starting on Tuesday, Jan. 31st. It will be due on Monday, Feb. 6th.

Monday and Tuesday the 8th grade will be taking the A.C.R.E test. There are two parts. The first day the students will be tested on their Religious knowledge and there is only one correct answer. The second day the questions will be their personal beliefs, attitudes, practices, and perceptions, which means there isn't one correct answer.

Algebra

The eighth graders will be solving systems of linear equations using three different methods. There will be a quiz on Thursday, Feb. 5th covering the graphing, substitution, and linear combination, the three methods.

Pre Algebra

In seventh grade, we are working in chapter seven which focuses on percents. There will be a quiz on Tuesday, Feb. 7th covering the first four sections.

Famous person's quote

Be sure you put your feet in the right place, then stand firm.

~ Abraham Lincoln