

Sixth Grade

Important Dates

There are only 9 school days between now and Spring Break. We need to hit the balance between making sure our students are in school every day that they are well enough to attend and keeping them home when they have a contagious illness.

The recent rash of illness in 6th grade is most likely the result of several students who were sent to school on Monday with uncontrollable coughing, fever, and or nausea . We are still battling the effects. Hopefully the 4 day weekend will break the cycle.

If your child is ill, do not send them to school.

Important Information

Conferences are on March 22. Parents are encouraged to bring their student to meet with their teacher. If your student is in 6B with Ms. Rizzo you should sign up for a time here.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60BOF45A9A72BA7F49-conference2>

[Ms. Lindsey's Conferences: click here](#)

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Curriculum Corner	
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Humanities</u></p> <p>Hello,</p> <p>Essays comparing the Mauryan and Gupta Empires are complete and will be graded next week. We will study Ancient China between now and spring break. The year will end with an in depth study of Ancient Greece and Rome. Students will specialize in one of these empires and present what they learn to the rest of the class.</p> <p>MAP testing took place this week in ELA.</p> <p>Ms. Rizzo</p> <p>mrizzo@willowcreekacademy.org</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Math/Science</u></p> <p>Hi Families!</p> <p>In math over this week, we've been working on fraction division, with multiple different strategies. We've got the common denominator method, diagram method, and the standard algorithm.</p> <p>In science, we've been diving back into our Ocean Ambassador curriculum. This week we're exploring real patient charts (copies of course), and trying to build a timeline of the animals' stay at The Marine Mammal Center. Thinking about why were they rescued, what happened, and the outcome of the patient.</p> <p>Best,</p> <p>Ms. Lindsey</p>

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Pictures from ELA/Social Studies	Pictures from Math and Science