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## Middle School Newsletter

### *The Ravens Return!*

Welcome back parents to another exciting year at St Benedict Cathedral School! We in the middle school are excited to be a part of a wonderful team of exceptional people who have the opportunity to work with some equally exceptional kiddos. The aim of this weekly newsletter is to keep parents in the loop of all the goings-on in Middle School. Take some time to look over the upcoming assignments, tests, and activities for your student(s).

### *Mrs. Wu – 6-8 Math*

6th through 8th grade IXL's due **Monday** by 8 AM.

Information Sheet for 6th through 8th grade needs to be signed by parent and returned by **Monday**.

6th grade math quiz **Monday** over Adding, Subtracting, Multiplying Whole Numbers

### *Mrs. Heathcott – PE 6-8*

We are going over the rules this week and playing a few new games. **Please sign the permission slip for** your child to run the mile over at Memorial's track.

Remember to bring tennis shoes and gym clothes on PE days!

### *Mrs. Heathcott – PE 5-8*

We have brand new textbooks this year and we are super excited to start learning new topics!

### *Mrs. Langerak – English/Literature 7A, 8*

In 8th Grade English we are reviewing subjects and predicates and classifying sentences by purpose. We will take a small quiz at the end of next week. In 8th Grade Literature we are reading "The Giver." We will take a very quick reading quiz each day following a reading assignment. **The first reading quiz will be on Monday over Chapters 1 and 2.**

In 7th Grade English we are reviewing sentences vs. fragments and subjects and predicates. **We will take a small quiz at the end of next week.** In 7th Grade Literature we have started Unit 1, Fiction vs. Nonfiction. We will be reading various fictional short stories next week.

## *Mr. Keeper – English / Literature*

- 6 - Vocabulary and Restating Practice 01 is due on **Monday**  
First spelling/vocab quiz on 24 August 2018  
Be sure to have your Parent Form signed and returned by **Monday!**
- 7B - Vocabulary and Restating Practice 01 is due on **Monday**  
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If your middle school student is interested in Raven Readers (our new book club), or your 6<sup>th</sup> grader is interested in Raven Adventures (our new Role Playing Adventure group), please be sure you've filled out and returned a permission slip for your student.

## *Mr. Chamberlain – Social Studies 5-8*

5th: Chapter 1 "The First Americans"

Future Dates to know:

**Continents and Oceans Quiz with a Word Bank - 8/17**

Continents and Oceans Quiz No Wordbank - 8/22

Ch. 1 Test - 8/30

6th - Ch. 1 USA + Latitude and Longitude

Future Dates to know - Western States Quiz 8/23

Midwestern States Quiz- 8/29

Test Ch. 1 9/5

7th- Ch. 1 West and Central Africa

Future Dates to Know

Map Quiz 8/24

Test Ch. 1 8/31

8th - Ch. 1 Early Americas and European Exploration

Future Dates to Know

States and Capitals Quiz with Wordbank 8/23

Vocabulary Quiz 8/28

Ch. 1 Test 8/30