

OCTOBER NEWSLETTER

6TH GRADE



LANGUAGE ARTS

THE STUDENTS HAVE BEEN LEARNING HOW TO WRITE SHORT DIALOGUE STORIES, THEY HAVE ALSO BEEN WORKING ON A ROMAN/GREEK ROLE PLAY THAT THEY NARRATED, AND CREATED THEMSELVES WITHIN THEIR CHOSEN GROUPS, WHICH THEY FOUND EXHAUSTING BUT FUN. AND LET'S NOT FORGET THE CLASS TRIP THEY HAD MID OCTOBER, WHICH THEY THOROUGHLY ENJOYED.

MATHS

STUDENTS BEGAN THIS MONTH LOOKING AT CONVERSIONS AND UNIT RATES. WE ALSO PRACTICED FINDING AREAS OF RECTANGLES AND IRREGULAR SHAPES. STUDENTS WORKED INDIVIDUALLY AND IN SMALL GROUPS TO COMPLETE DIFFERENT SETS OF PROBLEMS THAT DEALT WITH AREAS AND PERIMETERS OF COMPOUND SHAPES.



HISTORY

STUDENTS ARE WORKING ON THEIR SECOND GROUP PROJECTS ON GOOGLE SLIDES. THEY ARE RESEARCHING DIFFERENT PHILOSOPHERS OF THE RENAISSANCE: LEONARDO DA VINCI, MICHELANGELO, RAPHAEL SANTI, ERASMUS OF ROTTERDAM, AND NICOLAUS COPERNICUS.

SCIENCE

THIS MONTH, STUDENTS PRESENTED THEIR RESEARCH ON INVERTEBRATES, EACH PAIR SHOWCASING A DIFFERENT SPECIES. WE ALSO BEGAN STUDYING CNIDARIANS, DIVING INTO THE WORLD OF JELLYFISH AND ANEMONES. THE PRESENTATIONS SPARKED GREAT CURIOSITY AMONG THE CLASS!