



Back to School ** Aug. 27, 2015

English and 6th Grade Homeroom
Mrs. Watson - suew@stalbans.org

Sixth Grade Textbooks:

WordlyWise 3000 www.wordlywise3000.com

Prentice Hall Writing Coach

Great Books (Series 6)

Number the Stars by Lois Lowry and
A Wrinkle in Time by Madeleine L'Engle

Writing Skills:

Personal narrative; Descriptive Writing;
Biographical Sketch; Essays; Poetry
Notebook; Short Stories; Research Report—
On Pompeii and Mt. Vesuvius—Paragraphs;
Journal and Literary Responses



Units in Conjunction with History class:

Egyptian myths, descriptive paragraphs
and short stories

“The Hero Journey” - Greek

Mythology—reading, writing, and plays

Research Report on Rome, Pompeii, and
Mt. Vesuvius

Grammar Skills:

Parts of Speech; Sentence Structure ; Punctuation; Word
Usage (Nouns, Verbs, Adjectives, Adverbs, Prepositions)

Vocabulary Skills:

Definitions, Use in a sentence, Reading comprehension,
Derivatives, Analogies, Enrichment

Literary Skills:

Active reading; Comprehension; Study Skills ; Literary
Terms and Devices; Interpretation ; Shared Inquiry;
Evaluation

Technology Incorporation:

Digital Storytelling, Thinglink,
BookCreator, Piktochart, Nureva Troove,
PowerPoint, Videos

GRADES: Point system—Vocabulary, Grammar, Writing, Literature averaged into One grade.

Class work, Homework, Handouts, Quizzes, Tests, Participation, Group Work

Reports in Upper grades discussed every Wednesday *** Homework Policy— as lined out in the Handbook

ESLRs—Expected School wide Learning Results

- *Communicate Effectively
- *Work Cooperatively
 - *Solve Problems
- *Work Independently
- *Be Respectful
- *Experience Enrichment

6TH GRADE SCHEDULE 2014-2015



Please contact me if you have any questions about life in 6th Grade.

Retreat: Sept. 4 at
Maidu Community
Center

6th Grade
Conferences:
November 11, 12, 13,
2015

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
PERIOD 1 8:15-9:03	ENGLISH	ENGLISH	ENGLISH	ENGLISH	ENGLISH
PERIOD 2 9:05-9:50	SOCIAL STUDIES	SOCIAL STUDIES	SOCIAL STUDIES	SOCIAL STUDIES	SOCIAL STUDIES
BREAK 9:50-10:03					
PERIOD 3 10:05-10:53	SCIENCE	SCIENCE	SCIENCE	SCIENCE	SCIENCE
PERIOD 4 10:55-11:43	MATH	SPANISH	SPANISH	SPANISH	MATH
LUNCH 11:45-12:23					
PERIOD 5 12:25-1:13	MUSIC/ DRAMA	MATH	SCIENCE	MATH	ART
PERIOD 6 1:15-2:03	MATH	ENGLISH	PE	SOCIAL STUDIES	PE
PERIOD 7 2:05-2:55	SPANISH	MATH	MATH	ENGLISH	ENGLISH
DISMISSAL 2:55-3:00					

COMPUTERS

A Week – Monday – Math – 6th period; Thursday – History – 6th period

B Week – Wednesday – Science – 5th period; Thursday – English – 7th period



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Essay Writing for Junior High

Phone: 782-3557 Ext. 118 - Prep period: 11:00 AM

Room Parents: Kendra Bishop and Danielle Miller

