

6TH GRADE

learning

READING

- Read and analyze a variety of genres in class and independently
- Successfully apply various reading strategies for monitoring comprehension
- Write clear, well-developed essays, reports, etc. to enhance comprehension and build knowledge base
- Effectively prepare and present orally
- Analyze text and make text to self and text to world connections
- Identify main idea and supporting detail in grade-level texts
- Identify common themes across various genres in text and poetry
- Compare and contrast two texts in different genres
- Understand literary elements from text (point of view, flashback, etc.)
- Read fluently and comprehend appropriate grade-level materials (Lexile: 925 - 1070)
- Generate how, why, what and if questions from text to demonstrate comprehension
- Question author's purpose
- 6th Grade Learning Requirements-Reading

WRITING

- Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English mechanics, grammar and usage when writing/speaking
- Use knowledge of language and its conventions when writing, speaking, reading or listening
- Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization and style are appropriate to task, purpose and audience
- With guidance from peers and adults, develop and strengthen writing as needed
- Use technology to publish writing as well as to interact and collaborate with others
- Utilize writing process to practice writing in genres: persuasive, expository/research, narrative, creative nonfiction, poetry and letter writing
- Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships and nuances in word meanings
- Interpret information presented in diverse media and formats and explain how it contributes to a topic, text or issue under study
- Present claims and findings, sequencing ideas logically and using pertinent descriptions, facts and details to accentuate main ideas or themes, use appropriate eye contact, adequate volume and clear pronunciation when speaking in the genres of: self introduction, narrative and award presentation



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MATH

- Numerical Expressions
- Fractions & Decimals
- Algebraic Expressions
- Area of Polygons
- Ratios & Rates
- Integers & the Coordinate Plane
- Equations & Inequalities
- Surface Area & Volume
- Statistical Measures & Data Displays
- 6th Grade Learning Requirements- Math

SCIENCE

- Forces & Motion
- Magnetic Fields
- Thermal Energy
- Phase Changes
- Chemical Reactions
- Waves
- 6th Grade Learning Requirements- Science

SOCIAL STUDIES

- Inquiry Practices and Processes
- Behavioral Sciences
- Economics
- Geography
- History
- Political Science
- 6th Grade Learning Requirements - Social Studies
- Financial Literacy Standards



HELP YOUR CHILD

Succeed

GRADE 6

ENGAGE

- Encourage your child to write letters, stories and poems regularly
- Promote your child's practice of healthy habits and positive leisure activities
- Provide time for reading every day
- Talk with your child about school and their friends
- Praise your child's efforts and their friends
- Be responsible for reading all school and teacher correspondence
- Make school attendance and student effort a priority
- Participate in conferences
- Discuss current events with your child
- Provide a quiet area for homework and encourage homework to be completed independently
- Be sensitive to the physical and emotional changes your child may be experiencing at this time



CHALLENGE

- Establish several jobs for your child to do to help the family
- Expect your child to use good manners
- Hold your child accountable for their decisions
- Monitor your child's use of screen time

INSPIRE

- Find time for fun with your child
- Be sensitive to your child's thoughts about moving to middle school
- Encourage your child to extend their art, music and/or athletic talents
- Provide opportunities for your child to assist with cooking or construction as a way to apply math skills