

# THOMPSON MIDDLE SCHOOL

## 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Math, Advanced

### Math & Science Core

Mrs. Meadors and Mrs. Clay

## WELCOME

IT IS OUR GOAL TO PROVIDE A STRUCTURED AND ENGAGING ENVIRONMENT WHERE YOUR CHILD LEARNS AND APPLIES THE 6TH GRADE MATH AND EARTH SCIENCE CURRICULUM TO THEIR FULLEST POTENTIAL

### Math & Advanced Math

As math skills build upon each other, it is imperative your student completes the nightly homework. Each math lesson has an accompanying "video tutor" link, which can be found within the book's lesson. In addition, the text offers an on line "lesson quiz" and "chapter test". These are valuable resources to gauge your student's learning and an excellent way to prepare for the chapter tests

70% of the math grade is based on tests & quizzes, 30% on class and homework

Your student may retake any chapter test one additional time for a higher grade, provided: the original test has a parent signature, and a separate paper is attached with the problems missed and their corrections, showing all work. Tests can only be retaken before school or at lunch

## EARTH SCIENCE

Students have been given a 3 pronged folder to hold their Interactive Student Notebooks (ISN) These must be brought to class each day. It will serve as an organizing tool for each chapter's notes. The ISNs will be collected and graded each test date. It is your student's responsibility to keep their ISNs up to date. Additional or lost pages can be found in the student center in class. Your student will be able to use their ISNs on test dates for the first semester

70% of the Science grade is based on tests & quizzes, 30% on ISNs & classwork

**Absences** : Please utilize our class webpage from the Thompson website. Once on our page, click "Class Calendar" on the left. There you will find all class & homework listed. Your student is responsible for turning in all missing assignments from absences in a timely manner; one day is given additionally for each day absent. Late work will be given ½ credit

## IMPORTANT CONTACT INFORMATION

### TEACHER EMAILS

\*Email both teachers for a prompt reply

[aclay@murrieta.k12.ca.us](mailto:aclay@murrieta.k12.ca.us)

[mmeadors@murrieta.k12.ca.us](mailto:mmeadors@murrieta.k12.ca.us)

### SCHOOL PHONE NUMBER

951-696-1410

(press 1 for absences)

Class extension: 4515

### COUNSELING

#### 6<sup>th</sup> grade counselor

Elijah Anderson Extension: 4580

[eanderson@murrieta.k12.ca.us](mailto:eanderson@murrieta.k12.ca.us)

#### Counselor technicians:

Paula Smith (A-K)

Extension: 4568

Conney Spencer (L-Z)

Extension: 4596

### Aeries Grade Portal

Thompson Middle School home page

Under "site shortcuts" on right side of page

### Current Class homework

Thompson Middle School home page: click on the Teachers tab, Meadors or Clay, then Class Calendar on left of page, you will find all work listed on our calendar.

- **Math:** students will need to view the "video tutor" found in textbook for lessons missed due to absences
- **Science:** Students will need to make sure their ISN's are up to date and get notes if absent