



Charlottesville Catholic School

Friday Newsletter

Middle School

- 6th and 7th grade will have exams on Tuesday, May 31, and Thursday, June 2.
- On Thursday, middle school students may wear Blue & Gold because they will be leaving to go bowling as their final FANS event.
- Students should be picked up from the FANS event at Bowlero between 2:45 and 3:00. Please make sure your child takes home their backpacks from the event.
- Friday, June 3, is the last day of school! Dismissal will be at 11:30. Aftercare is not provided.
- 6th and 7th grade students should bring a towel to sit on for the Awards Ceremony on Friday, June 3.

Social Studies - r.hendrick@cvillecatholic.org

6th: This week the 6th Graders learned about studying and test taking strategies as they reviewed for their final exam. Next week they will take their final exam on Tuesday, May 31st.

7th: This week the 7th graders learned about studying and test taking strategies as they reviewed for their final exam, which they took on Friday, May 27th.

8th: This week the 8th graders took their final exams, including World History, which was on Thursday. Next week they graduate!



Mathematics - j.garland@cvillecatholic.org & l.devane@cvillecatholic.org

Math 6 (Garland): This week we started preparing for the final exam. 6th grade was given a practice exam (same length and similar style questions) within Google Classroom. They were also provided a packet of suggestions to help them study and create a sheet of paper that they can use on the exam. 6th grade will take their exam on Thursday, June 2nd, from 10:15am - 11:45am.

Pre-Algebra (Garland): This week we started preparing for the final exam. 6th and 7th grade were given a practice exam (same length and similar style questions) within Google Classroom. They were also provided a packet of suggestions to help them study and create a notecard that they can use on the exam. 6th grade will take their exam on Thursday, June 2nd, from 8:15am - 9:45am; 7th grade will take their exam on Tuesday, May 31st, from

1:15pm - 3:00pm. This past week, 8th grade finished exams. I cannot wait to celebrate all of their accomplishments at graduation!!!

Geometry (Garland): This past week, 8th grade finished exams. I cannot wait to celebrate all of their accomplishments at graduation!!!

Math 7 (DeVane): Students have been reviewing for their exams. We have gone over all of the topics and they have sample problems and answers to help them review. They may have a study sheet on the exam - one side of one sheet of paper with formulas, examples, etc. to help them on the exam. 7th grade will take the exam on Tuesday, May 31. 6th grade will take the exam on Thursday, June 2.

Algebra (DeVane): 8th grade finished their exams on Tuesday!! I am so proud of how hard they worked this year.

7th grade Algebra has been studying this week for their exam on Tuesday. They have review packets, videos and answer keys to check their understanding. They may also have a study sheet on the exam.

Language Composition and Literature

6th: Literature - Our exam is Tuesday, May 31st. We spent the week creating study guides and reviewing so that everyone feels prepared. I am extremely proud of the hard work each and every student put forth this school year!

6th: This week we reviewed colons and semicolons and prepared for the exam. I really enjoyed my time with the 6th grade and appreciate all their effort.

7th: We spent the week studying for exams. The literature exam is today, Friday. The English composition exam is next Thursday in the afternoon (last exam slot!). We have accomplished so much this year. I hope and pray that students will read several books this summer. Reading feeds the soul!

8th: We had our "Rock Ceremony" on Monday (your student will explain). The literature exam was on Wednesday. What a full and meaningful year we have had! May God bless each 8th grader as he/she prepares for graduation. I have enjoyed every minute of my time with this bright and accomplished group of students.

Religion

6th: This was a week of exam prep for the 6th grade, who took their final exam today. Have a wonderful holiday weekend. I encourage you to find a way for your family to pray for and honor those who have died defending our freedom this Memorial Day.



7th: This week, we began preparing for the final exam, which 7th graders will take on Thursday. Have a wonderful holiday weekend. I encourage you to find a way for your family to pray for and honor those who have died defending our freedom this Memorial Day.

8th: This has been a busy week, but the finals are done! The 8th grade also experienced their retreat at Church of the Incarnation. Have a wonderful holiday weekend. I encourage you to find a way for your family to pray for and honor those who have died defending our freedom this Memorial Day. I look forward to celebrating the students' graduation with you next week!

Science

6th: This week we closed out ecology by discussing how energy travels through a food chain. We also completed a lab that simulated how DDT would bioaccumulate in the tertiary consumers. It was a great year.

7th: This week we presented our capstone physics projects. We concluded with a review of best practices for public speaking and how best to use a google slides presentation to support the spoken word.

8th: This week we completed our final. It has been a pleasure working with your students throughout their time at CCS. Hopefully, I was able to demonstrate to your students that science is fun and encouraged them to use their senses to make observations about their surroundings. I reminded them that Knowledge plus Caring equals Action. Have a great weekend!

Spanish

8th: We reviewed for the final on Monday and then students took the exam on Wednesday! The exams look really good and I am so, so proud of all my students! Each and every one of them has progressed so much over the course of the semester and it has been a joy to watch them grow. I have really enjoyed my first year here at CCS and I feel so lucky to have taught a group of such wonderful, hard working, fun and sweet students. I will miss them when they move on to high school next year, but I know they will all do so well!

Thank you for letting me teach your kids and I wish you all a wonderful and relaxing summer!