

7th Grade Syllabus 2009 : Sept-Nov 09

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HW = Homework EC = Extra Credit

| DATE | CLASS | HOMEWORK |
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| Sept 8-11: "Getting to Know You" | | |
| Tue 9/8 | WELCOME!!!! Website Intro, Parent/Stu info sheet | HW: Bring a picture of yourself and any "embellishments" You can also work on your "Me Myself & science" too email me tonight: mrsg9064@aol.com In subject line: pd__ (just the number) Last name, 1st name Bring back Student info sheet tomorrow, read syllabus, purchase spiral notebook and bring to class on Mon. |
| Wed 9/9 | Me, Myself & Science activity | Hwk: Complete Me myself & science at home. Due Friday |
| Thur 9/10 | Continue: Me, Myself & Science activity, what kind of learner are you? Think Metric Work sheet/hwk | Bring Spiral 70-page NB to school on Mon! EC: bring bag/box of microwaveable popcorn Think Metric Hwk due on Monday |
| Fri 9/11 | Review: The Scientific Method | EC: bring bag/box of microwaveable popcorn, parent forms due |
| Sept 14-18: UNIT: THE ABC'S OF SCIENCE | | |
| Mon 9/14 | The Scientific Method & the Popcorn Lab | Think Metric Hwk due |
| Tues/Wed 9/15 | Counting/eating popcorn & working on lab | HW: Popcorn lab write-up due Friday |
| Wed/Thu 9/16 | Lab Safety | HWK: Complete lab write up/Lab Safety sheets due Friday |
| Fri 9/18 | Working with GPS Tech/ Team building: | Popcorn lab & Lab Safety sheets due! |
| Sept 21-25: GPS Technology Training- Parent Volunteers NEEDED! | | |
| Mon 9/21 | GPS Technology Training/equipment training | |
| Tues/Wed 9/22 | GPS Search Day: | |
| Wed/Th 9/23 | GPS Search Day | Hwk: GPS Tech Training Reflection- due Friday |
| Fri 9/25 | GPS Results Day! Reflections due/ Safety TH Quiz Due | |
| <p>The Cell Overview: Hwk is always "the tour" for each section of the chapter, vocabulary (science words/terms to know) definitions, and chp review questions. This is due the following Mon. In addition the students will be creating a Cell Book and an edible Cell Extra Credit: Please print all student copy lecture notes for each of these chapters lectures for EC.</p> | | |
| Sept 28-Oct 2: Glenco Red Book: Chp 2: It's Alive, or Is It? : Due 10/17 | | |
| Hwk: Chp Vocab & questions Due 9/29 | | |
| Start working on Bubble Wrap Project: DUE: 10/17 | | |
| http://www.sealedair.com/products/protective/bubble/vic/competition_home.html | | |
| Mon: 9/28 | Lect 1: What is life? | Hwk: Chp 2: complete vocab words 1-10 Bring supplies for Meal Worm lab. Bring meal worm home supplies, |
| Tues/Wed 9/29 | Lect 2: Meal Worm Behavior lab | Hwk: Chp 2: Bring Alive/ Not alive pictures, Complete Chp review- part a |
| Wed/Thu 9/30 | Lec 3: Classification Button Lab | Hwk: Chp 2: Complete Chp review- part b |
| Fri: 10/2 | Work on Kingdom Booklet | Hwk: Chp 2: Chp review Part C: Complete Kingdoms of Life |
| Oct 5-9: Microscopes & The Cell | | |
| Hwk: Kingdom Booklet (due next Monday) | | |
| Mon: 10/5 | The Microscope | Hwk: Kingdom Booklet /complete lab as hwk |
| Tues/Wed 10/6 | Learning to use the Microscopes | Hwk: Kingdom Booklet |
| Wed/Thu:10/7 | Animal & Plant Cells | Hwk: Kingdom Booklet |
| Fri: 10/9 | Bubble Wrap Contest Presentation: Ideas due Monday. Paper due next Friday. | Hwk: FINISH Kingdom Booklet Chp 2 test & NB due Next Tues/Wed (10/13 -14) |

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| Oct 12-16: Glenco Red Book: Chp3: The Cell | | |
| Hwk: Chp Tour, Science words:pg 62, 74, Chp Review pg: 86 & 87 Quest 1-10, 17 : Due 10/13 | | |
| Start working on Bubble Wrap Project: DUE: 10/17 | | |
| http://www.sealedair.com/products/protective/bubble/vic/competition_home.html | | |
| Mon: 10/12 | Kingdom Booklet Due. Bubble Wrap Idea due | Hwk: Chp 3(see above), complete sci words pg: 62/ tour part a Bubble Wrap paper due this Friday/ Chp2 NB Due tomorrow |
| Tues/Wed 10/13 | Chp 2: LIFE Final Exam/ NB Due / Grade NB | Hwk: Chp 3: sci words: pg 74, tour part b |
| Wed/Thu 10/14 | Cell Bio: lect 1 | Hwk: Chp 3: tour part c |
| Fri: 10/16 | The Cell: lect 2 Lab: Plant vs Animal Cells | Hwk: Chp Review 86 & 87 Quest 1-10 AND quest 17 Bubble Wrap model due next Friday |
| Oct 19-23: Glenco Chp 3: The Cell & Bubble Wrap Projects | | |
| Hwk: Bubble Wrap Projects | | |
| Mon: 10/19 | Lect 3: Plant Cells | Hwk: Bubble Wrap project |
| Tues/Wed 10/20 | Lect 4: Eucaryot vs Procaryot cells | Hwk: Bubble Wrap project |
| Wed/Thu 10/21 | Lect 5: Organization of Life | Hwk: Bubble Wrap project |
| Fri: 10/23 | Bubble Wrap Competition Display Set Up: | 7am set up time |
| Oct 26-30: Holt Green Life Sci Bk: Chp 3: Cell due Mon Due : 10/22 | | |
| Hwk: Cell Book Project. Holt Green Bk Tour: Chp3 | | |
| Mon: 10/26 | Bubble Wrap Open House | Details to follow |
| Tues/Wed 10/27 | Cell Book Project | Hwk: Chp tour- part a |
| Wed/Thu 10/28 | Cell Book Project Pg 3 & 4 due | Hwk: Chp tour- part b |
| Fri: 10/29 | Cell Book Project Pg 5 & 6 due | Hwk: Chp tour- part c |
| Nov 2-6: Cell Book Project Work Week | | |
| Hwk: Cell Book Project, hand out Cell TH exam Cell Book Due Friday (even if absent!) Cell TH due Monday 11/3 | | |
| Mon: 11/2 | Cell Book Project Pg 7 due | Cell Project Book |
| Tues/Wed 11/3 | Cell Book Project Pg 8 due | Cell Project Book |
| Wed/Thu:11/4 | Cell Book Project finish | FINISH cell project book |
| Fri: 11/6 | Cell Project Due: by 7:30 am- even if absent! In class work time: Take Home Exam | Hwk: Take Home (TH) exam/ be sure NB is complete |
| Nov 9-13: Final Exam, NB Due, Edible Cell Day (no school Wed Nov 11) | | |
| Hwk: Interactive NB, Final exam, 1 pg reflection due with interactive NB | | |
| Mon: 11/9 | TH Due: Grade TH/ Cell Jeopardy | Hwk: Finish NB/ edible cell due Friday/ Cheat Sheet for test |
| Tues/ Thu11/10 | Cell Final Exam/ NB Due | Hwk: Finish NB- reflection / edible cell due Friday |
| Fri: 11/13 | Edible Cell Day/ grade NB | No Homework! |
| Astronomy Week: Nov 16-20 TBA | | |
| Mon: 11/16 | | |
| Tues/Wed 11/17 | | |
| Wed/Thu 11/18 | | |
| Fri: 11/19 | | |
| Thanksgiving Week Nov 23-27 : No HOMEWORK!!!! | | |
| <p>Thanksgiving Extra Credit! Clean up the dishes after the yummy holiday dinner for your mom/dad, grandma, or aunt and earn 10 EXTRA Credit points. THEY must send Mrs Gillum a note telling her about the work you did. Cooking DOES NOT COUNT- yes it is fun, but I want you to help by cleaning up so "the cook" can rest! ☺</p> <p>Email address is: mrsg9064@aol.com ALL extra credit notes MUST BE RECEIVED BY SUNDAY 11/29 @6pm</p> | | |

Remember all homework is due on the due date. You lose 50% if it is 1 day late, 75% for 2 days late. 100% for 3 days late If you are absent on the turn in date, it is due the FIRST day you return to school (bring to Mrs Gillum before school), whether you do or do not have class. Take Home tests must have the answers emailed to Mrs Gillum on the due date morning. You are expected to make up exams the day you return, either before school or at lunch. After 2 days these assignments will become zeros.

The Cell Book Project is to be brought to school on Friday Nov 6 by 7:30 am even if you are absent.