

Grade 8 Wolf Team

May 20, 2022 Open Cluster Meeting

CURRICULUM UPDATES

- ★ Math
- ★ Science
- ★ Social Studies
- ★ Language Arts



MATH - CHRISTINE SILEO

Math 8

- Current Unit: Review linear functions (most important topic for Algebra 1 next year)
- Next unit: Transformations

Algebra

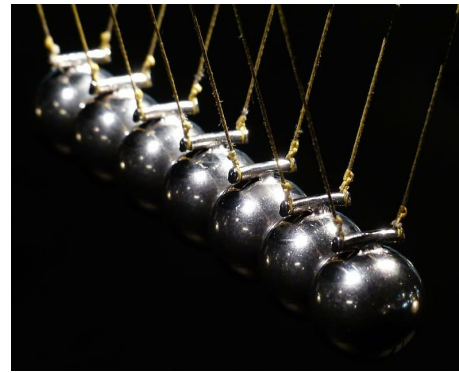
- Current unit: Piecewise Functions
- Next unit: Absolute Value Functions

Geometry

- Current unit: Transformations
- Next Unit: Circles
- Absolute Value Functions



SCIENCE - KIM DUPUIS



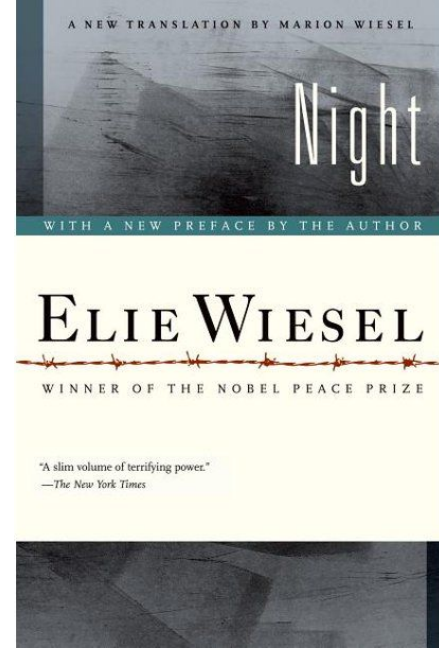
- **Currently:** Finishing our Physics Unit
 - **Unit Test-** Friday, May 27th
- **Up Next:** Environmental Science Poster Project



LANGUAGE ARTS - SAMM LESKA

- **Previous Unit: Synthesis Literary Analysis**

- Focus on theme
- Formal literary analysis synthesizing a film and short story.
- Grammar: Active and Passive Voice



- **Now/Upcoming: Memoir**

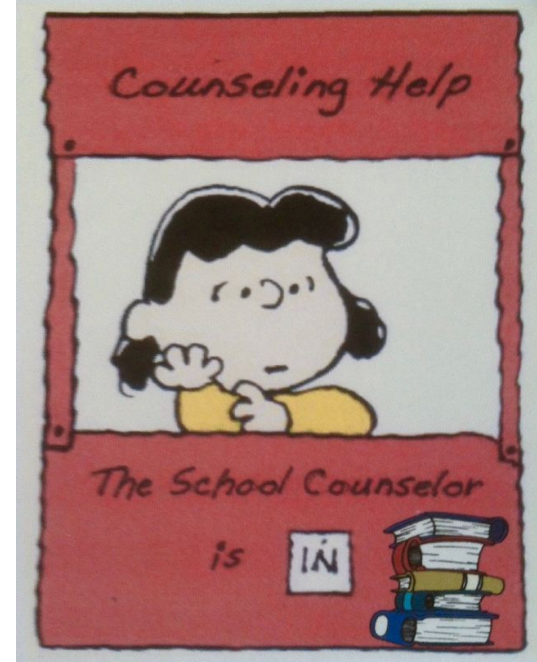
- Mentor Text: Night by Elie Wiesel
- Independent text: Self-selected memoir
- Focus on: narrative craft techniques, purpose, and impact
- Students will write their own memoir!
- Grammar: Verbs



COUNSELING

★ Alecsa Wecker- 8th grade counselor

- Transition to SHS
 - Completed- picking courses, Alecsa to HS
 - Up Next- 1:1 meeting with HS counselor June 10 or June 13



END OF YEAR EVENTS

* ALL PERMISSION SLIPS, PAYMENT,
AND WAIVER DUE TODAY *

5/24

NGSS Testing

5/26

Holocaust Speaker

6/1

* Staples visit

6/7

* Chelsea Piers

6/10 and 6/13

Staples Counselors meet with
students individually at CMS

6/17

* Mahackeno Outdoor Center

6/20

Moving Up Ceremony