

## **Team PHOENIX Homework**

**Date - Tuesday, November 15, 2016**

ABSENTEES need to check mailbox for all handouts and be sure that they are glued into the appropriate notebook to be prepared for returning to classes.

- The PSAT registration and \$10.00 fee is due to Mrs. Cripps by December 1 if you are interested in applying for the Academic Challenge Program for grade 8. This is your only opportunity to apply to AC. The PSAT is not a requirement, but will earn you “bonus points” in the application process.
- NEXT Monday (Nov. 21) is Picture Make-Up Day -- Mrs. Cripps has order forms if you need them. If you already purchased a packet and want re-takes, please make sure you bring back those photos. If you were absent on Picture Day - you need to get your picture taken for the Yearbook :-)

**Writing** - Students discussed the importance of using evidence in writing and submitted topics for approval for their first marking period reflection. Junk Drawer - List concepts and skills you have learning in writing during the first marking period.

**HW** - None.

**Reading** - Reading Check on 1st section in Tangerine (Make up ASAP); discussed and worked on p. 86: setting and characters in introduction

**HW** - read up to Thursday, August 31st in Tangerine, finish p. 86 if not finished in class

**Math** - Students are working with complex fractions and unit rates.

**HW:** Period 1 (only) - Finish Page 132 (Lesson 15 Packet). Periods 2 and 3 - Finish pages 132 and 133 (Lesson 15 Packet) **Periods 4 and 5 --- EITHER Do 4.1 online OR Complete pgs. 121/122 in your textbook.**

**Science** - Today we conducted an experiment looking at diffusion across a membrane (plastic bag). We reviewed and summarized cell transport. **UPCOMING:** Cell Transport Quiz

**HW** - No written homework due to lab. Review nightly for Friday's quiz

**Social Studies** - Today we discussed the meaning of the word UNITY.

**HW** - Students created an image of unity on index cards in class today. Tonight, on the back of the index card, please answer the question: **How does my illustration promote unity?**

**Portfolio** -