

Team PHOENIX Homework

Date - Thursday, December 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.

- Don't forget your \$1.00 donation to be able to wear jeans and/or a holiday sweater (no antlers nor hats) on Dec. 22 our Early Release Day.
- Our Aquatics Center OPENED TODAY!
- Interim grade reports were distributed to students yesterday - Please bring back a SIGNED COPY to your homeroom teacher = bird bill :-)

Writing - Students focused on key elements of organization and provided feedback to peers. Students continued practicing with commas. Comma quiz is Monday.

Junk Drawer - Free

HW - Donations are being accepted for Heifer International.

Reading - finished, discussed and edited p. 120; returned and discussed reading check on p. 121; started and discussed fig. Lang. assignment on p. 123

HW - read to end, log, proverbs

Math - Students are continuing to work with proportional relationships in problems, tables, graphs and equations. Then working with markups and markdowns and finding % increase or % decrease.

HW: Period 1,2 and 3 did a graded classwork assignment so they don't have written homework tonight. A UNIT TEST will be given early next week (Tues/Wed) **Periods 4+5 - Unit Test will be early next week.**

Science - Today's theme was "organization". Students use the class web site to gather material on classification/taxonomy (ISN page 57-58). Period 4 completed ISN pages 54 and reviewed. Next topic: Classification and Kingdoms

Science Fair: Research questions (minimum of 3) are due Friday periods 4,5. See handout for directions.

HW - Organize something at home. Briefly describe what you did and have a parent sign= bird bill on Friday. Work on research questions if needed.

Social Studies - Today we reviewed the misconceptions associated with Vikings, discussed Viking mythology, took notes on Valhalla, and tackled issues that bother us in today's world..

HW - Finish Thor's Hammer. What did you choose to hammer out in the world? Explain. 50 words or more.

Portfolio - Goals should be completed and inserted into the introductory section of your portfolio, according to your teacher's deadline.