

# Wasatch Peak Academy

# SIXTH GRADE NEWS

{Monday, September 23rd – Friday, September 27th}

## Literacy

In writing this week we are focusing on background knowledge and counterclaims. For Downsiders we are moving through chapter 8.

## Math

This week we are digging into our second unit of the year... *Operations with Integers*.

## Homeroom

**Social Studies:** This week we are focusing on Pre-History in preparation for our next unit of *Ancient Civilizations*.

**Science:** This week we are moving into lessons on the *Greenhouse Effect* and how the Sun interacts with Earth's atmosphere.

**MS. NEWMAN**

## Literacy

This week we will be working on DIBELS progress monitoring, reading and spelling, root words.

## Math

This week we will be working on rates, ratios, and measurement

## Homeroom

**Social studies:** Ancient Israel, Mesopotamia and Egypt connections and Phoenician trade

**Science:** Wrapping up space and prepping for the test.

**MR. LOTT**

## Literacy

This week we will begin our research on animal habitats and review how to cite resources properly. We will also focus on writing an expository essay.

## Math

This week we are focusing on converting decimals into fractions and percentages.

## Homeroom

**Social Studies:** This week we will focus on the four empires that flourished in Mesopotamia- Akkadians, Babylonians, Assyrians, Neo-Babylonians

**Science:** This week we will focus on thermal energy.

**MRS. MONTALVO**

## Important REMINDERS

- Don't forget to check Aspire to stay up to date on your child's assignments and grades.
- The first Teton's payment and registration was due the 20<sup>th</sup> of September
- Any registration questions, ask Ms. Newman. Any payment questions, ask Mrs. Becky.

## Upcoming EVENTS