

George Kelly School: 7th Grade CORE

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4/24/2020 pick-up materials

5/8/2020 pick-up materials and drop-off Weeks 1 and 2 Assignments

5/15/2020 drop-off Weeks 3 and 4 Assignments

This Curriculum has been developed to support and reinforce the Core- ELA and Social Studies Middle School Standards:

Formatting ELA/Social Studies Assignments:

1. Typed/ or written in **INK** must include the following:
 - a. Name
 - b. Teacher's name
 - c. Week# and date range
 - d. Questions and answers: Study Sync use RACE format/ BLAST answer the questions
 - e. Questions and answers: Complete sentences restating the question in your answer

Submitting Required Assignments:

1. Best option: Complete on-line through:
 - a. Study Sync for ELA both Think Questions and BLAST
 - b. Share through Office 365
 - c. Attach document and send through e-mail
 - d. Scan OR take a photo of completed assignment and attach to e-mail (written assignments MUST be completed legibly in **INK**)
2. Physical drop-off to school: **Fri. May 8 and Fri. May 15 *Refer to GKE Drop-off Schedule**

Assignments for the Week of April 27- May 2 , 2020

Language Arts:

Complete the following Study Sync Assignments:

1. Read the excerpt from the *Apollo 13* (see below), annotating as you read.

2. Answer the **Apollo 13 Think Questions** (see below), using the R.A.C.E. format (Restate the question, Answer the question, Cite Textual Evidence, and Explain your evidence) format. Remember that grammar, spelling, and punctuation count.
3. Complete the assigned **BLAST** (see below) and respond to five of your peers. Remember that we can see **A L L** of your responses.
4. Expand your BRAIN and Continue Reading different genres of books!
5. Remember to submit your **BEST** work.
6. **Completed Think Questions and BLAST are due by Saturday, May 2th**

First Read: Apollo 13: Mission Highlights

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Annotations

Apollo 13 Think Questions:

Question 1

What words, phrases, or clues in the first two paragraphs help readers determine the subject (or content) area of the text? Cite specific textual evidence to support your answer.

Question 2

What is the impact of technical language on the tone of the text? Cite specific evidence from the text to support your answer.

Question 3

How effective is the use of technical language in the text? Cite specific textual evidence to support your answer.

Question 4

Use context clues to determine the meaning of the word **formidable** as it is used in paragraph 10 of the text. Write your definition of “formidable” and identify the context clues you used to figure out the meaning of the word.

Question 5

Use context clues to determine the meaning of **devised** in paragraph 14. Write your definition of “devised” and identify the context clues you used in the text to determine its meaning. Confirm your definition by looking up “devise” in the dictionary. Revise your definition as needed.

Close Read: Apollo 13: Mission Highlights

Skills Focus

1. As you reread the first three paragraphs, highlight the names of the two spacecraft in which the astronauts are working and living. Highlight, too, how the text helps readers understand the difference between the two spacecraft. What context clues in paragraph 3, including any Greek or Latin prefixes, suffixes, or roots of words, help readers understand the technical information and technical language in paragraph 2? Highlight specific textual evidence, and use the annotation tool to explain your responses.

CA-CCSS: [L.7.6](#), [CA.RI.7.1](#), [CA.RI.7.4](#)

2. In paragraph 4, Lovell tells Houston that the problem is with a “main B bus undervolt.” What clues in paragraph 3 help you infer what the “main B bus undervolt” supplies? Then highlight textual evidence in paragraph 5, and use the annotation tool to cite the other technical problems that the spacecraft is experiencing.

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3. Why was the removal of carbon dioxide from the LM a problem in paragraph 14? How did Mission Control solve the problem? Highlight specific technical language, including any Greek or Latin prefixes, suffixes, or roots of words, that helped you understand the technical information and technical language in the paragraph. Use the annotation tool to help support your response.

CA-CCSS: [L.7.4b](#), [CA.L.7.6](#), [CA.RI.7.1](#), [CA.RI.7.4](#), [CA.SL.7.1a](#)

4. In paragraph 17, the text states: “A most remarkable achievement of Mission Control was quickly developing procedures for powering up the CM after its long cold sleep.” What did flight controllers do to solve the problem? Highlight specific technical language and evidence in the text, and use the annotation tool to help explain your response.

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5. Apollo’s 13’s original mission was to explore a lunar highland, but after the explosion and failure of the spacecraft’s oxygen tanks, the astronauts and mission control had a new goal in mind. What was this goal? Was it accomplished? Highlight specific evidence in paragraphs 15 and 18, and use the annotation tool to help explain your answers.

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Social Studies:

Complete the following Assignments:

1. Read the DBQ/Background Essay entitled *How did the Renaissance Change Man's View of the World?* Think about this question as you are reading the document.
2. Read both Documents C and D. Simply write out the question and your answer in complete sentences restating the question in your answer.
3. Write an evidence sandwich that answer the questions *How did the Renaissance Change Man's View of the World?*

Evidence Sandwich Format:

- **Claim**
 - **Background information in regards to the topic**
 - **Evidence -- Directly stated with a citation**
 - **Explain**
 - **Why it matters to the claim**
4. **Completed Background Essay Questions, Documents C and D, and the Evidence Sandwich are due by Saturday, May 2nd.**

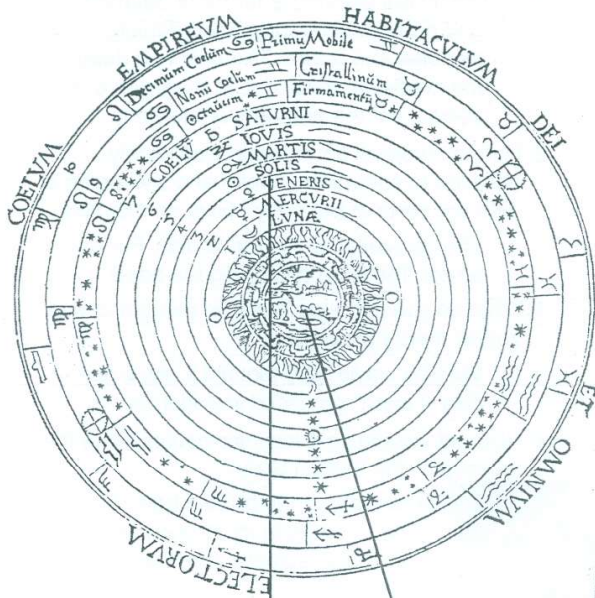
Document C

Source: Drawings of the universe by Claudius Ptolemy (circa 100 CE) and Nicolaus Copernicus (circa 1500).

Note: Ptolemy (tol-eh-mee) was a Roman astronomer who lived in Alexandria, Egypt, shortly after the time of Jesus. He developed a theory of the universe that was adopted by most scholars during the Middle Ages. The Polish astronomer Nicolaus Copernicus lived from 1473 to 1543. Relying mostly on mathematics and observation, he developed a different understanding of the universe. Geocentric means “earth-centered” and heliocentric means “sun-centered.”

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The Geocentric Universe of Ptolemy

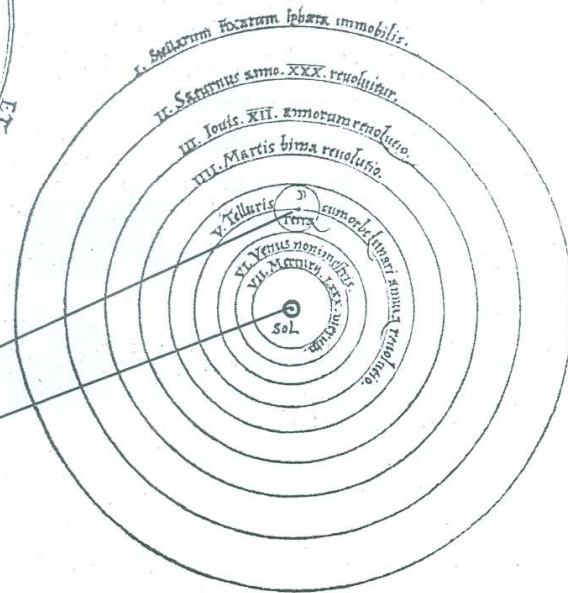


Note: The Latin in the outer sphere can be translated “The Empire of Heaven and the Home of God and the Elect.”

EARTH

SUN

The Heliocentric Universe of Copernicus



Document Analysis

1. According to Ptolemy’s diagram, how does the universe work? Where is the sun (solis) in his diagram?
2. According to Copernicus’s diagram, how does the universe work?
3. The ideas of Copernicus were upsetting to the Catholic Church. What might explain this?
4. Which drawing of the universe has a habitation or home for God, the deity?
5. How might the ideas of Copernicus have changed the way people thought about the nature of man and man’s place in the universe?

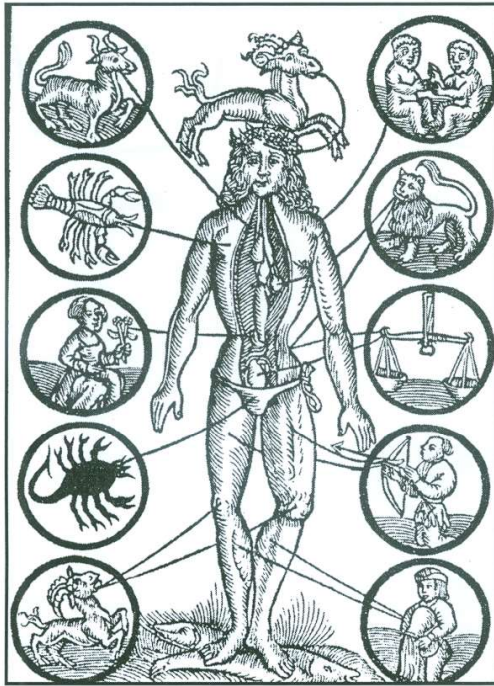
Document D

Source: A woodcut called "Zodiac Man" from a book by German astronomer Johann Regiomontanus, 1512, and a woodcut from the anatomy book *On the Makeup of the Human Body* by Belgian physician Andreas Vesalius, 1543.

Note: The image on the left reflects the Middle Ages belief that each sign of the zodiac* governed a certain part of the body. For example, the constellation of stars called Aries the Ram controlled the head. The illustration on the right was based on the research done by Andreas Vesalius, who dissected human corpses to better explain the human body.

EV

*The zodiac is a band of 12 constellations (stars) that stretch across the sky.



Document Analysis

1. Which of the drawings is more realistic? Explain.
2. During medieval times, what was widely believed to control the health and well being of different parts of the body? Give an example.
3. What do you suppose Vesalius thought of the zodiac theory of anatomy?
4. How did Vesalius get his information about the makeup of the human body?
5. In summary, how does this document reveal how the Renaissance changed man's view of the world?