SULLIVAN MIDDLE SCHOOL

8TH GRADE

Math:
Math 8: We are currently in Unit 3 working on Linear Relationships. Students will be able to create a table, graph, and equation to represent linear relationships by the end of the unit.
Intermediate Algebra: We just started Unit 2 on Linear and Exponential Relationships. Students will be able to create tables, graphs, and equations to represent linear and exponential relationships by the end of the unit.
Geometry: We are currently in Unit 2 on Congruence, Construction, and Proof. Students are learning the properties of shapes and how to prove the construction of those shapes using only a compass and straightedge.

Science: In science, we are wrapping up our first unit called Ocean Powered. Students are completing a summative research project on renewable energy. After MEA break we will be starting our second unit called Movie Magic.

ELA: We are finishing the book The House on Mango Street. When we finish the book, we will write an essay about a theme that shows up in the novel. Students have been finding evidence of the themes throughout the novel and should be ready to write in two weeks. We are also working on controlling our voices and speaking only when it's appropriate.

Specialists: Ask your child how their specialist classes are going. Eighth grade students currently have Art, Health, Gym, and/or Band.
Health Education classes have been studying the anatomy and physiology of the Female & Male Reproductive Systems and are currently learning about Pregnancy.

History: After MEA break we will begin our History Day unit! Your student will get to pick a topic to research for the next few months that fits our theme of "Revolutions, Revolts, and Reform." We're excited to see they topics they come up with!

Calendar Events: Picture Day: Friday, October 24th
NO School: Tuesday, November 4 and
Wednesday, November 26 - Friday, November 28