

January



CTE - AG, Careers, Tech Apps I & II, & Leadership

What We Are Learning

AG - Students will learn technical knowledge and skills related to animal systems. This includes breeds of animals, animal growth and development, animal anatomy, and physiology.

Leadership - Students will set SMART goals and explore growth vs. fixed mindsets, the teen brain, and how neuroplasticity helps them grow.

Tech Apps I - Students are learning digital citizenship and will be introduced to Google Applications.

Tech Apps II - We will be introducing robotics to the 8th grade students - starting with the history of robotics, robotics locomotion, correlation between Human Senses and Robotic Sensors, & the Design Process.

Talk About Learning

AG - Each unit will include identify and evaluate breeds and classes of livestock. Students can practice identifying animals as they drive to school or review notes from class.

Leadership - Discuss your student's SMART goals with them. Discuss why a growth mindset is important to be successful in life. Understand the teen brain and why they are the way they are.

Tech Apps I - we have several vocabulary words to know: Digital Footprint, Upstander, Cyberbullying, Digital Drama, Fair Use

Tech Apps II - The word "robot" comes from the Czech language, and it has a surprisingly human—and a bit grim—origin. Derived from the Czech word *robot* meaning: forced labor, drudgery, compulsory work, or slavery.

Upcoming Events

1/16 - Tech Apps I, Digital Citizenship Test
(tentative)

1/16 - Leadership Vision Boards due

1/23 - AG - Breeds of Cattle Test

Important Reminders

Leadership students MUST have a comp. notebook, spiral or folder.

AG - Please bring a pen or pencil to class every day!

Help!

Leadership could use Kleenex and pencils/bulk candy (pretty please)

Tutoring Help!

7:30 - 7:50

Tech Apps I - M, W, TH, F

Tech Apps II - W

Leadership - T, W, TH

