

March

7th & 8th Grade Science



What We Are Learning



7th Grade - students will be learning about how ecosystems are dependent on the cycling of matter and the flow of energy using trophic levels, energy pyramids, and food webs (7.12AB)

8th Grade - Students are learning about weather & climate. We will be studying how ocean currents & global winds influence climate. We will learn about weather symbols and fronts & how they affect local weather. After Spring Break, students will be learning about seasons and tides.

Talk About Learning

7th Grade - Have students explain the unit vocabulary in their own words. Important terms this month are: consumer, producer, decomposer, primary consumer, secondary consumer, and tertiary consumer.

8th Grade - Have students watch the weather and help the meteorologist predict the weather based on weather symbols and fronts that will be in our area.



Important Reminders

- 7th Grade - Frog dissection labs will be March 4th and 5th
- 8th Grade - Science STAAR is April 21. We will begin to review for the STAAR March 30th.
- Please check Skyward weekly for missing work that your student needs to complete.
- Mrs. Underwood and Mrs. Davis are available most mornings at 7:30 for tutoring.
- Pinkerton Tutoring - Tuesday and Wednesday mornings, sometimes Friday mornings at 7:30am; Penney's tutorial times are MWF, 7:30am

Upcoming Events

7th Grade -

3/2/26: Reproduction & Traits Test

3/4/26-3/5/26: Frog Dissection Lab 3/9/26-

3/13/26: Spring Break

8th Grade -

3/4 - Climate and Weather Test

3/26 - Season & Tides Test

4/21 - Science STAAR TEST

Misc.



7th Grade - we need bulk candy or small prizes for student incentives.

8th Grade - we need Sour Patch candy and Dum Dums for student incentives.

