

# Mrs. Sorensen's Newsletter

1ST QUARTER GRADES WILL BE SENT OUT NEXT WEEK!

## ENJOY THE FALL WEATHER!

### MIDDLE SCHOOL



#### IMPORTANT DATES:

Saturday, October 17: Picture day at the Barn

November 3 & 4: Parent conferences

November 26 & 27: Thanksgiving break

7th grade has been continuing with math, US history, and Russian in the morning. In the afternoons, we are playing badminton (generally, there will be about 6 students who show up), then science lessons online, and a language arts project of creating commercials targeting a specific audience. Feodora and Maxim have been very creative and they're using their writing and speaking skills to persuade their audiences!

## HIGH SCHOOL / REMOTE LEARNING

High school students are continuing working on line, looking at non-fiction structures and reading The Iliad, the story of the Trojan war in ancient Greece. They are also studying world history, biology, business math/algebra, Russian and PE. Everyone is at a different place on assignments, and working at their own pace with weekly checkins.

Just a reminder, students on remote learning need to be working on school assignments at least 1.5 hours per day. Parents should really check PowerSchool to see how their child is doing.

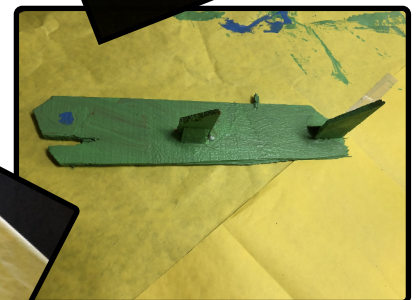
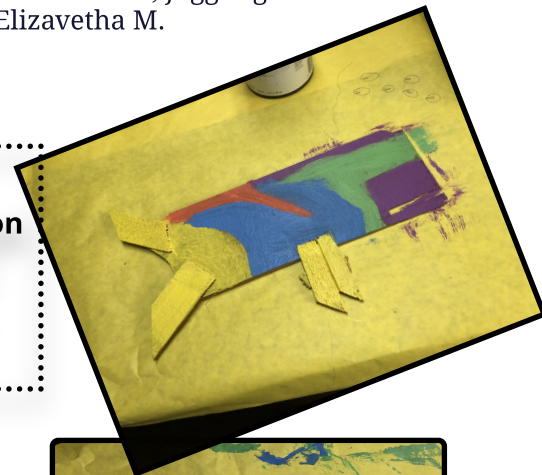
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I have been teaching Science for grades 4 & 5 as well, juggling this with the older students along with Effimia's sub, Elizavetha M.

#### Remote Learning Tips:

**Spend 1.5 hours per day focused on school work with no distractions.**

**Use your phone as a hot spot for your laptop**



Trash art painted fish by grades 4 & 5