



Baylor College of Medicine Academy

INSTRUCTIONAL AGENDA

JAMES D. RYAN MIDDLE SCHOOL

Week of: Feb 26, 2024

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Upcoming Events	

Report Card Dates
October 6
November 17
January 12
March 8
April 26
June 5

6TH GRADE	
6th ELA Madison Jones	Learning Goal: Assignments:
6th Social Studies Patrice Scott	Learning Goal: Scholars will identify and describe the culture in Europe during the Renaissance Period. Research the ESPN of a country to create a Travel Brochure. Assignments: Reading / GO, Video Analysis, DOL and Performance Task (Brochure)
6th Math Delphine Bush	Learning Goal: Assignments:
6th Science Reuben Nicholas	Learning Goal: Scholars will identify and describe major tectonic plates found on Earth and describe how plate movements contribute to many major geological events. Assignments: African American Scientist Project due March 1st. Please, check Student Planners for updated information on Assignments or Projects during the week. Copies of all assignments and class notes are located in Canvas.

6th Neuroscience Lakesha Williams	Learning Goal: Assignments:
6th Physical Education Adam Johnson	Learning Goal: Fitness and Team Sports - Make Sure All Students bring a change of clothes for athletics. Assignments: Quizz, Kayhoot, Case Study, Handout

7TH GRADE	
7th ELA Tiffany Carter	Learning Goal: Students will be able to synthesize information to create new understanding, draw inferences from fiction texts and support those inferences with evidence from the text. Students will also be able to use text evidence to support an appropriate response in a fiction text, explain the author's purpose and message within a fiction text, and make connections to personal experiences, ideas in other texts, and society. Assignments: Homework: LSAE Reading Comprehension Packet - Due Friday
7th Social Studies Shevon Williams	Learning Goal: Assignments:
7th Math Corryncia Morgan	Learning Goal: SWBAT find the probability of dependent events. SWBAT will demonstrate mastery of probability on an exam. Assignments: Dependent Events HW
7th Algebra Arnaldo Eligio	Learning Goal: Solve quadratic equations with real solutions using the quadratic formula. Learning Goal: Solve quadratic equations using quadratic formula
7th Science Tigi Jade	Learning Goal: Analyze the process of photosynthesis in plants Assignments: Worksheets, Quiz on the process of photosynthesis.
7th Scientific Decision Making Jonathan Rasti	Learning Goal: SWBAT identify common bacterial illnesses including the signs and symptoms and populations affected. Assignments: BrianPOP "black plague" bacteria infographic
7th Technology Applications Greysi Chao	Learning Goal: Create an algorithm that involves variable, conditionals, operators, or logic. Assignments: ○ Activity 1.5 – Decision Time § Screenshot of the block page for all 4 screens.

	§ Conclusion question.
7th Physical Education Kentavious Jones	Learning Goal: Fitness and Team Sports - Make Sure All Students bring a change of clothes for athletics. Assignments: Quiz, Kayhoot, Case Study, Handout

8TH GRADE	
8th ELA Vanetta Dupree	Learning Goal: Students will be able to synthesize information to create new understanding, draw inferences from fiction texts and support those inferences with evidence from the text. Students will also be able to use text evidence to support an appropriate response in a fiction text, explain the author's purpose and message within a fiction text, and make connections to personal experiences, ideas in other texts, and society. Assignments: Homework: LSAE Reading Comprehension Packet - Due Friday
8th ELA Nicole Emsley	Learning Goal: Assignments:
8th Social Studies Brent Telle	Learning Goal: Apply knowledge of US History STAAR Concepts; Locate and Compare Geographic Features and Regions of the US; Analyze the Impact of Geography on Human Settlement; Analyze Concepts of US Civil War and Reconstruction Assignments: Mock STAAR Review; US History Detailed Map Creation; US Geography ACES Response; Timeline 3 Completion (1828-1876)
8th Math Arnaldo Eligio	Learning Goal: Explain how small amounts of money invested regularly, including money saved for college and retirement, grow over time. Assignments: Savings for College, Investments, Credit and College
8th Algebra Arnaldo Eligio	Learning Goal: Solve quadratic equations with real solutions using the quadratic formula. Assignments: Solve quadratic equations using quadratic formula
8th Math	Learning Goal: Analyze and compare simple and compound interests.

Ricardo Elegarle	Assignments: Calculating simple and compound interests.
8th Geometry Ricardo Elegarle	Learning Goal: Apply the interest formulas to solve savings and investing problems. Calculating simple and compound interests.
	Assignments: Investigate how organisms and populations in an ecosystem depend on and may compete for biotic and abiotic factors such as quantity of light, water, range of temperatures, or soil composition.
8th Science Elizabeth Espino	Describe and compare primary and secondary succession
	Learning Goal : Food Chain/ Food Web /Ecological succession
8th Science Kaaren TysonDupigny	Learning Goal:
	Assignments:
8th IPC Elizabeth Espino	Learning Goal:Illustrate and describe the components of ecosystem and the flow of energy through the living system .
	Assignments:Analyzing Food Web diagram
8th Latin Stephen Bowen	Learning Goal:
	Assignments:
8th Art Jose Figueroa	Learning Goal:SWBAT IDENTIFY, ANALYZE, UNDERSTAND and APPLY the Principles of Design to the Elements of Art in building the Art Car or completing the Black History Project based on African American artists Jacob Lawrence and Kehinde Wiley.
	Assignments: SW IDENTIFY, ANALYZE, UNDERSTAND, and APPLY 1 of 2 Principles of Design to the Elements of Art in building the Art Car or in an artwork inspired by Jacob Lawrence or Kehinde Wiley. Other activities as assigned: Art Contests; Art Exhibitions, and Independent Study.
8th Principles of Biosciences Michael Wertz	Learning Goal: Students will make physical models of components of the processes of transcription, and translation.
	Assignments: Students will complete preliminary testable questions for their Genes in Space competition entry proposals.



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