

Math: This month students will move into our second unit, which will cover translations, reflections, and rotations in the plane and, more importantly, how to use them to precisely define the concept of congruence. This unit also ends with an initial dive into the Pythagorean Theorem, which will be a theme that comes up all year.
 In Algebra students will do a lengthy look into solving equations and inequalities and what the solution sets mean.
Continue to access KhanAcademy for extra support with the material! ---Ms. Bovill & Mr. Arbuckle

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Humanities: Eighth-graders worked through a productive September in which we set up routines for word study, novel study, independent reading, and Reader's Workshop. We'll continue with those components into October, with an aim of finishing our class novel by the end of the month. Students should count on bringing their independent-reading books and workshop journals with them every day in October. Please encourage them to work with Mrs. McKenna in the library to make sure they always have something great to read. Also, continue to be in touch about progress and grades -- this quarter still counts for composite scores! ---Mr. Ventre

Reminders:

As the weather starts to turn, make sure your child is dressed for continuing with outdoor play. Additionally, ensure that hoodies or long sleeve shirts for indoors are in uniform color.

Students will begin having articulation sessions from high school in advisory. They should be thinking about questions to ask the different schools.

Keep looking into shadow days!

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**Science:** As we head in to fall students will move on to the periodic table. They will not be expected to memorize the entire thing, but they will need to know how the table is organized and the reasoning behind the organization system. It is very important to continue to review old material as we add new information. All of the topics throughout the year are connected and students have to remember to see the big picture. ---Ms. Bovill & Mrs. Castilo

The following students had **perfect attendance**, including **no tardies**, in September: Madison Carrington, AJ Carter, Josh Cerny, Trevor Fortier, Lashaya Hines, Mariya Jennings, K’Won Johnson, Johnathan Kane, Jada Lewis, Ayana Longshore, Tijah Mintz, Verdell Powe, Dakota Purnell, Michael Scott, Alive Victorson, and Jada Wright
Keep up the great work!



It’s a new season. A perfect opportunity to do something new, something bold, something beautiful.

**Dates to Know:**

* October 1st – Individual picture day
* October 2nd – First monthly NYC payment due
* October 3rd – Early release for students
* October 4th, 11th, 31st – Soccer Games
* October 10th – City High School articulation
* October 17th – Gilman articulation
* October 19th – No school for students
* October 24th – Bard articulation
* October 26th – Poly Talk & Tour
* October 27th – Outdoor Day at RVR
* October 30th – City Neighbors Articulation
* October 31st – P-Tech articulation