

NOR'EASTERS

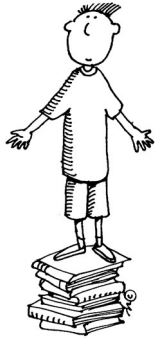


We can't wait for the 2018-2019 school year to begin and to meet all of you! The Nor'easter Team is the best in the school, and we're looking forward to proving it.



This year, you will be going to sea on the Floating Lab, writing short stories, and charting the progress of the stock market. We also hope that all students can join us when we visit the sites in Washington, D.C. and Philadelphia.

The transition into 8th grade is extremely important for the Nor'easters. You will gain independence, accountability, and self-advocacy. These skills will benefit you and assist in the transition to high school. Get ready for an amazing year!



NOR'EASTER TEACHERS

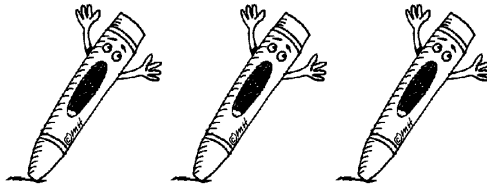
Mr. Ryan Barry	-----	American Studies
Mr. Josh Bremberg	-----	Science
Mrs. Sharon Kilduff	-----	Math
Mrs. Jade Lesage	-----	English
Ms. Alison Falcone	-----	Special Ed. Case Mgr.
Ms. Kate Denby	-----	Grade 8 Counselor

Team Materials

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| - Assignment Notebook | - Pencils & pens |
| - Homework folder | - Erasers/eraser caps |
| - Headphones/Ear Buds | - Pencil case/pouch |
| w/ computer adapter | - Highlighters |
| - Scientific Calculator | - Sticky notes |
| - Loose leaf paper | - 4x6 index cards |

IMPORTANT DATES

Open House/DC Meeting – September 11
Parent Conferences – November 15 & 16
Washington DC Trip – April (TBD)
Floating Lab – May 23



RELATED ARTS

Students will be integrated into the following Related Arts classes:

Trimester 1 – Tech Ed. w/ Mr. Hill **or**

Creative Computing & Media w/ Mrs. Roy

Trimester 2 – Health w/ Mrs. Kukas

Trimester 3 – Art w/ Ms. Bernier

WORLD LANGUAGE

Bonjour! ¡Hola! and welcome back to Spanish and French. We would like to remind you that this year is a continuation of last year's language experience, and that the two years combined is equal to a high school year (Level 1) of Spanish or French. As a student of world language, you will be learning about the culture and geography of many Hispanic or Franco countries in addition to grammar and vocabulary. Students in 8th grade world language classes can expect to have homework nightly as well as several oral and written projects throughout the year. It is important that you receive extra help if you have been absent or if you are struggling because all work is cumulative and builds on itself in future lessons. We look forward to a successful and fun year together.

READING

Reading skills taught in the seventh grade reading program are reinforced as students continue to develop an in-depth understanding of the reading process. Students will continue to be actively engaged in the analysis of text structure and vocabulary usage in order to further increase comprehension of different types of reading materials. The main goal upon completion of eighth grade reading is for students to become independent, fluent readers.

NOR'EASTER TEAM T-SHIRT

Don't forget to order your Nor'easter T-shirt when we return to school!