

Grade 8 October Newsletter

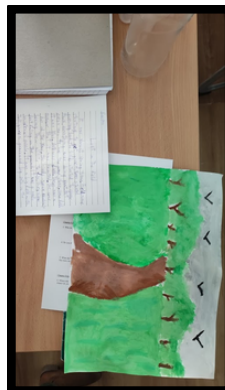
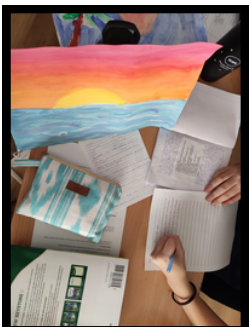


Language Arts...

Students worked and played hard this month. We began with oral presentations and writing story introductions. We continued with novel work and reading comprehension from unit two in the Keystone books. At the end of the month, we spent time in Malta on an integration trip which saw us practicing our English daily.

Math...

Students worked extensively on tackling the units dealing with volume and surface area. We created a 3D city and worked on finding the volumes and surface areas of all the buildings. We also began looking at ratios and rates.



Science...

The students have learned about the effects and causes of mutations, the environmental and genetic factors as well as the dominant and recessive traits in adults and their offspring.

History...

We worked on creating newspapers of different events and fronts of World War II, focusing on summarizing the important events of each of the years of the war. We also participated in a gallery walk lesson where we learned about the Holocaust.