

# Grade 8 December Newsletter



## Language Arts...

Students have been working on creating and writing short stories. Students were able to illustrate and write different parts of the story during lessons in class. We began the next unit and were able to continue working with new vocabulary and academic words. We reviewed grammar and read for comprehension.

## Math...

Students worked on the Percents workbook question problems as a class and individually. They were able to review the unit and finish up all missing work as well as complete any make-up assignments.

## Science...

Grade 8 this month have learnt about human evolution and the different types of species that existed before our species which are the human sapiens. They have also learnt about the different types of fossils and what is considered a fossil.

## History...

Students worked on taking Cornell notes during lessons on Near East- Arab-Israeli Conflicts and the Rivalry of the United States and the USSR. They also learned about Communism in Poland and how the Poles fought to keep their identity alive.

