# Grade 7 Newsletter

What We Learned...

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## Language Arts

Students began the first unit of the Keystone textbook focused on the big question: How does the natural world effect us? They read about Native Americans and ecosystems. During their journals, students have been working on sensory imagery in their writing, and identifying it in texts they read. Students also started reading the novel, The Maze, by James Dashner. They have been working in Literature Circles, similar to a book club, to discuss their questions and comprehension of the story.

### **Mathematics**

Students have been working on reviewing order of operations. They have been focusing on writing and solving equations for word problems that include positive and negative numbers, and decimals.

#### Science

Students learnt about the basic building blocks of the human body and then took their first look at the 11 body systems. To build their study skills, they practiced transforming text into clear, organized notes by extracting the most important information.

#### History

Students learned about the Congress of Vienna, its effects on European politics, and the effects to Poland's land. Students have started looking at the Industrial Revolution and comparing how it has changed our world.









