

Message From the Principal

Hey Mapleview Families!

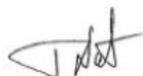
I hope you had a great week and are looking forward to a relaxing and enjoyable Memorial Day Weekend. I hope you enjoy the long weekend!

Please see my [video announcement](#) this week for some important updates, including the following information:

- Meal Program Memorial Day Weekend Schedule
- Yearbook Delivery
- Student Materials Drop-Off
- June 1-4 Activities
- Kind Kid, Bobcash and Trivia Winners

6th grade students, this week your teachers shared with you information about your transition to JRG, a video and a form to answer questions. Parents, that video is included [here](#) for your viewing.

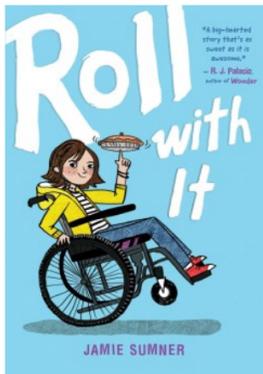
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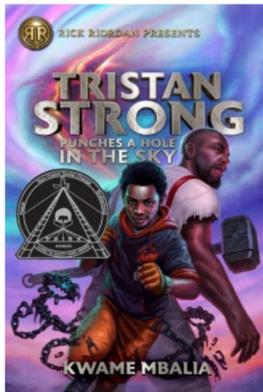
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WHAT'S NEW IN THE MAPLEVIEW LMC



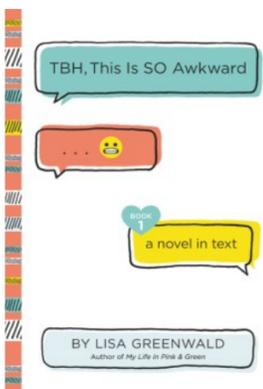
ROLL WITH IT BY JAMIE SUMNER

Ellie's a girl who tells it like it is. That surprises some people, who see a kid in a wheelchair and think she's going to be all sunshine and cuddles. The thing is, Ellie has big dreams: She might be eating Stouffer's for dinner, but one day she's going to be a professional baker. If she's not writing fan letters to her favorite celebrity chefs, she's practicing recipes on her well-meaning, if overworked, mother. But when Ellie and her mom move so they can help take care of her ailing grandpa, Ellie has to start all over again in a new town at a new school. Except she's not just the new kid--she's the new kid in the wheelchair who lives in the trailer park on the wrong side of town. It all feels like one challenge too many, until Ellie starts to make her first-ever friends. Now she just has to convince her mom that this town might just be the best thing that ever happened to them!



TRISTAN STRONG PUNCHES A HOLE IN THE SKY BY KWAME MBALIA

Seventh grader Tristan Strong feels anything but strong ever since he failed to save his best friend when they were in a bus accident together. All he has left of Eddie is the journal his friend wrote stories in. Tristan is dreading the month he's going to spend on his grandparents' farm in Alabama, where he's being sent to heal from the tragedy. But on his first night there, a sticky creature shows up in his bedroom and steals Eddie's notebook. Tristan chases after it and a tug-of-war ensues between them underneath a Bottle Tree. In a last attempt to wrestle the journal out of the creature's hands, Tristan punches the tree, accidentally ripping open a chasm into the MidPass, a volatile place with a burning sea, haunted bone ships, and iron monsters that are hunting the inhabitants of this world. Can Tristan save this world before he loses more of the things he loves?



TBH, THIS IS SO AWKWARD BY LISA GREENWALD

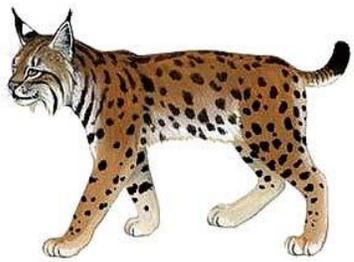
To be honest, middle school is rough! Cecily, Gabby, and Prianka have been BFFAE since pre-K, so it's totally natural when they don't include the new girl, Victoria, in their plans and group texts. Between organizing the school Valentine's Day dance, prepping for their first boy-girl party, and trying to keep their texts so boring their moms won't use spy apps to read them, the friends only have time for each other. But when Victoria is accidentally sent a hurtful text message, the entire sixth grade gets called out for bullying, cell phones are confiscated, and the trio known as CPG4Eva is forced to figure out just how strong their friendships are IRL.

THIS IS BOOK 1 IN THE TBH SERIES. CHECK OUT THE REST OF THE E-BOOKS IN THE SERIES TOO!



THESE THREE E-BOOK TITLES (AND MORE!) CAN BE ACCESSED AT
DESTINYDISCOVER.COM





6th Grade Computer

In Computer Applications we are working through to finish a project that aligns with Guidance, as students learn more about various careers in areas of interest to them. We will use their findings to create a poster that students will use in future guidance related sessions. Student learning will consist of information literacy, as well as word processing skills. Thank you parents for your support and dedication to your students' education as we navigate this uncharted adventure together.

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Physical Education 5th and 6th grade P.E.

Mapleview PE students have been participating in fifteen minute workouts they are reading and watching online through google classroom. The workouts consist of upper body, lower body, cardio, core, and plyometric. The workouts focus on one part of the body or a combination of total body workout. In addition to or in place of workouts, students are encouraged to participate in and comment about activities they are participating in outside of the school setting.

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5th Grade World Studies

In World Studies, students are finishing reading the story Mai Ya's Long Journey, a true story about a girl and her family's struggles to immigrate and assimilate into the American culture during and after the Vietnam War. We will conclude the year with a brief unit about the German language and culture. Thank you parents for your support and dedication to your students' education as we navigate this uncharted adventure together.

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A message from your Mapleview Specials Teachers:

We wish the 6th graders all the best at JRG! 5th graders- have a healthy, safe summer and see you in September. Everyone- Stay well and make good choices!



Band

Mapleview band students will continue to submit practice logs online through google classroom. We will now focus on the Essential Elements band book for playing tests!

5th-grade students and families: Please make sure you fill out the google form to sign up for band next year that was emailed home. We hope ALL of you chose to stay in band so we can continue to work with you! Keep working hard! It is so great to be able to hear you play through our playing test assignments!

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Healthy Living

Healthy Living-6

Well this certainly isn't how I envisioned the end of the year. I am in a unique position in that I meet students as 5th graders when they truly look and act more like an elementary student. Then I spend two years with them watching them grow and develop physically, mentally and socially- This is what makes it even more difficult not being able to tell them "goodbye", "good luck" and "I know you've got this" They have become students who are very ready for middle school! This change is remarkable and I feel so lucky to have been part of this process even virtually for the last couple of months.

When I describe Healthy Living, I tell parents that it is sort of like a "how to get through adolescence" kind of class. All our units focus on the choices your sons and daughters are and will be making. I am hoping they are armed with the understanding of topics that will help them to make the best choices for their health. We recognize that changes that occur during puberty are not just physical, but mental and social as well. As parents, you may be painfully aware of how your child is striving to be more independent. She/he is able to think deeply about subjects and see how his/her actions can affect other people. We recently talked about all of the influences in the environment (peers, media) that may affect decisions your child makes. I certainly hope that I have supported your discussions at home about peer pressure; standing up for what is right and being true to yourself.

As I've told the 6th graders after every unit, "the 'insert unit here' unit is over, but it is never really over. Life is their ultimate assessment of 'are they able to apply what they've learned to make good decisions?'. I am wishing your son/daughter all the best as they begin making these decisions.

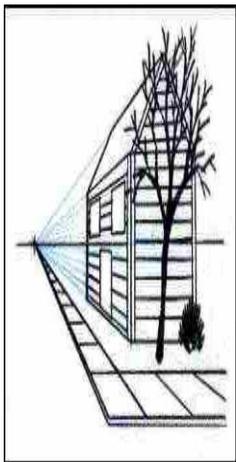
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Music:

Online learning has definitely been different for music class, but I am so impressed with how students have taken the challenge head-on! It has been wonderful to see the students try some of the musical experiments I've given them and I love when they share other ways they have been creating music while at home. Thank you, Mapleview students, for the amazing work you have done!

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ART



5th Grade Art

The students created a house in one point perspective. They used a ruler, pencil, paper, eraser and a vanishing point. The vanishing point is used when drawing in one point perspective so that everything going back towards that point gets smaller. Then all objects on their drawing look realistic because everything is the correct size. The students were able to add many different features to their houses such as siding, bricks, doors, windows, sidewalks and other basic elements of a house. When the students finished their drawing they completed their self-assessment (check off sheet) on our Google Classroom.

The Elements of art we have covered are:
Color, Form, Line, Shape, Space and Texture.

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Chromebook Repair

Dear KASD Families,

With much of our learning going online in the next several weeks, there may be a time when your district issued device needs repair. If your device needs repair, contact your teacher who will put in a work ticket. You can then bring your device to drop off and exchange at JRG beginning Monday, March 23rd.

**Days and Times: Monday, Wednesdays - 10AM - 2PM
and Fridays 7AM - 11AM**

**Where: JRG Main Entrance parking lot off John Street
(drive through service)**

If you have specific questions about the process, please contact the school your child attends.



ACCESSING KASD LIBRARIES DURING SCHOOL CLOSURES

All Kimberly Area School District libraries are closed to students, parents, and community members.

However, digital access to the KASD libraries is always available! Find us on the KASD website or at destinydiscover.com.



Print Materials

All due dates on KASD library materials are extended until two weeks after school is back in session. No library materials should be returned until students return to schools.

At this time, the district will not be handling print materials for check-out or check-in, simply due to the threat of viral contamination. We are hoping that this will be an option for the future, and we will continue to explore this possibility.



Research Access

KASD students have constant access to research resources using their school's digital library catalog. Badgerlink, Webpath Express, PebbleGo, Gale, and other databases are available for each school with links on their school's library catalog page. Some schools have e-books designated specifically for research purposes. These are available through that school's digital library catalog. Students should follow direction from their teacher regarding what research sources to use and at what level. Additional research assistance is available by contacting KASD library media specialist, Erin Wedemeier.



E-Books

Digital access to books will be a platform we will continue to grow throughout this process. For students in grades K-3, Tumblebooks provides digital books, audiobooks, and interactive activities. Access this platform by clicking the link on the school's library catalog page. Students in grades 4-12 have access to a curated collection of e-books. 4th-6th graders can access these from their school's library catalog. Students in grades 7-12 can access e-books from their library website or by going directly to wsdlcwi.libraryreserve.com

Importance of Reading

One of the best ways for students to keep up with their education during this unprecedented time is to keep reading. If your family is struggling to access reading materials, please contact a KASD staff member as soon as possible.



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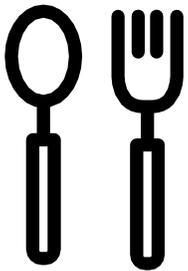
If you have any questions about access to the district libraries, please contact Erin Wedemeier, Library Media Specialist, at ewedemeier@kimberly.k12.wi.us



SCHOOL CLOSURE MEAL PROGRAM

LUNCH AND BREAKFAST

Kimberly Area School District will provide meals to all children during school closure. Meals are free to all children 18 years or younger. Children must be present to receive a meal.



WHO: Children 18 years or younger

WHAT: Lunch and an optional breakfast for the following day

WHEN: Starting Wednesday, March 18 until further notice. **Monday through Friday, 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.**

HOW: Pick up or drive up

WHERE: Pick up locations include Kimberly High School and Westside Elementary. See locations below

Westside Elementary
School 746 W. Third
Street Kimberly, WI 54136
Front Door Pick up

Kimberly High School
1662 E. Kennedy Avenue
Kimberly, WI 54136 Front
Door Pick up