

# "B"e "W"ith It Bulletin

SIXTH GRADE NEWSLETTER, APRIL 8, 2024

## M-STEP TESTING

MSTEP begins this week. 6th graders will be taking the MSTEP on:

April 11th (Math).

April 16th and 18th (ELA)

It is important that students are well rested, eat breakfast, arrive at school on time, bring a snack, and have their laptop fully charged and bring earbuds or head phones each day. If possible, please refrain from scheduling appointments on these days. We appreciate your support. Thank you!



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## PICTURED ROCKS TRIP MEETING

Our parent meeting for Pictured Rocks is scheduled for Tuesday, May 7th at 5:00 pm in the Commons. This meeting is mandatory for all students and chaperones who are attending the trip. We will be going over the trip itinerary, packing list, menu, etc. We are looking forward to meeting with you. There will also be a meeting for chaperones immediately following

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## SECOND STEP SKILLS AND CONCEPTS

UNIT 4: Managing Relationships & Social Conflict

Week of April 2 - Resolving Challenging Conflicts

Summary

In this week's lesson, your child will think through different ways to resolve a conflict and choose the one they think is best.

Question

Ask your child why they think different conflicts need different solutions. Tell your child about a time when you had to think about the best way to solve a conflict. What did you think about? Did it work out in the end?

Week of April 8 - Making Amends

Summary

In this week's lesson, your child will learn ways to make amends and restore a relationship they may have harmed.

Question

Tell your child about a time you had to make amends with someone. What did you do to repair the harm?

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# SAVE THE DATE

## FUN FRIDAY

We are excited to celebrate all of the hard work put forth by our students during the 3rd quarter. Fun Friday is this Friday. We will leave school to go to Urban Air by 12:00 pm and return by 2:30 pm. A pizza lunch will be served at Chatfield before we leave. Concessions will be open if students wish to purchase items.

## NO SCHOOL

April 29th

May 24-27th



## NJHS APPLICATIONS

Students with a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher have been invited to apply to Chatfield's National Junior Honor Society. The material was sent home with students last week. Please let Mrs. Wolinski know if you have any questions.

### How the MIND of a MIDDLE SCHOOLER works

- Middle school students typically have an attention span of **10-12** minutes.
- The brain growth that occurs between the ages of **10-15** is the greatest in human life.
- Teens learn best through **interaction and activity**.
- Adolescents misinterpret emotions and instructions up to **40%** of the time.
- Middle schoolers retain **5-7** bits of information at a time.
- Adolescents need **9-13** hours of sleep per night to function best.

BRAIN WAVES INSTRUCTION



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