

9TH GRADE BIOLOGY



News



Weekly Assignments



Coming up

This Week and Upcoming Events

The hives are built and ready for Bee-yonce to move in!



We could NOT be more excited to start an apiary for the NDPMA community! With the help of Ms. Tuski and Ms. McGinnis, we have built and stained four hives which now house four nucs (small colonies with a queen, all of which were named by the students and all of which are named Bee-yonce). 9th grade Biology students will be observing hive activities next week! This is a great addition to our photosynthesis unit as it allows us to study the relationship between plants and pollinators. Students in IB Biology HL, Horticulture, and Botany will be working directly with the bees and participate in apiary activities next year; keep than in mind when registering for classes. Click the following link to read more: http://www.ndpma.org/bee-believers/?fbclid=IwAR300lg35iFX_5vqAIXZm-3a03wPQomi6Vs8ObJOMNOzG6ehN5vgbltG0

Weekly Homework schedule

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Monday May 6th	Tuesday May 7th	Wednesday May 8th	Thursday May 9th	Friday May 10th
Quizlet: Photosynthesis vocab Flashcards Due	Photosynthesis (Chapter 7) Vocab Quiz	Photosynthesis WebQuest Task 2 (complete by end of period)	Photosynthesis WebQuest Due	Chapter 7 Test
Study for Vocab Quiz	Photosynthesis WebQuest Task 1 (Complete by end of period)	Photosynthesis WebQuest Task 3 (complete for homework)	Study for Chapter 7 Test!	Mastering Biology Assignment Chapter 7 Due

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Notes

-Chapter 7 Mastering Biology (assigned last week) should be worked on throughout the week to complete it by Friday – DON'T WAIT UNTIL THURSDAY NIGHT!

Scheduling for Next Year:

Freshmen may register for either Honors Chemistry or Earth Science, based on placement. Please refer to the handbook for placement requirements.

Additionally, freshmen may register for Horticulture (1 or 2 semesters) as a science elective. Students in Horticulture will spend half of their time in the classroom and half of their time in the greenhouse, outdoor beds, CAD lab, and apiary. Please see the handbook for a complete course description.

Finals are less than a month away!!

As we approach final exams, please take a moment to help your student organize their plan of attack for final exam studying. If your student is in structured study, I will be visiting the classroom to specifically address their study needs. If they are not and would like my assistance in getting organized, please email me at jyaroach@ndpma.org to schedule an appointment.

A comprehensive study guide will be available next week on the website, giving your student ample time to prepare.