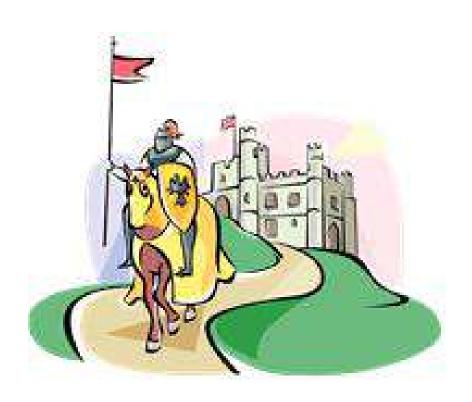
# Welcome to Sharon's Curriculum Night 5<sup>th</sup> Grade General Session



#### Common Core Curriculum

 Find the standards at: www.georgiastandards.org



- Get more information:
  - Sharon Homepage
  - 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Academics page
    - PTA Common Core Overview
    - Content Area Topics



#### Common Core Shifts for ELA/Literacy

- Building knowledge through content-rich nonfiction
- Reading, writing and speaking grounded in evidence from text, both literary and informational
- Regular practice with complex text and its academic language

# **Common Core Shifts for Mathematics**

- Focus strongly where the Standards focus
- Coherence: Think across grades, and link to major topics within grades
- Rigor: In major topics,
   pursue conceptual
   understanding,
   procedural skill and
   fluency, and application

## 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Report Card - Academics

Math	ELA	Science & Social Studies
Common Core	Common Core	GPS Common Core Literacy Standards
Comprehensive Unit Pretest & Summative Test for Each Unit	Comprehensive Unit Pretest & Summative Test for Each Unit	Unit Tests
Quarter Grade (Numeric) Averaged from 4-6 Summative Tests	Quarter Grade (Numeric) Averaged from 4-6 Summative Tests	Quarter Grade (Numeric) Averaged from class work, projects & tests
Formative Grades (4,3,2,1)	Formative Grades (4,3,2,1)	

- **4-Complete** Standard mastery
- **3-Consistent** Achievement toward Standard Mastery
- **2-Moderate** Achievement toward Standard Mastery
- **1-Limited** Achievement toward Standard Mastery

## 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Report Card – Work Habits

Responsibility
Participation
Assignment Completion
Interpersonal Skills

On Report Card

Exemplary
Satisfactory
Does Not Meet

On Weekly Conduct Sheet

Exemplary
Satisfactory
Progressing
Does Not Meet

## Summative Tests and Retest Tickets

- Unit Pre-tests (Math & ELA only)
- Formative Checks (4,3,2,1)
- Summative Tests (numeric grade)
- Comprehensive Unit Summative Tests
- Retest Ticket on the 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Academics Page



#### How to Communicate with Us

- Transportation
   Email or Call Ashley Couch BEFORE noon
- Absences

Email <u>acouch@forsyth.k12.ga.us</u> and copy your child's HR teacher

- Class
  - Agenda
  - Edmodo
  - Email

#### How We Will Communicate with You

- Agenda Comments HW & Conduct
- Friday Folder & Conduct Sheet
- 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Academics Page
- 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Newsletter (online)
- Email Blasts (events/reminders)
- Edmodo (assignments on calendar)
- Parent Portal (grades)



## Instructional Focus

- 1:00 1:30 Daily
  - Monday Math
  - Tuesday ELA
  - Wednesday Science & Social Studie
  - Thursday & Friday varies
- One-to-One Instruction
- Small Group Instruction
- Relearn Opportunities
- Retests
- Project Work & Work Completion



## Digital Literacy

#### HOME

- Monitor use of SEARCH ENGINES and other websites to complete homework and projects
- Online Textbooks (linked on our web pages)
- edmodo

#### SCHOOL

- Laptops & Desktops
- FCS Appropriate Use Policy (online)
- BYOT: Expect forms to go home this week
  - iPods
  - iPads
  - Laptops
  - Netbooks
  - Smart Phones



## 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Opportunities for Students

- Mentors
- Sentinels
- Recycling
- D.I.G.S. Team
- Morning News Crew



## **Morning News Crew**

- ❖ Applications go home Tuesday, September 4<sup>th</sup> to apply for the remaining news crews this school year.
- ❖ ALL applications are due **NO LATER** than Friday, September 7<sup>th</sup> to your child's homeroom teacher. Late applications will not be accepted. Applications will be due to Mrs. Bellamy or Mrs. Bowers by 8:30 a.m. on September 7<sup>th</sup>.
- ❖ A tryout day and time will be sent the next week to those students turning in an application on the morning of Friday, September 7<sup>th</sup>.
- ❖ Teachers/Administrators from other schools come in to judge the students during tryouts.
- ❖ There will be 3 to 4 more crews selected for the remainder of the school year. There are 8 positions on each crew and students must be willing to perform the duties of each position.
- ❖ Students are selected based on their tryout (poise, personality, enunciation, etc.) as well as teacher recommendations.

Contact Connie Bowers if you have questions.

## Parent-Teacher Conferences

Teachers will request a conference, as needed

 You'll have the opportunity to meet with the whole team that teaches your child

 To request a conference, complete and return the form your child's HR teacher will send to you in late September.

## Thank you!

