

The Hth Grade Gazette

April 27, 2018

Specials Rotations:

Monday: Music

Tuesday: Art

Wednesday: PE

Thursday: Guidance

Friday: Enrichment

Important Information

The annual School Silent Auction is live! Please take some time to browse:

www.biddingowl.com/SCESSilentAuction

The Auction will close at **7:45pm on May 4** (Spring Palooza day).

I am auctioning a hike at Umstead
State Park for a student and a friend (or two ©).

Upcoming Events

- *Monday 4/30: April Scholastic Order Due
- *Friday 5/4: Spring Palooza
- *Wednesday 5/9: Volunteer Luncheon
- our lunch is at 10:55-11:20)
 - *Friday 5/11: Tracked Out
 - *Monday 6/25: Reading EOG
 - *Tuesday 6/26: Math EOG

This Week's Focus

Reading-

- In reading this week we transitioned out of fiction reading skills and in to nonfiction reading skills.
- We reviewed how to use context clues to identify the meaning of difficult words, as well as how to use text features in a nonfiction article to learn important information.

Writing-

- In writing, students wrote the chorus and two verses of their instructional Flocabulary song.
- Next week, we will be recording these with beats and starting to create videos!

Math-

 In math this week, we continued working on the metric and customary system of measurements.

Science -

- We wrapped up our magnetism and electricity unit this week by learning about the uses of parallel circuits in lighting and for the wiring in houses.
- We learned about the relationship between electricity and magnetism, and how electromagnets work.