

# Sixth Grade News

St. Charles Elementary

February 2, 2024

## READING

Mr. Robertson

**Anchor Text:** *Lizzie Bright and the Buckminster Boy*

**Shared Read:** *Facing the Storm*

**Skills:** Theme / Context Clues / Effect of Setting

**Vocabulary:** dilemma, feebly, persistent, recoiled, roused, skewed, summon, vastness

**94%** of 6th grade met their January AR goal!

Students have **27** days left to complete their **February** AR goal!

## MATH

Mrs. Backes

### Lessons to be covered:

6-9, 7-1, 7-2

### Skills to be covered:

using formulas, understanding percent, fractions, decimals, and percents

We will review Chapter 6 on Tuesday and take the test over the material on Wednesday.

Please be sure your child has a calculator in his/her pencil pouch because we will be using them daily in class when setting up and solving rates, proportions, and percents.

## SCIENCE

Mrs. Young

### Water & Weather Unit

#### Investigation 1

*Into the Weather*

- Weather is the condition of Earth's atmosphere
- Atmosphere is the layers of gases around Earth
- Air is matter, it occupies space, has mass, and can be compressed

**Vocabulary:** meteorology, meteorologist, barometric pressure, weather, wind, forecast, humidity, precipitation, air pressure, temperature, severe weather, prediction

## Language Arts & Social Studies

Homeroom Teacher

### Language Arts

- Pronouns
- How to create an outline for research writing

### Social Studies

- Treaties & Newcomers to MN
- Choosing MN research topic



## PLEASE NOTICE

### February 12th & 15th

Parent/Teacher Conferences

\*Sign-Up was sent from your child's homeroom teacher. Choose a time to meet with any teacher in 6th grade, if there are concerns.

February 16 - Early Out  
Elementary Dismissal 12:20

February 19 - No School  
President's Day

March 8:  
6th Grade Musical  
6:00 p.m. Elem. Auditorium

## School Patrol Jan. 29th - Feb. 9th

### **Before School:**

Peyton, Brynn, Landon, Hayden G, Aubree, Hayden P, Anika, Emma J

### **Lunch Patrol:**

Shawn, Hayden H, Katelyn, Sarah

### **After School:**

Analee, Marley, Josh, Gavin, Estefania, Zae, Kyleigh, Dylan

Involve

Challenge

Achieve