



Fountain Valley School District

Dear FVSD Eighth Grade Families:

We hope that you are doing well during this unique and ever-changing situation. FVSD remains dedicated to supporting students during school closures by providing Distance Learning Activities. We understand this is an unsettling time for you and your children, and want to reassure everyone that our entire FVSD staff is committed to continuing to support student learning.

Please know that student work during closures will not be graded, and that our goal is to provide families of middle school students with no more than 30-minutes of learning activities per content area on a daily basis. The resources shared here are intended to support student learning during the week of March 23-27.

Monday

ELA	Activity	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Reading: Read 20-30 minutes: Read your independent reading book, or continue reading <i>Lord of the Flies</i>.● Writing: Start an at home ELA journal. Use a notebook, or create a document, slide show or site. You can add to it each day.<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Watch the Brain Pop video on plot to review plot terms. How far into the plot of your novel are you? In your journal, write a summary of what you have read so far. Include plot terms like exposition, rising action, climax, falling action, and resolution in your summary. When you are done, talk with your family about your reading.
	Enrichment	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Scholastic Learn at Home: Day 1: If you don't have your class or independent novel at home, or would like to expand your reading choices, click the link above!<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Read one, or all, of the articles, and choose one of the daily reading quest activities.
	Resource	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Scholastic Learn at Home● Brain Pop: Username: FVSD; Password: Fvsd#1● Prodigy Game: Class code: 4272D6; if needed
	Activity	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● 8th Grade Expressions and Equations II Review



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Math		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - complete 8.EE.5 and 8.EE.6 • Check your answers on the last page
	Enrichment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Estimation 180 - How many sheets are in a roll of toilet paper?
	Resource	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Khan Academy - Linear Equations and Functions • McGraw-Hill Textbook - Chapter 3-4 • Brain Pop - Slopes and Intercepts Username: FVSD; Password: Fvsd#1 • Prodigy Game: Class code: 4272D6; if needed

Tuesday

ELA	Activity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reading: Read 20-30 minutes: Read your independent reading book, or <i>Lord of the Flies</i> • Writing: Think about the main character in your novel. Pick a passage (1-3 sentences) from your reading today that revealed something interesting or important about your character. Copy the passage down in your journal, and explain in a short paragraph why you choose it, and what it revealed about the character. Share your work with a member of your family.
	Enrichment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scholastic Learn at Home: Day 2: Read one, or all, of the articles for day #2. When you are done, choose one of the daily reading quest activities.
	Resource	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scholastic Learn at Home
Math	Activity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8th Grade Expressions and Equations II Review - complete 8.EE.7 and 8.EE.8 • Check your answers on the last page
	Enrichment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Estimation 180
	Resource	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Khan Academy - Linear Equations and Functions • McGraw-Hill Textbook - Chapter 3-4 • Prodigy Game: Class code: 4272D6; if needed



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Wednesday

ELA	Activity	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Reading: Read 20-30 minutes: Read your independent reading book, or <i>Lord of the Flies</i>.● Writing: Pick an important passage from your reading today. Look for one to two to three sentences that connect with the Big Idea of your book, help you understand a character, or illustrate a key moment in the plot. In your journal, explain why you chose the passage. Share your answer with a member of your family.
	Enrichment	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Scholastic Learn at Home: Day 3: Read one, or all, of the articles for day #3. When you are done, choose one of the daily reading quest activities.
	Resource	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Scholastic Learn at Home
Math	Activity	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● 8th Grade Functions Review - complete 8.F.1 and 8.F.2● Check your answers on the last page
	Enrichment	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Estimation 180
	Resource	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Khan Academy - Linear Equations and Functions● McGraw-Hill Textbook - Chapter 4● Brain Pop - Graphing Linear Equations Username: FVSD; Password: Fvsd#1● Prodigy Game: Class code: 4272D6; if needed

Thursday

ELA	Activity	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Reading: Read 20-30 minutes: Read your independent reading book, or <i>Lord of the Flies</i>.● Writing: In your journal, draw an illustration that captures the mood (the overall feeling or atmosphere in a work of literature) of the section of the novel you read today. Some words to describe mood are: peaceful, joyful, warm,
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		gloomy, tense, cold. After you illustrate the mood, explain your illustration in a short paragraph.
	Enrichment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Scholastic Learn at Home: Day 4: Read one, or all, of the articles for day #4. When you are done, choose one of the daily reading quest activities.
	Resource	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Scholastic Lean at Home
Math	Activity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 8th Grade Functions Review - complete 8.F.3 and 8.F.4 ● Check your answers on the last page
	Enrichment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Estimation 180
	Resource	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Khan Academy - Linear Equations and Functions ● McGraw-Hill Textbook - Chapter 4 ● Prodigy Game: Class code: 4272D6; if needed

Friday

ELA	Activity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Reading: Read 20-30 minutes: Read your independent reading book, or <i>Lord of the Flies</i>. ● Writing: Imagine you are writing a book review for your current novel. What would you say that would get another reader to pick up your book? Write a paragraph recommending your book to another 8th grade reader. When you are done, share your paragraph with someone in your family.
	Enrichment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Scholastic Learn at Home: Day 5: Read one, or all, of the articles for day #5. When you are done, choose one of the daily reading quest activities.
	Resource	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Scholastic Lean at Home
	Activity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 8th Grade Geometry Review - complete 8.G.1 and 8.G.2



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Math		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Check the answers on the last page
	Enrichment	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Estimation 180
	Resource	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Khan Academy - Geometric Transformation• McGraw-Hill Textbook - Chapter ____• Brain Pop - Transformation Username: FVSD; Password: Fvsd#1• Prodigy Game: Class code: 4272D6; if needed