



6th Grade Family Newsletter

Mission: Elk Meadows Falcons are growing to be resilient, lifelong learners.

Golden Gate: I will be in charge of my own happiness.

Date: January 3, 2023



Grade-Level Events

- Student water bottles need to have a lid that will stay on if tipped over or stepped on in the classroom. We want them to stay hydrated but we need to keep everyone safe.
- End of the Quarter is Friday, January 13, 2023
- No school on January 16th - Martin Luther King Jr. Day
- No school on January 17th - Grade Transmittal Day.

Math

Focus: I can use division and multiplication to solve problems involving fractional lengths.

Example: A zookeeper is $6 \frac{1}{4}$ feet tall.
A young giraffe in his care is $9 \frac{3}{8}$ feet tall.

Question: What fraction of the giraffe's height is the zookeeper's height?

Answer: The zookeeper's height is $\frac{2}{3}$ of the giraffe's height.

Language Arts

Focus:

Example:

Science

Focus:

Social Studies

Focus:

Example:

Family Connection/Additional Information

- Wear your Falcon shirt on Fridays to show your school spirit.
- Please ensure your student reads for 30 minutes a night.
- We are a no homework school, however, if your child isn't finishing their work during class, they need to bring it home to finish. Please check with your student daily to make sure those assignments are being completed.