



# 6th Grade Family Newsletter

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

**Golden Gate:** I will smile at others

**Date:** September 20, 2021

## Grade-Level Events

- ★ Guest Speaker, published Author, Lance Conrad on September 22.
- ★ Field Trip on October 6, 2021- Hale Center Theatre to see *The Secret Garden*
  - Remember to return your permission slip!

## Math

**Focus:** I can distinguish between Surface Area and Volume. I can find the Surface Area and Volume of a cubed shape.

**Example:**

Here are some video clip links to help with math

## Language Arts

**Focus:** I can compare and contrast text in different forms of genre.

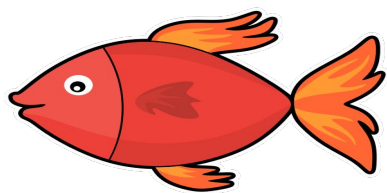
**Example:**

Students will write a 3-5 paragraph essay that demonstrates how to compare and contrast between the two similar genres following the R.A.C.E.S formatting.

## Science

**Focus:** I can understand and observe how a mini-habitat can function.

**Example:** Each classroom has a ecosystem habitat with plants and fish in an aquarium for students to observe and study.



## Social Studies

**Focus:** I can compare maps of ancient civilizations to current maps of the same region.

**Example:** Students are working in their Atlas to answer questions about these regions.

## Family Connection/Additional Information

- Girls who Code and Stem Club meetings have begun after school on Tuesdays & Wednesdays
- 6th graders will begin practicing for Halloween Thriller.
- Student of the Month Virtual Assembly 9/23