



## News and Notes from Dr. Emerson

Week of May 8, 2017

LEARN FROM YESTERDAY,  
LIVE FOR TODAY,  
HOPE FOR TOMORROW.

-Albert Einstein

### The week at a glance:

#### Teacher Appreciation Week!

- Monday, May 8: AM Strategy JAMs
- Tuesday, May 9: **MCA Science 8**
- Wednesday, May 10: AM Strategy JAMs
- Thursday, May 11: **MCA Science 8**
- Friday, May 12: 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Visits from Jenny Lind & Cityview, 9:30-11:30  
**Last Day for MCA Science 8**  
**AVID Field Trip to the FBI Building 12:00-3:00 p.m.**  
**Band/Choir Field Trip to the MOA 11:00-3:00 p.m.**

**MCA Testing:** Thank you to the students for all of their hard work and energy put forth on the MCA tests. Parents, we appreciate the extra encouragement you gave your students over the past few weeks.

This week will be MCA testing for 8<sup>th</sup> grade science.



**Teacher Appreciation Week:** It is time to celebrate our teachers! The Olson Parent Group will be honoring teachers throughout the week with a variety of treats and mementos of appreciation. Thank you Olson Parent Group!

**Academic Recognition Ceremonies:** We had another great turn out of parents and family members at our final recognition ceremony of the year. The grade level teams provided recognition for so many students. We have a few weeks left of school so continue to encourage your student to do their best.

The ice cream treats were awesome —perfect for a warm spring day!

**Assistant Principal:** Assistant Principal Ms. Kimble is retiring. We want to thank Ms. Kimble for all of her years of dedication and assistance to our students, families and staff. She has been a valuable asset to our team and will be greatly missed. We wish her all the relaxation and enjoyment possible!

We are in the process of interviewing potential AP candidates. I will update families when our new Assistant Principal has been named.