






# Knight's News



## Teaching Staff Updates

Teacher	Class Name/Updates
<p>Mr. Anderson</p> 	<p>Biology 20</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students are learning about Unit C "Photosynthesis &amp; Cellular Respiration." Chromatography lab due Nov. 9th. Chapter 6 Test Wed. Nov. 8th, Unit C Exam Wed. Nov. 22nd.</li> </ul> <p>Chemistry 20</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students are learning about Unit C "Solutions, Acids and Bases." Solutions/Dilutions Lab Due. Nov 10th. Chapter 5 Test, Tues. Nov. 7th. Unit C Exam Thurs. Nov. 23rd.</li> </ul> <p>Science 10</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students are learning about Unit B "Energy Flow in Technological Systems." We have our Unit Exam scheduled for Thurs. Nov. 2nd.</li> </ul> <p>*See Edsembli for updated marks. *Extra help is available each week; see Mr. Anderson</p>
<p>Mr. Gammie</p> 	<p>Jr. Physical Education</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students are demonstrating skills and positive communication while participating in volleyball.</li> </ul> <p>Sr. Physical Education</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students have shown their skills in dance. Beep Test next week.</li> </ul> <p>HCSA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Oilers lead the series over the Sharks 1-0</li> </ul> <p>Functional Athletic Training</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students have participated in calisthenic movements while circuit training.</li> </ul> <p>Please return your basketball acknowledgment or risk to Mr. Gammie</p>
<p>Mr. Hatch</p> 	<p>Grade 7's - This week we introduced the unit project - 100 Mile Diet. This activity requires groups to create a single meal plan from items produced/grown/created within 100 miles of Nanton. The specific requirements can be found in the assignment posted to our Google Classroom.</p> <p>Grade 8's - The 8's have started their second unit of the year and will be preparing for our dissection lab that will be occurring shortly. Information and permission forms for this assignment will be passed out shortly.</p> <p>Grade 9's - The 9's have started their second unit, which is an introduction to basic chemistry.</p> <p>Grade 10's - the 14's will be starting their third unit of year this week, which focuses on environments, ecosystems, and biotic factors.</p>

Mr. Henning



**Social 10** - This week we finished Related Issue 2, Historical globalization and its impacts. Next week we will be looking at how Globalization has impacted cultural aspects of our lives in Canada, and what Canada has done institutionally to respond to these impacts.

**Social 11** - This week students prepared for a debate on National Interest and foreign policy, as well as looking at nationalism and its contributions to the outbreak of WW1. Next week students will be learning about how Nationalism contributed to the outbreak of WW2, and how Ultrnationalism can develop during periods of struggle or hardship.

Mrs. Hewton



**ART 8/9**- We just finished our first big project and played around with some Halloween self-portraits. Keep a lookout for them in our hallways.

**ELA 7**- We have now completed our short story unit (quiz on November 3) and will be diving into our first Novel Study: My Name is Seepetza.

Ms. Howard



**Math 7**: Students have just begun exploring percent and applying it to real world situations. We will further this concept later in the unit by connecting percents to fractions and decimals.

**Math 8**: Students are applying their knowledge of perfect squares and square roots as we investigate the Pythagorean Theorem. We will have a checkup next week.

**Science 24**: Students are applying their knowledge of energy and energy conversions as they build mousetrap cars. We will continue on to Module 3 after this project and a section test next week.

Ms. MacLachlan



**ELA 9**

- Students are working on a narrative fiction writing assignment
- Drafts are due Friday, Nov. 3rd
- Final copies are due Friday, Nov. 10th

**ELA 20-2**

- We're finishing up with *Lord of the Flies*, and will be working on some reading comprehension before moving on to the next text in our thematic unit.

**ELA 30**

- We've just finished up with *Hamlet* and students are beginning their first critical essay.

Mrs. McNutt



Math 9

- Students have begun their surface area topic. Students are asked to bring in a collection of right rectangular prisms, right triangular prisms, cylinders, cones, and spheres for their Tin Man Project.

Math 30-1

- Students are learning about Polynomial Functions and Relations. Students will learn how to identify and graph the various characteristics related to polynomials. There will be two quizzes prior to our week off with the chapter exam the week following the break.

Math 30-2

- Students are studying Exponential and Logarithmic Functions and Applications. They will wrap up this unit prior to the week off and will begin the next topic after the break.

Mr. Porteous



Social 7 - we will be examining the creation of the first French Colony (that continued) in Quebec.

Social 8 - we will begin to examine how art exploded and changed significantly during the Renaissance

Social 9 - we are continuing our look at the justice system and Charter by focussing on the Youth Criminal Justice Act

ELA 8 - we will be wrapping up our look at short stories and suspense before returning to our novel study of Walking in Two Worlds.

Mrs. Spencer



Foods 10: We have finished our second Module this semester meaning students have officially earned 2 credits so far.



Junior Foods: Students have started a career planning project where they are exploring a career in the foods industry and relating their personal skills to the career. I am hoping we can make it out to a few community food establishments to discuss their journeys.

Mr. MacDonald



This week, LIM 7 has been given some time to catch up on core materials before progress reports go home. This provides the flex time necessary so students may take care of their "big rocks".

## Additional Updates

Staff/Department	Information Updates
<p data-bbox="224 254 634 296">Learning Commons</p> 	<p data-bbox="824 254 1560 401">As the weather starts to turn colder, the learning commons will be open during lunch time for students to play board games or to hang out during the lunch break. Please watch for a board game/social club to be starting up in the next few weeks.</p>
<p data-bbox="232 705 626 747">Career Practitioner</p> 	



Student Leadership would like to thank everyone who donated baked goods to our Halloween Concession. Your donations are greatly appreciated and the concession proceeds allowed us to cover all of the carnival expenses. Your donations allow us to plan events at no or little cost to students ensuring that everyone can participate. We look forward to December as there will be 15 days of Christmas Celebration and Activities. Watch for the list of events after the Remembrance Day break.