8th Grade Weeks of January 8-19, 2018

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 Math Graphing and Using Scatter Plots Parallel and Perpendicular Lines 	Science Identification of rocks and rock types Assessment Jan 12-16	English Unit 2: The Challenge of Utopia Lessons 2.2-2.6 Compare/Contrast Strategies Embedding Quotations Textual Evidence Theme Preparing Compare/Contrast Essay Start Reading The Giver
Reading Introduction to the Utopian/Dystopian Novel Unit - students will select and begin reading a book of their choice Continue analyzing story elements using evidence to justify ideas Reading plus benchmark test (required by district) and Elements test #2	 Individuals & Societies Review government choices when making economic decisions Conducting a Model UN simulation for our unit summative 	 AVID Complete Tutorial Request Forms (TRFs) twice a week Socratic Seminar on Discovering Wes Moore, focusing on Identity, Personal Values, Relationships, and Goals
 Spanish Summative on house vocabulary and -ing verbs New house vocabulary 	French • We are beginning our new unit on the house! We are learning vocabulary of objects in the bedroom, reviewing prepositions (on, under, next to) so that we can describe where various objects are found.	 Music Orchestra: complete reflection of December concert. Begin rehearsals for MNSOTA festival (Danse Infernale, Nimrod, and a new piece!) Choir: Music Theory & Atonal snow composition Band: Solo Ensemble
Phy Ed Kabes-Health Sirek-Basketball Whirley- Basketball	 GTT/Computer Science RobotC - computer programming Final projects - combining programming skills with VEX robotics building Inputs controlling outputs on Micro:bit (Computer Science) 	 FACS Foodborne Illness causes and prevention Hands-on teamwork cooking labs
Visual Art Expressive Masks returned Self-identity project		