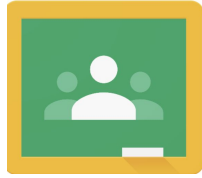


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Skyward



Mr. Chris Beilfuss - SST/ELA Teacher
Mr. Josh Thayer- School Counselor (Li-Z)

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WHAT IT IS

A digital classroom where your student will find:

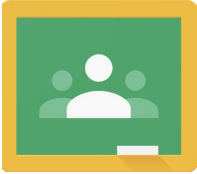
- Announcements from teacher
- Assignments + Activities
- Content resources

*for your student

*useful to look at assignments

*parents do not have individual access (but can sign up for email summaries)

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WHAT IT IS NOT:

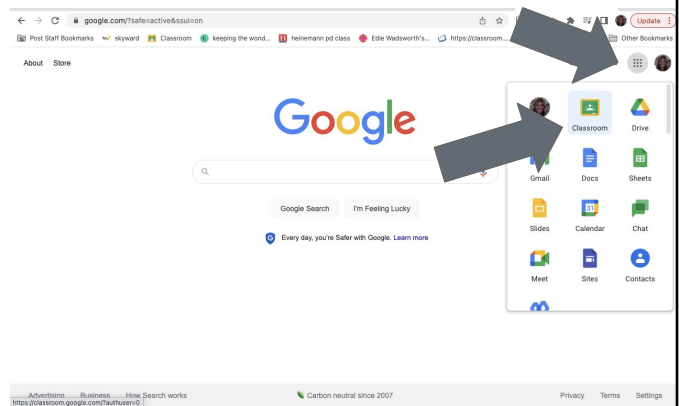
- A gradebook
- A system of parent/teacher communication
- Where ALL assignments are completed (some might be pencil/paper tasks)

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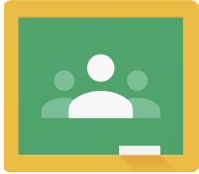


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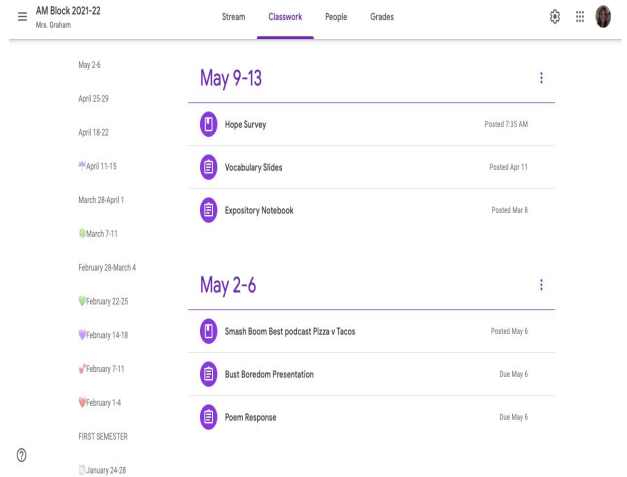
- Click on the google “waffle”
- Click on Classroom



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What it Looks Like “Classwork page”



What can Skyward do for you?

- ☐ Emails from teachers/staff
- ☐ Check student's Grades
- ☐ Check Student's Missing Assignments
- ☐ See their Schedule
- ☐ Report Cards come from here
- ☐ Automated emails (weekly basis—missing work & grades)



Grades

Gradebook

Missing Assignments (Show All)

11/02/2018 Missing assignments:
 11/02/2018 Assignment Street, OR 8 SCIENCE SEMESTER 1 (period 4)
 10/10/2018 50 states map, 8 SOCIAL STUDIES S1 (period 8)

Class Grades

Display Options

Grades posted to the report card are in bold
 Current grades are highlighted

Class	Q1	Q2	B1	Q3	Q4	B2
ROBOTICS SEMESTER 1 Period 1 (8:30 AM - 9:17 AM)	A	A	A			
ROBOTICS SEMESTER 2 Period 1 (8:30 AM - 9:17 AM)						
OR 8 MATH SEMESTER 1 Period 2 (9:20 AM - 10:07 AM)	F		F			
OR 8 MATH SEMESTER 2 Period 2 (9:20 AM - 10:07 AM)						
OR 8 LANGUAGE ARTS SEMESTER 1 Period 3 (10:10 AM - 10:57 AM)	C		C			
OR 8 LANGUAGE ARTS SEMESTER 2 Period 3 (10:10 AM - 10:57 AM)						
OR 8 SCIENCE SEMESTER 1 Period 4 (11:00 AM - 12:19 PM)	F		F			
OR 8 SCIENCE SEMESTER B2 Period 4 (11:00 AM - 12:19 PM)						
8 SOCIAL STUDIES S1 Period 5 (12:48 PM - 1:38 PM)	F		F			
Grade 8 P.E. Semester 1 Period 5 (12:48 PM - 1:38 PM)	B+		B+			
8 SOCIAL STUDIES S2 Period 5 (12:48 PM - 1:38 PM)						
Grade P.E. Semester 2 Period 5 (12:48 PM - 1:38 PM)						



Grades Continued

Q1 Progress Report

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GR 8 LANGUAGE ARTS SEMESTER 1 (Period 3) R

Summary

Grade Mark Legend

Q1 Grade (08/28/2018 - 11/02/2018)	Score (%)	Points Earned
C	77.83	309 out of 397

Due	Assignment	Grade	Score(%)	Points Earned	Missing	No Count	Absent
	CLASSWORK	C	76.29	267 out of 350			
11/02/18	Journal	B-	80.00	8 out of 10			
10/17/18	Job			* out of 8	✓		
10/15/18	Pun and Games	NC	0.00	0 out of 20	✓		
10/05/18	Connotation Activities	A	95.00	95 out of 100			
10/01/18	September Packet	D	66.00	66 out of 100			
10/01/18	Bio-Poem	C+	78.00	78 out of 100			
09/18/18	Active/Passive Sentences	A	100.00	20 out of 20			
	PARTICIPATION	A	100.00	30 out of 30			
11/02/18	POI			* out of 0	✓		
10/31/18	Participation	A	100.00	10 out of 10			
10/22/18	Central Idea Wheel	A	100.00	20 out of 20			
	TEST	C-	70.59	12 out of 17			
10/26/18	AR Vocabulary			* out of 100	✓		
10/26/18	AR Literacy			* out of 100	✓		
10/26/18	AR Comprehension			* out of 100	✓		
10/12/18	Capitalization	C-	70.59	12 out of 17			



Missing Work?

Missing Assignments

Show Missing for Current Grades

Due	Assignment	Class	Teacher	Category	Max Points	Absent
11/02/2018 (Q1)	Assignment Sheet	GR 8 SCIENCE SEMESTER 1		CLASSWORK	50	
10/31/2018 (Q1)	50 states map	8 SOCIAL STUDIES S1		HOMEWORK	25	
10/29/2018 (Q1)	Shays and Whiskey Rebellion	8 SOCIAL STUDIES S1		CLASSWORK	20	
10/22/2018 (Q1)	Inside the Atom Section 2	GR 8 SCIENCE SEMESTER 1		CLASSWORK	28	
10/22/2018 (Q1)	Inside the Atom Section 1	GR 8 SCIENCE SEMESTER 1		CLASSWORK	32	
10/19/2018 (Q1)	East Coast HW Map	8 SOCIAL STUDIES S1		HOMEWORK	20	
10/17/2018 (Q1)	Job	GR 8 LANGUAGE ARTS SEMESTER 1		CLASSWORK	8	
10/15/2018 (Q1)	Pun and Games	GR 8 LANGUAGE ARTS SEMESTER 1		CLASSWORK	20	
10/11/2018 (Q1)	AR Study Guide	8 SOCIAL STUDIES S1		HOMEWORK	15	
10/03/2018 (Q1)	Mid-West Map	8 SOCIAL STUDIES S1		HOMEWORK	20	
10/01/2018 (Q1)	Problem Solving Robots	ROBOTICS SEMESTER 1		PROJECT	25	
09/25/2018 (Q1)	Section 3 pg 219	8 SOCIAL STUDIES S1		CLASSWORK	5	
09/19/2018 (Q1)	PNW MAP	8 SOCIAL STUDIES S1		HOMEWORK	20	

What if my
Kid is
Struggling
with Grades?

- Encourage your student to advocate for themselves by using their school email or talking to the teacher at school.
- Late work is LOW PRIORITY for grading. Expect that it will be graded at teacher's convenience, NOT student convenience.
- Middle school teachers grade 80-150 papers for each assignment. Work is not graded daily and may take several weeks to show up in the gradebook.
- If you need to email the teacher, please do so with grace. Assume best intent from the teacher.
- 6th graders are notorious for "turning in" work they later find Not Finished. Double check!

Questions & Answers

