

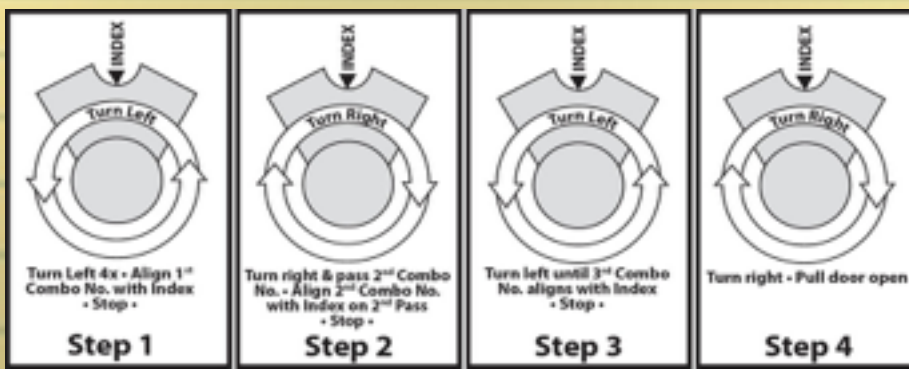
Student / Parent Locker Time

✓ Please have you child try to open their locker.

✓ Mrs. Libby - A - G

✓ Mr. Taylor - H - N

✓ Mrs. Hall - O - Z



Welcome to S.M.S. 6th Grade Toucan Team!



At Saco Middle School, we are:

Positive

Productive

Prompt


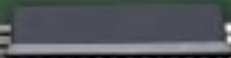

Prepared

Polite



TEAM APPROACH...

WHAT IS A TEAM?

- * A group of teachers with the same group of students
 - * Classrooms clustered in same wing of building
 - * Usually 3-4 teachers, each teaching the core curriculum of Math, Science, Social Studies, Language Arts
 - * Teams facilitate connection with students -
VERY IMPORTANT!
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DOES THE NAME OF THE TEAM HAVE ANYTHING TO DO WITH ABILITY GROUPINGS?

- No, the designations of Toucan, Loon, or Seahawk, are for belongingness only. The names have absolutely nothing to do with ability grouping. Each team has students with a wide range of ability levels.

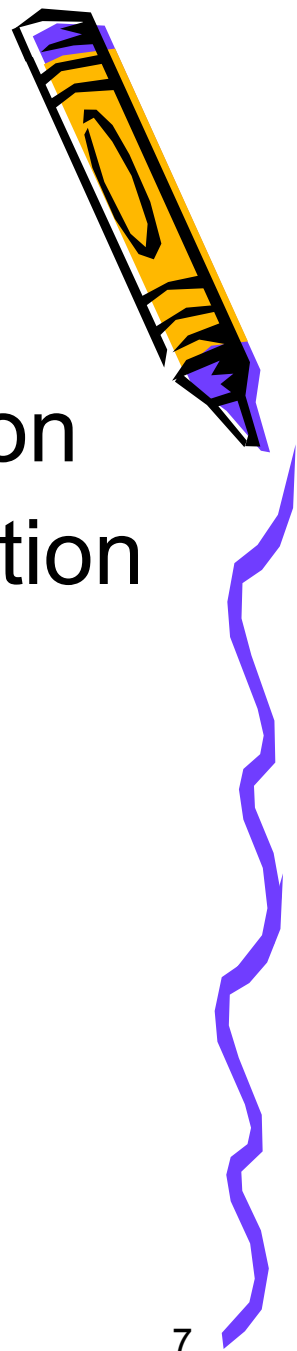


Toucan Teachers

- Mrs. Libby
- Mrs. Hall
- Mr. Taylor

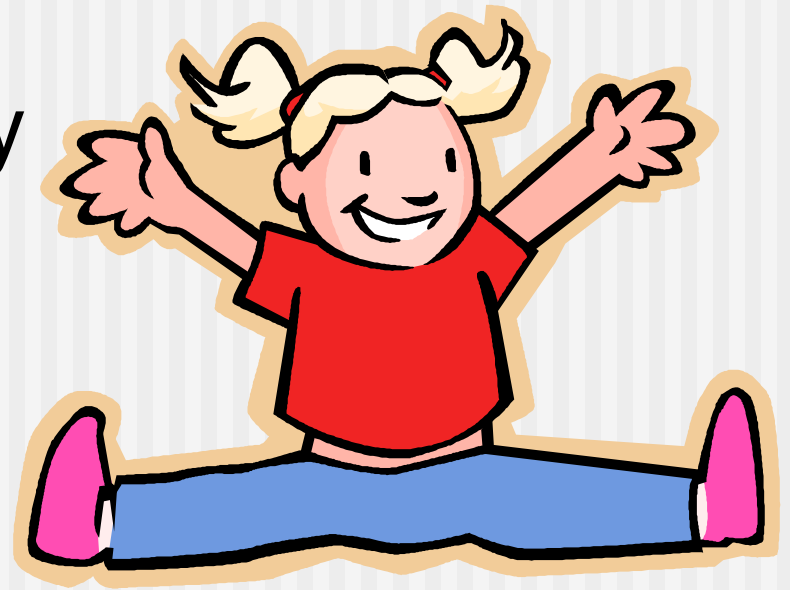
Other Teachers associated with our team:

- » Ms. Leeman ~ Specialized Instruction
- » Mrs. Carestia ~ Specialized Instruction
- » Mr. Reinhartsen ~ GT Services
- » Mrs. Johnston ~ Guidance
- » Mrs. Wise ~ Homeroom / UA
- » Ms. Hoag ~ Homeroom / UA



Unified Arts Classes

- Art
- Wellness
- Health
- Industrial Technology
- Physical Education
- World Language
- Music



Communication is the key to success for parents, teachers
and students!

WE OFFER

****Student Planners****

****Homework Website ****

****Powerschool****

**** Ebackpack ****

****E-mail****

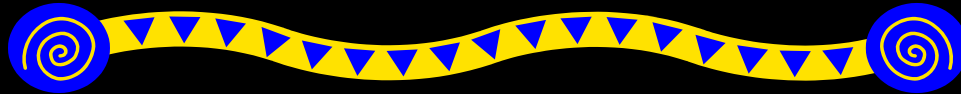
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Powergrade Parent Portal

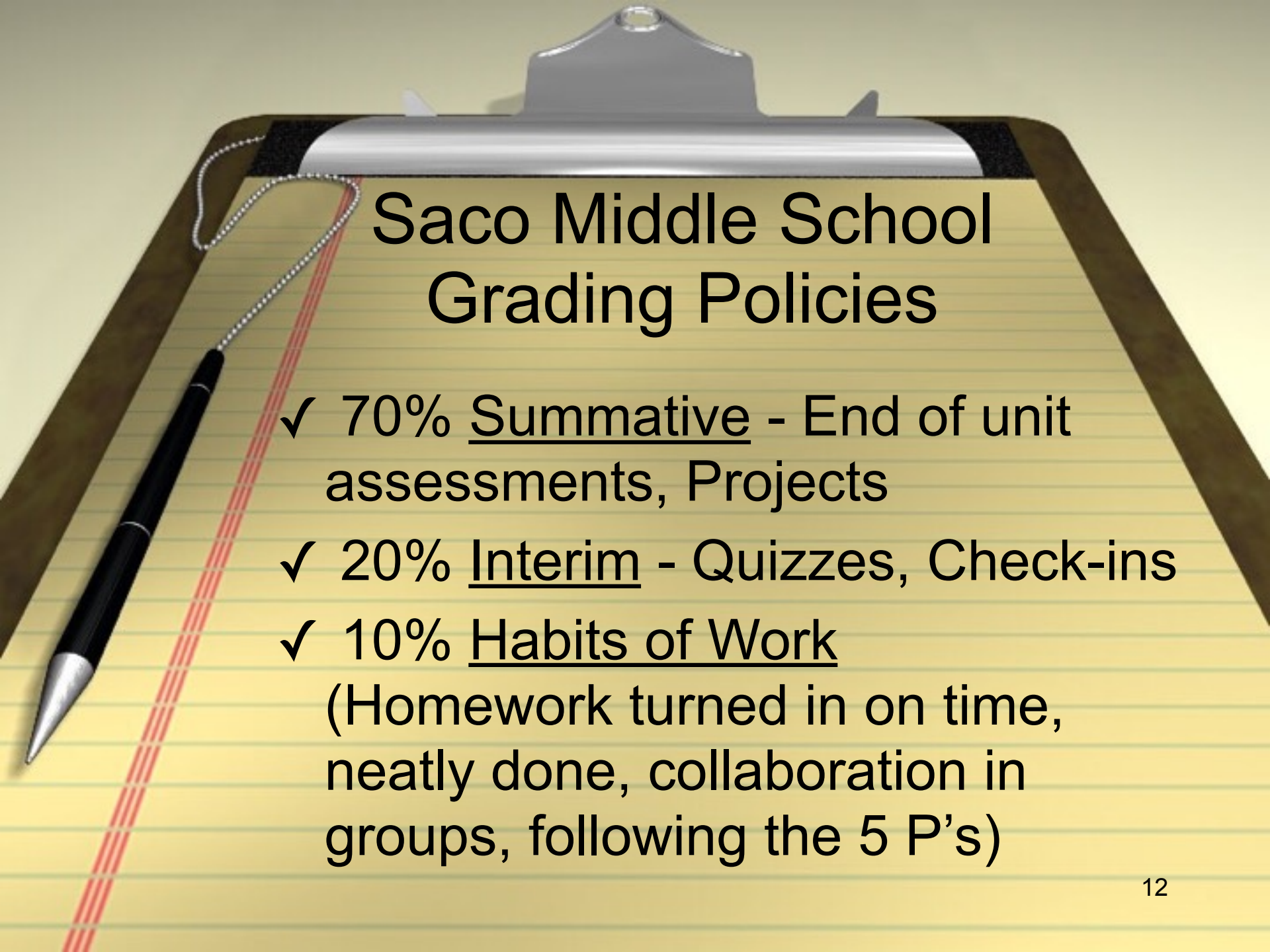


- ✓ You will have access to your child's grades 24 hours a day!
- ✓ See your child's average to date
- ✓ View your child's grade on individual assignments
- ✓ Determine if your child is behind on assignments
- ✓ **IF IT IS BLUE..... CLICK ON IT!!**
- ✓ Look for updates from teachers roughly 1 time per week

Powerschool Parent Portal



- ✓ A zero listed means the assignment has not been submitted
- ✓ If a student has been absent, missed assignments will be logged as a zero until the assignment is submitted/made up
- ✓ AGAIN, if it is **BLUE CLICK ON IT!!**



Saco Middle School Grading Policies

- ✓ 70% Summative - End of unit assessments, Projects
- ✓ 20% Interim - Quizzes, Check-ins
- ✓ 10% Habits of Work
(Homework turned in on time, neatly done, collaboration in groups, following the 5 P's)

Sports

- 6th Graders can participate in cross country(fall), indoor track(winter), swimming(winter) outdoor track (spring) and tennis (spring)
- *A current physical is required...(they are good for 1 year)



Clubs

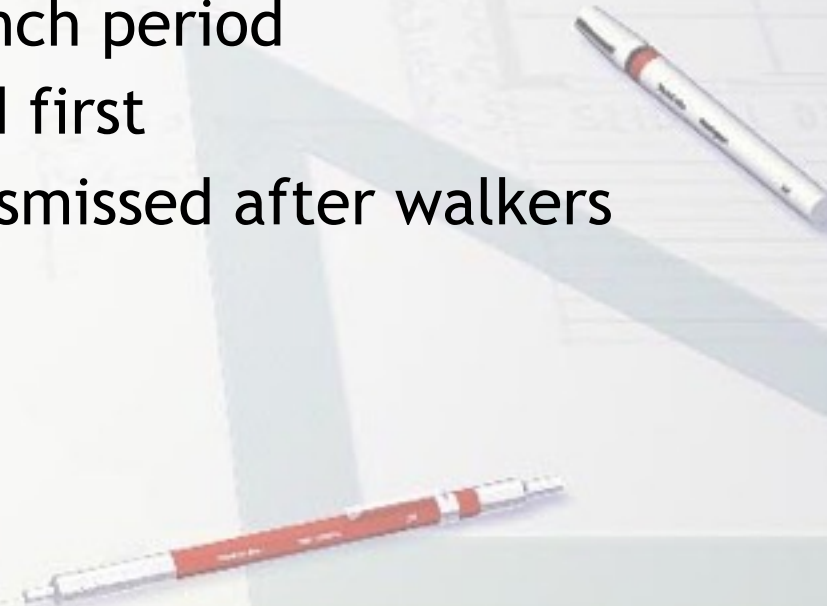
Various clubs are offered both after school and during the school day

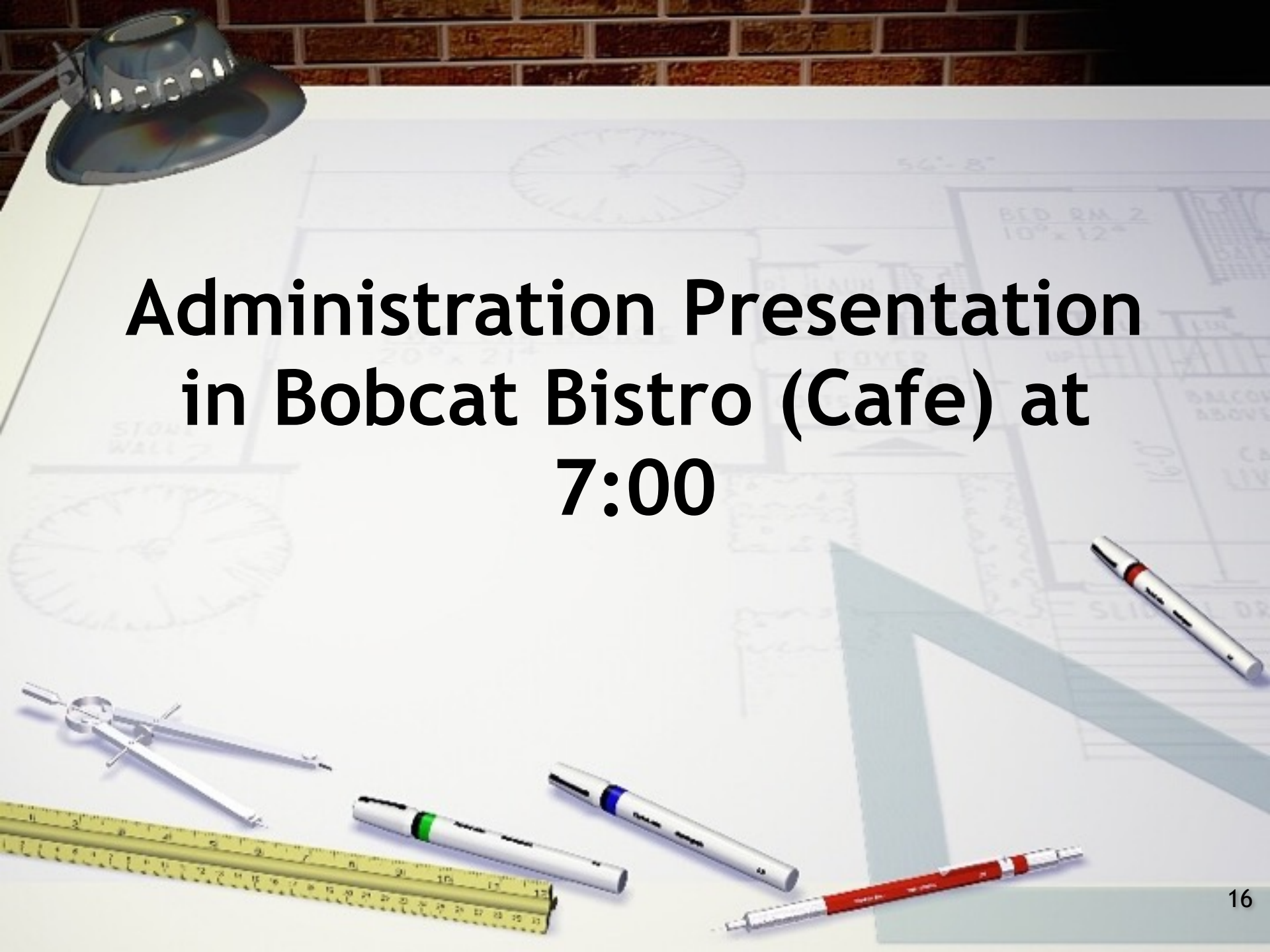
- *Art Club
- *Yearbook
- *Guitar Club
- *Ecology Club
- *Newspaper
- *Robotics
- *Chorus
- *Band
- *Drama Club
- *Builder's Club





Our Daily Schedule

- Students should arrive no earlier than 8:15!
 - Our day begins with 10 minutes of Team Time which begins @ 8:15 AM
 - The remaining time is divided into six blocks.
 - Students can visit their locker after every 2 periods.
 - Students have a 20 minute lunch period
 - Walkers/pick ups are released first
 - 6th Grade bus students are dismissed after walkers
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The background of the slide is a detailed architectural floor plan. In the top left corner, a silver desk lamp is positioned over the drawing. Scattered across the bottom half of the drawing are various drafting tools: a pair of silver compasses, a yellow folding ruler, and four white markers with green, blue, and red caps. A large, light blue arrow points from the bottom right towards the center of the text. The floor plan itself shows various rooms and dimensions, such as 'BED RM 2 10' x 12'', '56' - 8"', and '20' x 21''.

Administration Presentation in Bobcat Bistro (Cafe) at 7:00

Thank You for coming tonight!



- *We are very excited about the 2016-2017 school year.*
- *Together we can make it successful and fun year for our students!*
- *Please feel free to tour our classrooms & try to locate/open your locker!*