# A Peek At The Month Ms. Kotanan's 6<sup>th</sup> Grade November

#### **Upcoming Events**

November 5-7<sup>th</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> Grade CAMP

November 11- Veteran's Days

November 13 - History Museum Field Trip.

November 17 - Grid of Choice #2 DUE

November 19/20: Conferences

**November 19-26:** Home School Days

\*if you're reading this send me an email with subject "HAPPY DAYS".

## ENTHUSIASM

"ENTHUSIASM is excitement with inspiration.

Motivation and a pinch of creativity" -Bo Bennett

### Reminders

#### •REMEMBER TO SIGN UP FOR CONFERENCES!

- •Please be checking your child's planner **DAILY** for their assignments.
- •**REMIND 101-** Sign up for 6<sup>th</sup> grade Home Room <u>REMINDERS</u>. I will have a drawing Tues. Nov. 4<sup>th</sup> for all parents that have signed up. **Goal 100% parents sign up!!!**

## Reading/Writing

- •Writing: We will be analyzing written arguments, and write our own persuasive essays.
- •Reading: We will continue reading our literature circle books and practicing good reading strategies (preview, question, predict, infer, connect, summarize, and evaluate).

#### Math

- •The students will be starting their new unit on Arithmetic operations including dividing by a fraction.

  Science
  - •Students will learn about the Earth's layers, how the Earth was formed, and begin learning about earth's topography

#### Social Studies

•The students will be finishing up their unit on Mesopotamia and into another favorite, Egypt! We are fortunate to have the King Tut exhibit's first stop on their national tour be in San Diego. I am so excited to take the students on a field trip there on November 13! Please make sure all students have a new 3 prong, 2 pocket folder ready to go.

#### Physical Education

•We are working on group dynamic standards and motor skills while playing CONEBALL and basketball this month. Students are learning food groups and nutrition.

## Home School Projects

GRID of Choice Project #2 Due: Nov. 17th Project #2 Home School Days 10/10, 10/17, 10/24, 10/31, 11/7, 11/14

**Project #3 Home School Days** 11/19, 11/20, 11/21, 11/24, 11/25, 11/26 **DUE 12/1** 

ALL Projects include Reading & Math Packets