

## Sixth Grade Checklist: April 6<sup>th</sup> – April 17<sup>th</sup>

### Monday, April 6<sup>th</sup>:

ELA:

- Read pages 18-20 (informational pages) from coach book pdf
- Watch connotation and denotation video  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FmqOld0Ye-4>
- Complete Readworks Assignment "April Fools Day"
- 20 minutes DEAR time

MATH:

- Read the "Teacher Notes" on p.111 and answer the questions on pages 112 and 113.

SOCIAL STUDIES:

- Click on the following link and visit the 8 topics below. (You might want to skip #7 if you have a weak stomach. It's not too bad, but a little gross.- no points will be deducted for skipping that!) You don't have to finish this in one day. You have all week.

<https://www.childrensuniversity.manchester.ac.uk/learning-activities/history/ancient-egypt/explore-ancient-egypt/>

1. [Explore Ancient Egypt](#)
2. [Giza Pyramid Panorama](#)
3. [Egyptian Timeline](#)
4. [Ancient Egyptian Gods](#)
5. [The Egyptian Number System](#)
6. [Writing in Hieroglyphs](#)
7. [Making a Mummy](#)
8. [Egyptian Jigsaw](#)

### Tuesday, April 7<sup>th</sup>:

ELA:

- Read "Rain in Summer" and answer questions (p. 22-23) from coach book pdf
- Complete Readworks Assignment "The Road Not Taken"
- 20 minutes DEAR time

MATH:

- Complete worksheet page 114
- Study Island lesson 5A ten questions

## **Wednesday, April 8<sup>th</sup>:**

ELA:

- Read "Planting of Apple Trees" and answer questions (p. 26-28) from coach book pdf
- Complete Readworks Assignment "Spring"
- 20 minutes DEAR time

MATH:

- Complete worksheet page 115

**\*\*ALL WORK ABOVE IS DUE TO MR ROWE AND MISS MEANIX BY THE END OF THE DAY ON WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8<sup>th</sup>**

## **Thursday, April 9<sup>th</sup> – Tuesday, April 14<sup>th</sup>**

- Enjoy SPRING BREAK!**

## **Wednesday, April 15<sup>th</sup>:**

ELA:

- Complete Readworks Assignment "The Frost"
- Start brainstorming and drafting your creative poem (due Friday)
  - o Requirements and example are at the bottom of the checklist
- 20 minutes DEAR time

MATH:

- Read worksheet 116 and complete problems on 117 and 118

SCIENCE:

- Read and complete "Crash Landing" worksheet up to and including part 1.

## **Thursday, April 16<sup>th</sup>:**

ELA:

- Complete Readworks Assignment "Moonrise"
- Finish writing final draft of creative poem
- 20 minutes DEAR time

MATH:

- Complete pages 119 and 120

SCIENCE:

- Complete part 2 of "Crash Landing"

## **Friday, April 17<sup>th</sup>:**

ELA:

- Complete Readworks Assignment "Beclouded"
- Revise/highlight figurative language/pick connotation and denotation (see assignment sheet for more details)
- Email poem to Miss Meanix by the end of the day
- 20 minutes DEAR time

MATH:

- Complete Study Island lesson 5C ten questions
- Try the Fun Friday math challenge question

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## **Creative Poem Assignment**

The poem:

- ❖ May be on any topic, in any format. It may rhyme, it may not. You can follow a rhyme scheme or do free verse. This is totally up to you.
- ❖ Must have at least 4 stanzas.
- ❖ Each stanza must have at least 3 lines.
- ❖ Must include at least three examples of figurative language (example: simile, metaphor, hyperbole, personification, etc.)
- ❖ All figurative language must be highlighted or underlined
- ❖ Three words from the poem will be identified at the bottom/side of the page. You are required to include the denotation (dictionary definition) as well as the connotation (what feeling it has in your poem based on context- either positive, negative, or neutral)
  - Refer to video or bottom of page 20 in the coach book pages for a reminder of connotation vs denotation
- ❖ Can be typed or handwritten

- ❖ Must be emailed to Miss Meanix ([hmeanix@rsd.k12.pa.us](mailto:hmeanix@rsd.k12.pa.us)) by the end of the day Friday, April 17<sup>th</sup>

My Example:

Sunshine

The rays of warmth gently kiss my cheek

As I turn towards the blue and white above

I feel a smile *sneak* onto my face

The sun is orange sherbet

On a hot summer's day

A perfect *delight*

The white puffs dance by

As the bright ball shines

From a million miles away

We bathe in the warmth

We close our eyes

And dream of the next shining day

Connotation vs denotation:

Sneak: denotation- move or go in a furtive or stealthy manner.

Connotation- positive.

Delight: denotation- great pleasure.

Connotation- positive.

Dance: denotation- move

rhythmically to music, typically

following a set sequence of steps.

Connotation- positive.