# WELCOME TO 6TH GRADE SCIENCE

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# WHO AM I?

- -My name is Mrs. Shelley
- -This is my 6th year at St. Anne's and 23nd year teaching overall
- -I live in Oyster Bay, NY
- -I have been married for 18 years and have two kids:

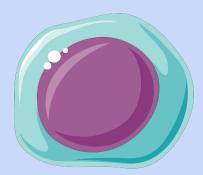
Scarlett, 14 and Craig, 12

-I love working out like, running, yoga, cycling



## TOPICS WE WILL EXPLORE THIS YEAR IN LIFE SCIENCE

- \*Scientific Method
- \*Characteristics of Cells (Structure and Function)
- \*Living/Nonliving and Levels of Cellular Organization
- \*Homeostasis and Cell Processes (Photosynthesis and Cellular Respiration)
- \*Reproduction and Heredity
- \*DNA Structure and Function
- \*Classification



# HOMEWORK



- \*Homework will be given on a daily basis.
- \*All homework with their due dates will be posted on Google Classroom.
- \*Each missing homework assignment will deduct the starting grade of 100% by three points.
- \*If you are absent you are still responsible for completing all classwork and homework assignments.

### GOOGLE CLASSROOM

https://stannesgcschool.org/6th-grade-science

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Google Classroom (GCR) will serve as our Learning Management System (LMS) this school year.

Class Work, Home Work, and Assessments will be administered almost exclusively via GCR.

Additional tools and software that integrate with GCR will also be utilized this school year such as, but not limited to; Kami, EdPuzzle, Quizizz, Google Forms, Google email, Google Docs, Google Slides.

During the first few weeks of school I will spend a significant amount of time training students in the use of this technology that will enhance, augment and optimize student learning, workflow and communication.

In addition to GCR, please refer to my class page on the St. Anne's website for all latest information.

# CODE OF CONDUCT FOR ONLINE LEARNERS Be Respectful Be Responsible THINK Before You Type

#### Be Respectful

- Demonstrate respect for teachers and classmates in your digital classroom (just as you would in your "real" classroom)
  - Use kind language and be cooperative
  - Pay attention and wait your turn when others are speaking/typing
  - Use full sentences and proper grammar
  - Remember please and thank you
- Use a respectful digital "tone" (avoid CAPS IT LOOKS LIKE YELLING)
- Address teachers with their proper title (Dr./Mr./Ms.)

#### Google Classroom

- \*Do not have conversations with fellow classmates in the "stream"
  - \*Turn in all assignments. Not clicking turn in will result in an incomplete
  - \*Pay attention to all due dates
  - \*Copying and pasting any work will result in a zero

#### Be Responsible

- Use technology responsibly
  - Use appropriate language (avoid internet slang or offensive words)
  - Keep to only school related activities/discussion
  - O Do not start or participate in separate video chats or chat boxes while a lesson is going on
  - I must be able to see you throughout the lesson (cameras on)
- Practice digital safety
  - O Do not invite others who are not in your class into a meet up or virtual classroom
  - Do not share your password, personal information, or classroom codes with anyone other than parents/guardians

#### THINK Before You Type

- T Is it True?
- H Is it Helpful?
- I Is it Inspiring?
- N Is it Necessary?
- K Is it Kind?

## TEST POLICY AND PROJECTS

\*Tests will always be announced in advance.

\*Extra help will be held before each exam and by request.

\*There will be projects that you will need to complete throughout the course

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of the year (scientist report, cell model, family traits tree).

## CLASS EXPECTATIONS

- \*Effort and participation are an essential part in succeeding in class.
- \*Please come prepared to class everyday with all school materials (including glue, scissors, crayons).
- \*Coming to class unprepared will result in a three point deduction off your classwork grade.

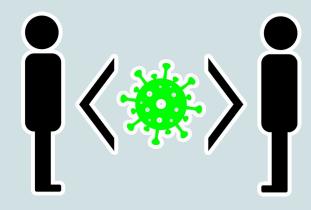
### CLASS RULES

- \*Raise your hand.
- \*Come prepared to learn
- \*Be respectful
- \*Follow all directions



## SOCIAL DISTANCING RULES

- \*Do not share masks
- \*Wash and dry you hands
- \*Do not share materials or devices
- \*Cough/sneeze into your elbow
- \*Stay home if you feel sick



Do you have any concerns that you want to talk about?



