

# Welcome to 8<sup>th</sup> Grade!

We would like to introduce you to team. We have Mrs. Bonnie Fanelli teach Math; Mrs. Michelle Cobb, teaching English/Language Arts and Social Studies; Mrs. Donnie Luchetti teaching Science. And, Mrs. Loreta Youssef teaching Spanish 1. We are all very excited to start the year!

### Math 1-Mrs. Fanelli:

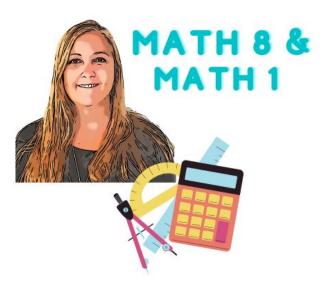
In math 1, students will learn about sequences, linear and exponential functions, features of functions, equations and inequalities, systems of equations and inequalities, quadratic functions, modeling data, and geometry.

# Special Events in 8<sup>th</sup> Grade:

8th Grade Formal & Picnic are paused currently 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation: June 2021 (Date TBD)

### Math 8-Mrs. Fanelli:

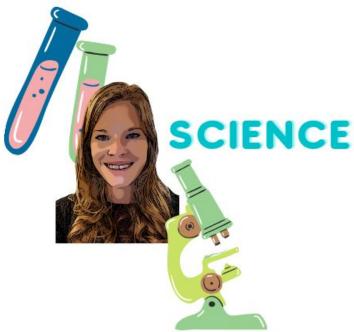
In math 8, students will learn number sense, real number system, properties of exponents, scientific notation, geometric properties, Pythagorean theorem, volume, identifying functions, linear functions (slope and equations of lines), bivariate data, systems of equations and transformations.



### ELA/SS- Mrs. Cobb:

In this combined English/Language Arts class, students will be focusing on core American foundations and events, as well as how the fall of Colonialism led to the rise and fall of Communism. English literary studies and writing will focus on expository (informative) writing skills and a variety of literary techniques/devices.





#### Science-Mrs. Luchetti:

In science, students will focus on chemistry, Earth's water resources, energy, Earth history, and biotechnology and molecular biology.

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#### Spanish 1- Senora Youssef:

**Spanish 1** is an introduction to Spanish and focuses on the four key areas of foreign language study: listening, speaking, reading, and writing. The primary purpose of the course is to prepare students to be college-ready, well-rounded global citizens who can communicate effectively in Spanish and are aware of the cultural influences of the Spanish and Latino heritage at home and abroad. Students in this course will learn Spanish phonemes and basic vocabulary including numbers, colors, and greetings. Students will be expected to master proper Spanish sentence constructions, articles and adjectives, subject-verb agreement, and regular and irregular verb conjugations. Students earn 1 high school credit upon successful completion of the course.