

Tonight's Lesson Plan

Individual Activity: Holicong Inspiration

Directions

1. Print your name (optional) first and last name clearly on the front of the card
2. Before the night is over, please write an inspirational quote, movie quote, song lyric, or word of encouragement
3. Please hand the note card to your tour guide before you leave this evening – we have a plan!



A SPECIAL THANK YOU!
MRS. REPPER &
HOLICONG STRING ENSEMBLE



The Holicong Musical 2020



Thursday, March 12th @ 7 pm

Friday, March 13th @ 7 pm

Saturday, March 14th @ 2 & 7 pm

Welcome To Holicong Middle School



6th Grade Parent Orientation
February 18th, 2020

Our Lesson Plan

- ▶ Anticipatory Set
- ▶ Objective
- ▶ Whole Group Instruction
- ▶ Small Group Instruction
- ▶ Individual Instruction
- ▶ Assessment

Let's Begin!



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Objective:

By the end of this meeting, we will build the 7th grade **Holicong parent community** and parents will be able to achieve **100% confidence** that the transition to Holicong Middle School will be smooth (for both parents and students!)

En loco parentis



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Agenda:

Whole Group 7:00 – 7:45

1. Overview of Holicong & Teaming
2. Transitioning to Middle School
3. 7th Grade Schedules
4. Guidance Counselor Roles
5. Core & Special Class Offerings

Small Group) 7:45 – 8:30

Building Tour



Tonight's Lesson Plan

Assessment:

A “formative assessment” will be used at the end of the presentation to check for understanding.

Note: Yes, we will have Holicong prizes!



What Holicong means to
US...

From
one of
us!





2019-2020 Enrollment

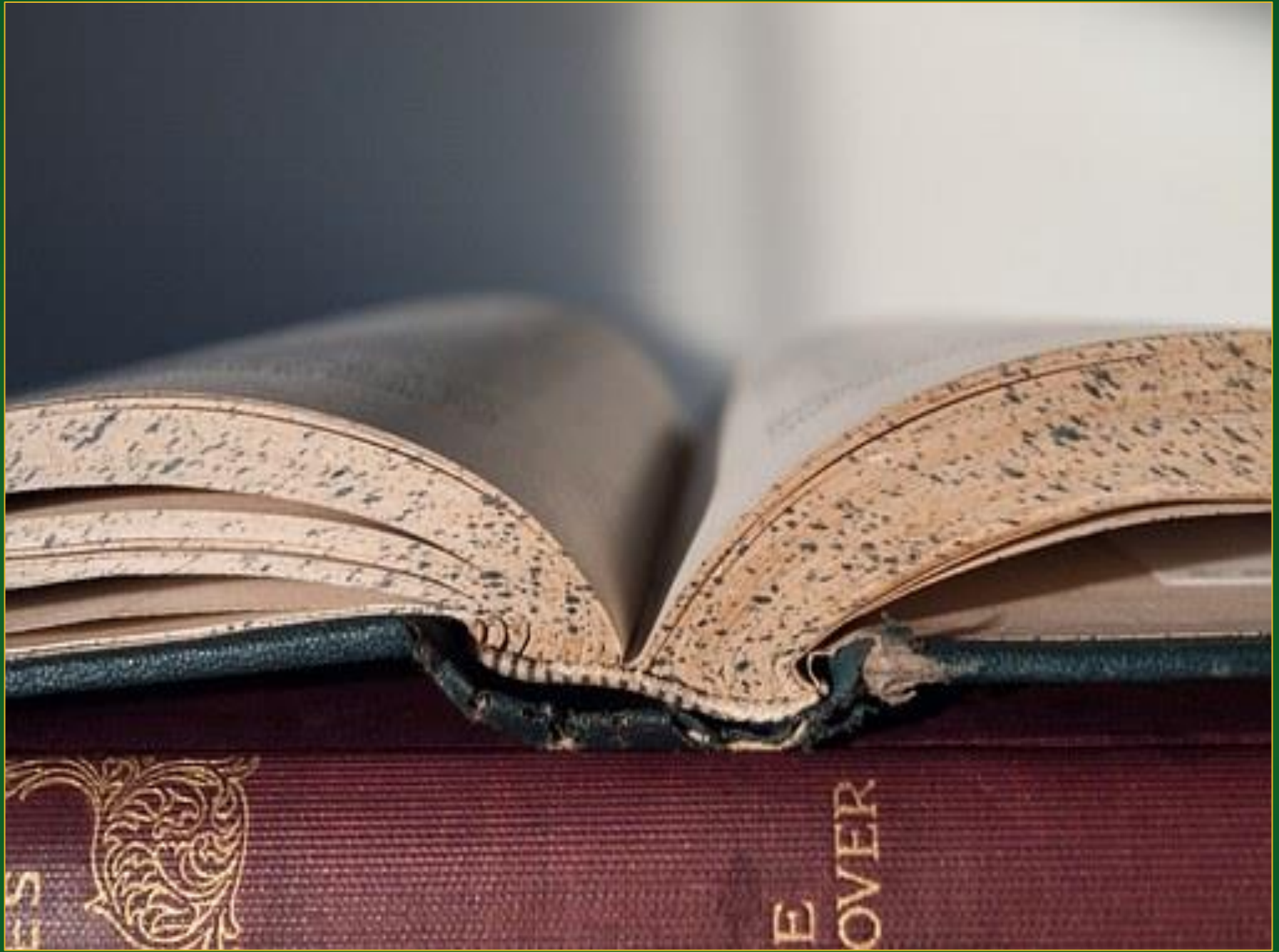
- ▶ Approximately 1,035 Students (7,8,9)
- ▶ 348 7th Grade Students
- ▶ Feeder Elementary Schools
 - ▶ **Buckingham**
 - ▶ **Warwick**
 - ▶ **Linden**
 - ▶ **Cold Spring**
 - ▶ **Bridge Valley**
 - ▶ **Private/Parochial Schools**











Transition Process



COUNSELOR VISITS
TO ELEMENTARY
SCHOOLS



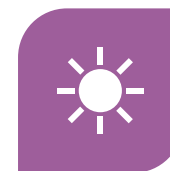
STUDENTS VISIT
HOLICONG (MAY
27 AND 28)



SUMMER READ-IN



SCHEDULE PICK-UP
DAY AT
HOLICONG (TBD)



SUMMER OPEN
HOUSE



FIRST DAY OF
SCHOOL



TEAM APPROACH



PLACEMENT IN THE
BUILDING

Interdisciplinary Teams

- ▶ Approximately 115 Students on a team
- ▶ Five Core Academic Teachers
 - ▶ **Math**
 - ▶ **Science**
 - ▶ **English and Language Arts A**
 - ▶ **English and Language Arts B**
 - ▶ **Social Studies**
- ▶ “School Within A School”
 - ▶ **Organization**
 - ▶ **Study Habits**
 - ▶ **Socialization Skills**
 - ▶ **Academics**



7th Grade Teams and More

- ▶ Three Teams (7-0, 7-1, and 7-2)
 - ▶ **No Significance To Numbers**
 - ▶ **Teams Are Balanced**
 - ▶ **Randomly Assigned**
- ▶ Resource Period (50 Minutes every other day)
- ▶ Advisory Period (19 minutes every day)
 - ▶ Social-Emotional Health
 - ▶ Team Time Activities



Team 7.0

MRS. SMITH
MRS. RICKERT
MRS. MADDEN
MR. WILLARD
MS. AMBROSINI
MRS. HAMPSTEAD



Team 7.1

MR. KANE

MR. SIMON

MRS. DEMURO

MRS. LOVUOLO

MRS. TRAMMELL

MS. NIKOLOPOULOS



Team 7.2

Mr. Barno
Mrs. Slotterback
Mr. Hilbert
Mrs. Brunner
Mrs. Paglione
Mr. Breedon



Schedule Pick-up Day – August 21st

- Pick up schedule
- Tour the building
- Follow Schedule & Scavenger Hunt
- Practice opening lockers



Typical Seventh Grade Day

- ▶ Seven - 50 minute classes
- ▶ 3 minute passing time
- ▶ 30 minute lunch
- ▶ 19 minute advisory

7 th GRADE		
Period	Time	Length
1	7:30 – 8:20	50 min
2	8:23 – 9:13	50 min
Advisory	9:16 – 9:35	19 min
3	9:38 – 10:28	50 min
4	10:31 – 11:21	50 min
LUNCH	11:21 – 11:51	30 min
5	11:54 – 12:44	50 min
6	12:47 – 1:37	50 min
7	1:40 – 2:30	50 min

Specials in 7th Grade

- ▶ Performing Music student (Band, Chorus, Orchestra)
 - ▶ Music class every other day all year
 - ▶ One course of each over the next two years:
 - ▶ Art
 - ▶ Family and Consumer Science
 - ▶ Health and Physical Education
 - ▶ Innovation & Creativity
 - ▶ Integrated Technology
 - ▶ Technology & Engineering



Specials in 7th Grade

- ▶ Non-Performing Music students will have the following specials:
 - ▶ Art
 - ▶ Family and Consumer Sciences
 - ▶ Health and Physical Education
 - ▶ Innovation & Creativity
 - ▶ Integrated Technology
 - ▶ Technology & Engineering





ART

Mrs. Ritter &
Ms. Panitch



Family & Consumer Science

Mrs. Flath & Ms. O'Brien



Health & PE

Mr. Cochran
& Mrs. Davidson



MUSIC

Mr. Chodoroff, Mr. Glaser,
& Mrs. Repper

Technology & Engineering Education



Ms. Piergallini
&
Mr. Dallas



Innovation & Creativity

Mrs. Repper
&
Mr. Palmer





Integrated Technology

Mrs. Hallman

&

Ms. Piergallini



Athletic Director

Mr. Rittenhouse



Extracurricular Opportunities



ATHLETICS – OVER 15
SPORTS OFFERED IN FALL,
WINTER & SPRING



CLUBS – OVER 20 CLUBS
RANGING FROM ART TO
WORLD AFFAIRS



MUSIC – SELECT GROUPS
IN BAND, CHORUS, AND
ORCHESTRA

Academic Supports

- ▶ Open Study
- ▶ Resource
- ▶ NJHS Tutors
- ▶ Subject Peer Tutoring
- ▶ CB East Tutors
- ▶ Consult



Role of the Counselor

- ▶ Focus on working on the whole student:
 - ▶ Academic
 - ▶ Emotional
 - ▶ Social
 - ▶ Career Exploration
- ▶ Member of the Academic Team all three years
- ▶ Coordinate Grade Reports and Program Planning
- ▶ Individual Conferences/Student Meetings
- ▶ Liaison to community resources
- ▶ Discussion Groups and Mediation
- ▶ Transition to Middle School



Canvas Websites

- ▶ Homework Assignments
- ▶ Long-term Assignments
- ▶ Upcoming Tests/Quizzes
- ▶ Class Procedures
- ▶ Contact Information
- ▶ And More



Program Planning Timeline

February 19th – March 2nd

Elementary Teachers make 7th
grade course placement
recommendations to Holicong

March 11th Course Verification

- Sheets go home for parent signatures

Go to the Holicong [Guidance](#)
Program Planning Page for more
information about math sequence
and 7th grade courses



Formative Assessment

What is the musical this year?

Xanadu

What days do the 6th graders visit Holicong?

May 27th & May 28th

How long is Advisory?

19 minutes

When is schedule pickup day?

August 21st

Who is the guidance counselor?

Mr. Striano



How did we do?

Administration

Kevin Shillingford (Principal)

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Athletic Director

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Guidance Counselors

Guidance Phone Number:

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7th grade

8th A-C

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9th grade

8th D-J

Marykate Blankenburg

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8th grade K-Z

How to follow Holicong!

- ▶ [Holicong Website](#)
- ▶ [Daily Announcements & Weekly Updates](#)
- ▶ [@CBHolicongMS](#)
- ▶ [CBSD Mobile App \(choose Holicong\)](#)
- ▶ [Holicong Athletics](#)

Now for Building Tours...

- ▶ Stay seated until your tour guide comes to your section
- ▶ Your tour guide has a scheduled itinerary for you!

