

# Welcome to Grade 6/7

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## Communication

I value communication with parents. The best way to communicate with me is via email. My email is [alsimpson@rockyview.ab.ca](mailto:alsimpson@rockyview.ab.ca)

Gr. 6's will write messages, due dates, important events and work to be completed in their agendas. Gr. 7's will use their homework folder to keep track of due dates and important events.

I will call home on an as needed basis.

PowerSchool will be used to communicate assignment completion and grades.

## Conferences

We will have two sets of conferences: one as a three-way conference, (students should be a central part of this), the other a celebration of learning (a project based upon exploration, expression, exhibition, and reflection).

## Homework

My philosophy is that most work should be done at school. If a student hasn't finished their work at school, the expectation is that it will be completed at home and brought back the next day.

# Helpful Information

## Google Classroom

Students will use Google Classroom as a hub for assignments and resources to support student learning. Students are able to logon and access Google Classroom at home and at school, through their RVS email.

<https://classroom.google.com>

Please refer to <https://www.learnalberta.ca/content/mychildlearning/grade6.html> and <https://www.learnalberta.ca/content/mychildlearning/grade7.html> for further information regarding the Grade 6 & 7 curriculum.

Students are encouraged to read daily at home (15-20 minutes). There will be monthly challenges and rewards. Minutes should be recorded and signed in your student's agenda/homework folder.



It is the understanding that students should have mastery of their basic math facts, but not all students do. I recommend practice with cue cards, iPad games, or parent generated questions.

