

Ms. K Brown's 7th Grade Science Newsletter September 2014

I'd like to introduce myself. My name is Kim Brown, and I am your student's science teacher. I hope that the transition from summer to school has been a smooth one for you. I'm happy

to have your student in my class and look forward to exploring science together.

This is the first of an ongoing series of newsletters I plan to send home to keep you informed of class activities and other information to help your child succeed in my class.

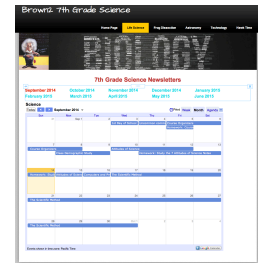
7th grade science has gotten off to a good start. Students have been learning the classroom rules and procedures as well as starting to explore what it means to think like a scientist as we begin our unit on the Scientific Method.

As you probably already know, this Tuesday the 16th is Back to School Night. It starts at 6:30 pm and will finish around 8:30 pm. I look forward to meeting those of you who are able to attend, and have prepared a presentation on our class.

Some information that you might find helpful:

The main page of my website is: <http://msbrownclass.weebly.com> where you and your child can access their On-Line Textbook, Synergy, Google accounts, and turn in e-assignments.

From the home page you can navigate to our class calendar that is located on the "Life Science" home page, or access the current unit on the **Scientific Method** page of the "Life Science" tab. Learning goals, as well as links to **assignments** are located on this page. You will find additional **study and learning resources** such as flash cards, computer simulations, and video learning links. Please feel free to explore the website as there are other helpful resources. The website is a work in progress, so please check it out occasionally.



Thanks to a suggestion by Ms. Church, I will be trying out the text and email service "Remind.com" to help with communication.

You can sign-up with Remind.com to receive emails or text messages with updates on our classroom activities. To find out more information about this service please go to the Remind.com website.

Sign-up information is dependent on the class period that your student has science.

Period	Text Message sign-up <i>Send the following message to (503) 946-6740</i>	Email sign-up (leave subject blank)
1	@0cfaa	0cfaa@mail.remind.com
3	@mskbrow	mskbrow@mail.remind.com
4	@mskbrown	mskbrown@mail.remind.com
5	@bbe23	c63c0b@mail.remind.com
6	@c63c0b	c63c0b@mail.remind.com
7	@a71d72	a71d72@mail.remind.com

I look forward to a productive year, working with and helping your student to learn and enjoy science.

Sincerely - Ms. K. Brown

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