

CAMBRIDGE-NARROWS COMMUNITY SCHOOL

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Joke/Quote of the Week



Happy Birthday!

There are no birthdays
this week.



**Check student emails
weekly. Contact Ms. Harris
for password resets.**

Hello Huskies!

Welcome to week 5 of the CNCS Learning Opportunities newsletter. This week's theme is all things Lego! Please send us your pictures of the cool things you create to post to the school Twitter account.

- ☆ **SRC applications** for the **Middle Level Student Rep** are now being accepted. Please email Ms. Harris or Marcy to receive a form or go to the school website. Applications are due by May 18th. This year the SRC will be made up of 5 Executive members, 1 Middle Level Rep and 1 Elementary Rep so please share this information with anyone who may be interested. Due to not being in school, if anyone misses the notice but is interested, we will discuss how to include everyone in the fall.
- ☆ Families for whom technology for learning is non-existent or challenging, you are invited to sign up for an **education supplement** to be delivered in the Saturday paper. Call 1-844-615-7542 and provide delivery information.

Let's Chat!

There will be a Teams meeting for each grade starting next week. Check student emails for the invitation to join the meeting.

Grade 6: Tuesdays at 11am
Grade 7: Tuesdays at 2:30pm
Grade 8: upon request
Instructions on how to join will be included in the invitation email.

Let's Stay Healthy!

Challenge: create an obstacle course and compete to see who can get through it the fastest. Be sure to increase the difficulty as you go!

- ★ **Reading** for 30 minutes every day expands your ideas and promotes your creativity. How many books, articles or magazines have you read so far this month?

Resources you may like!

1. **Audible:** Reading resource that reads books out loud.
<https://stories.audible.com/start-listen>
2. **French sites:** <https://www.duolingo.com/> or <https://www.logicieleducatif.fr/>
3. **Khan Academy:** leveled math activities.
4. **Cool Math games:** <https://www.coolmathgames.com/>
5. **Lego:** <https://encouragingmomsathome.com/fantastic-lego-math-learning-activities-ages/>

☆ Some suggested sites for math may require a teacher to setup as a class. Contact Mr. Burrill if this occurs.

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Science

Bridge Building Challenge

Using Lego and various other materials build a bridge that can span the greatest distance and support the heaviest load!

Some things to think about:

How can the shape of the bridge effect its strength?

What can you use for supports?

Where can supports be used to strengthen your bridge most effectively?

What kinds of materials can you use?

How will you test the strength of your bridge?

Choice extension activity

Research and build a suspension bridge. How are they different than a regular bridge?



Choice extension activity

Collect data on something of your choice and create a 3D bar graph using Lego to show your findings.

This week we will be using Lego as a hands-on tool to practice our math skills:

1. Practice Multiplication, Area, and Perimeter with Lego – see **Lego** pdf
2. Using Lego to Practice Money Skills – <https://youvegotthismath.com/2016/02/03/coin-and-lego-challenge/>
3. Lego Fractions Practice – https://www.youtube.com/watch?time_continue=9&v=pbmLnP7Qh_4&feature=emb_logo

Numeracy

Literacy/Social Studies



You wake up to find that you are now living in a Lego world. Tell the story in the first- person (this means writing from your perspective and use the word “I” a lot).

Example: I woke up to find my world changed. I was totally shocked; I could not believe my eyes. It was all Lego!

Choice extension activity

You are given unlimited supply of Legos. Describe what you would build and why?

Time capsule suggestions for this week!

1. Choose another page or pages from the time capsule sheets sent last week.
2. Pictures of this week's activities. Remember to add that it snowed in May!

IF YOU'RE FEELING ADVENTUROUS, YOU CAN...

1. Try a new language on Duolingo. Ms. Harris is working on her German skills.
2. Plan a meal this week. Pick a theme and find food that matches. Be sure to include a menu with a description of the food for your dinner guests.

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