

Grade 8/Class of 2022

Summer Prep

Here is an outline with some tips to prepare yourself for a successful transition to Grade 8.

1. Literature

Read! Always have a good book in progress. Have a notebook and dictionary available to jot down new vocabulary and definitions.

See Mrs. Saraceno's Summer Reading List and assignment.

2. HSPT- High School Placement Test

The review book is **required for September.**

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A. Vocabulary- (Chapter 3)

1. Word Histories

Review roots.- (Latin helps here.)

2. Word Lists

Review commonly tested words on

pgs. 115-119

(Review the Quizlet on Classroom as well.)

B. Language Arts- (Chapter 4)

1. Punctuation

2. Usage

3. Composition

C. Reading Comprehension- (Chapter 5)

1. Review 4 types of comprehension questions to determine:

a. Main Ideas

b. Word Meanings from Context Clues

c. Facts Versus Opinions

d. Conclusions

3. Spanish

Review verbs and vocab sets from Chapters *Para Empezar* to *5B*.

Keep your Spanish 7 notebook!

4. Math

Work on the Math assignment.

5. Grade 8- Photo Search

Search for your favorite photos from your childhood.

Prepare 2 slides in Google Slides with 6-10 of your favorite photos.

Include your First Communion photo, family photo, photo with siblings, photos you doing your favorite things (playing a sport, playing a musical instrument, or fishing:) This assignment will be due during the first week of school in

September for a nice starter grade!