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**Mrs. Dunnavant:**

**Reading *–*** We will continue reviewing for the ARMT + this week. Students should read their independent books daily, write a one page entry, and add four vocabulary words to their journals. Reading journals due Friday.

**Science –** We will finish up our Acids and Bases unit this week. The study guide for this test is the last page of the Chemistry Study Guide. Students have this glued into their notebooks. **The Acids and Bases Test will be on Tuesday.** Students should study their science notebooks nightly.

**Language –** We will be reviewing grammar skills this week.

**Spelling –** Creative Spelling due Thursday. Spelling Test on Friday.

# Mrs. Crawford:

**Math *–*** This week we will cover Chapter 6, Geometry. We are skipping around in the textbook to make sure that all skills are covered before testing. We did not finish all of Chapter 8, Fraction Operations because the rest of the material will not be on the ARMT Plus. However we will go back and hit any items that were skipped after standardized testing. Students should continue to keep all daily work in their math notebook. We will have a **DOM test Friday.** Tuesday and Wednesday students will take a mock ARMT math test.

**Social Studies –** Students should have their memorization from The Declaration of Independence ready by Monday. We will finish Chapter 8, The War for Independence. We will have an open book test on Friday. The Chapter 8 notebook will be due Monday, March 6.

**Language –** In grammar, we will study contractions and negatives. In writing, we will continue to work in our Writer’s Notebook.

**Spelling** – Creative Spelling due Thursday. Test Friday.

## Reminders:

* Students will be taking a practice ARMT test on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week for math. Next week students will take a practice ARMT test in reading.
* Spring Break – March 19-23!
* Mark the date for Standardized Testing! The ARMT Plus will be given on April 10, 11, 17, 18. Testing begins each morning at 8:30.
* Don’t forget to sign your child’s agenda each Friday by the recorded number of checks for the week.
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**Spelling Words**

league, sergeant, yacht, doubt, fatigue, debt, blood, vague, anxious, foreign, bargain, condemn, intrigue, villain, cantaloupe, flood, depot, cordial, subtle, disguise

