**Lesson Plans Grade 8**

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|  | Common Core SS | Objectives | Do Now | Lesson Taught | Assignments | Homework |
| Monday | L.2.1W 2.5 | 1. Demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar and usage when writing and speaking (ONGOING)
2. With guidance and support from adults, use a variety of digital tools to produce and publish writing, including in collaboration with peers.
3. Microsoft Word – Creating

 and Formatting Documents | What type of research papers have you done? | The students will work on completing their webpage using weebly. They will input text, pictures and videos. | The students will learn different research sites to assist with do research papers. | Due by Tuesday of each week. It can also be emailed to the teacher. Chose a famous African American person and write about them in paragraph form. |
| Leader In Me:*I can’t change the direction of the wind, but I can adjust my sails to always reach my destination.*—Jimmy Dean |
| HOTS: The students will create a list of websites that will help with doing research papers. |  |
| Assessment questions: Why is it important to develop a structure and creative PowerPoint presentation? |  |
| Key Vocabulary: Theory, summarization, bibliography page & abstract |  |
| Materials, Visuals/Resources:Computer, work sheet, notebook, pencil or pen. |  |
| How lesson relates to NWEA/M-STEP: Students can read and comprehend literary texts, making inferences and predictions, drawing conclusions, and citing textual support. They can determine central ideas, analyze the development of arguments, and summarize. |  |
| Technology: Computers |  |
| Preparation: Each day I read the Do Now, Vocabulary, and Classwork to the students weekly. |  |
| Motivation: I give stickers, small tokens and bonus points to motivate students to participate in class activities. I also have a slogan wall and its use for classroom management that rewards the class for good behavior. |  |
| Extension: The students will practice working on their home row keys at least 15 minutes a day. Each student is responsible for completing a current event each week. Also, any class work not completed should be done at home. |  |
| DI for Resource Students:The lessons are done in a variety of ways through handouts, visual aids, peer groups, short drills and modified test. |  |
| DI for Tier 3 and Tier 2 Students:The lessons are done in a variety of ways through handouts, visual aids, peer groups, short drills and modified test. |  |
| Notes: I see 8th grade once a week. |  |