

7th Grade Time Capsule

"Here lies history...buried May 2014 to be opened May 2019."

"History will be kind to me for I intend to write it." ~Winston Churchill

During your 7th grade year you will be learning a lot about ancient history and how past events impacted the world today. From the Greeks creating democracy to the Crusaders storming the Holy Land, you will learn every event had some lasting effect on the world we know today. As we learn about ancient history you will discover that every day you will be making history—your own personal history; you will learn the events of your 7th grade year will impact your future as a student. Therefore, we are going to *evaluate* and *record* your 7th grade and store it in a time capsule that will be sealed at the end of 7th grade and will be resurrected when you graduate from high school. When you are a senior, you will be able to rediscover your past and *analyze* how the choices you made during 7th grade shaped who you ended up being in the future.

Objective: To evaluate and record historical events of your 7th grade year at Learwood Middle School and seal them in a time capsule that will be opened at the end of your senior year.

Materials Needed:

- Empty Pringles Container (Due Date: Friday, August 30th)
- Pictures
- Letters
- Favorite items (That you will not need until 2019)
- Anything that you can collect during your 7th grade year that will fit in a Pringles container.
- Current events news articles

Brainstorming

Below, list some items you can seal in your time capsule. The items don't have to be only from 7th grade but from past years also.