



Dear Environmental Systems Parent/Guardian,

Welcome to the third six weeks of environmental science. Please continue to encourage your student to attend tutorials, complete homework and study for upcoming tests. We will be learning about populations and the following topics will be covered during the third six weeks.

Unit 3 topics:

- Population Growth Characteristics
- Limiting Factors
- Species Interactions
- Human Population
- Population Trends
- Biodiversity

We are excited to make this course interesting and interactive by using learner inquiry-based activities and projects, Canvas, on-line book sources and real-world applications of the targeted topics. Students will learn critical thinking skills, safe scientific practices, how to plan and implement scientific design and to communicate their findings.

Students are expected to complete and turn in homework on time via Canvas, myhrw.com, or as otherwise instructed. Students are encouraged to participate, ask questions and be involved in their learning processes in the classroom. Academic success will be determined by both attendance and participation in class. Please encourage your child to be active and responsible in keeping up with their work and checking Skyward for grades. Please see the tutorial schedule on the school website.

Together we can make this a successful year by working together as a team and positively supporting our learners in the classroom. Please contact your child's teacher through email, phone, or schedule a time for a conference.

Sincerely,

Eagle Mountain Saginaw ISD Environmental System Teachers