# **LITERATUS LINGUA**

## **MRS. WEIDER**

## Grammar/ Literature

This week scholars will be working on Adverbs and Adjectives. We have been discussing the best reason for understanding modifiers is to improve our writing! We will continue to discover just how important modifiers are to tell interesting stories, to clearly communicate, and to become more precise as we speak to others.

We will also continue to read about the Greeks and Trojans. This week we will read about Achilles, the great Greek hero, who shows us the folly of pride.

We will also push on in our spelling studies as we continue to build our spelling notebook.

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# Exciting Partnership with Smart Families

At Our Savior Lutheran School, we are committed to creating a safe, focused, and engaging learning environment for our Eagles. This year, we are excited to partner with Smart Families, an organization that helps parents understand the impact of technology and provides tools to support healthy habits at home. OSL has long operated as a technology-free campus to encourage meaningful engagement in our Classical Lutheran curriculum, and this partnership helps families understand the science behind these intentional choices.

Another learning opportunity is scheduled on September 15. See more information below. We will continue to share opportunities to learn throughout the year! Please join in whenever possible. Together, we can help our Eagles thrive academically, socially, and spiritually!

#### Beyond Balance: The Hidden Sense Behind Learning



An Online Event:
The Effect of Screens on Your
Child's Vestibular System
September 15th:
9am - 12pm - 7pm



Join Smart Families for a special online talk with pediatric occupational therapist Sophie Kriss. The vestibular system fuels learning, focus, and emotional regulation. We'll explore how too much screen time thold it back—and share simple, practical ways you can help your child's brain and body thrive this year.

# Join OSL for worship this Sunday!

Worship- 9:30

Bible Study- 10:45

# Learn more about Lutheran doctrine!

Monday evenings- 7:00-8:30

## **Considering the Cost**

A necessary skill for young Logic students is discernment. This is a process of considering both sides of an issue through a thorough process of thinking, listing, assigning importance, and understanding what others may think. In my classroom, we use 5 Common Topics to consider issues. The 5 Common Topics are: Definition, Comparison, Circumstance, Testimony, and Relationship.

Using these topics, we are exploring the following question: Whether the Greeks should have gone to Troy to fight. We will think, discuss, and consider this topic before we create a paragraph stating, persuading, and defending our decision.



### **Fine Arts Connection**



Achilles and Ajax on an urn

530 BC