# Brandon Valley School District District Learning Plans May 18-22, 2020

Last Week of School!

Grade 6 Monday



#### **Brandon Valley School District Distance Learning Plan**

STEM DAY GRADE: 6th DATE: Monday, May 18, 2020

What do students need to do?

Today, students will be creating a dream bedroom!

Link to BV STEM DAY instructional video for week of May 18-22, 2020

- 1. Watch the instructional video for today
- 2. Reread *The Abandoned Farmhouse*
- 3. Look at the photo of the bedroom again
- 4. Complete pages 1-7 in the dream bedroom packet

What do students need to bring back to school?

- Students are not required to submit evidence of completion; however,) they may submit participation photos or short videos to their teachers.
- Feel free to share your dream room, describe it, or show a video. Click on the link below or scan the QR code to share! https://flipgrid.com/3086c96a



• Students should submit (to their respective teacher) any required distance learning assignments not previously turned in.

What standards do the lessons cover?

- 6.G.A Solve real-world and mathematical problems involving area, surface area, and volume.
- 1. Find the area of right triangles, other triangles, special quadrilaterals, and polygons by composing into rectangles or decomposing into triangles and other shapes; apply these techniques in the context of solving real-world and mathematical problems.
- 6.RP.A. Understand ratio concepts and use ratio reasoning to solve problems.
- d. Use ratio reasoning to convert measurement units; manipulate and transform units appropriately when multiplying or dividing quantities.
- 6.RL.10 By the end of the year, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems
- 6.W.4 Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.
- 6.W.9 Draw relevant evidence from literary or informational texts to support written analysis, reflection, and research.

What materials do students need? What extra resources can students use? Need:

- The Abandoned Farmhouse photo
- The Abandoned Farmhouse poem
- Dream bedroom document (pages 1-7)
- Measuring tool (ruler, yard stick, tape measure, etc.)
- Camera and flipgrid link/QR code (optional)

What can students do if	<ul> <li>design your own abandoned farmhouse, using any items you have available at home</li> </ul>	
they finish early?	(be sure to send a picture to your homeroom teacher)	
Who can we contact if	Building Principal: Mr. Skibsted- Nick.Skibsted@k12.sd.us	
we have questions?	Assistant Principal: Mr. Pearson- Rick.Pearson@k12.sd.us	
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<u>Notes:</u> (OPTIONAL) Super Hero Day - Dress in honor of healthcare workers, first responders, and your parents and guardians who are rocking it as co-distance learning educators! #BVlynxdistancelearners

### Instructional materials are posted below (if applicable)

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# Abandoned Farmhouse

by Ted Kooser

He was a big man, says the size of his shoes on a pile of broken dishes by the house; a tall man too, says the length of the bed in an upstairs room; and a good, God-fearing man, says the Bible with a broken back on the floor below the window, dusty with sun; but not a man for farming, say the fields cluttered with boulders and the leaky barn.

A woman lived with him, says the bedroom wall papered with lilacs and the kitchen shelves covered with oilcloth, and they had a child, says the sandbox made from a tractor tire. Money was scarce, say the jars of plum preserves and canned tomatoes sealed in the cellar hole. And the winters cold, say the rags in the window frames. It was lonely here, says the narrow country road.

Something went wrong, says the empty house in the weed-choked yard. Stones in the fields say he was not a farmer; the still-sealed jars in the cellar say she left in a nervous haste. And the child? Its toys are strewn in the yard like branches after a storm-a rubber cow, a rusty tractor with a broken plow, a doll in overalls. Something went wrong, they say.

# **Designing a Dream Bedroom**

Reread the poem, *The Abandoned Farmhouse*, and look at the picture of the bedroom again. Afterwards, think about the house and, specifically, the bedroom. What changes would you make if you were to design your very own dream bedroom? Let's find out! Design a floor plan now for your own dream bedroom.

#### The dream bedroom floor plan should meet the following criteria:

Bedroom dimensions are 10 feet by 14 feet.

#### Bedroom must include at least:

- Something to sleep on
- Somewhere to store your clothes
- Window
- Door

You can include any other items. Be creative! Remember, this is your dream bedroom.

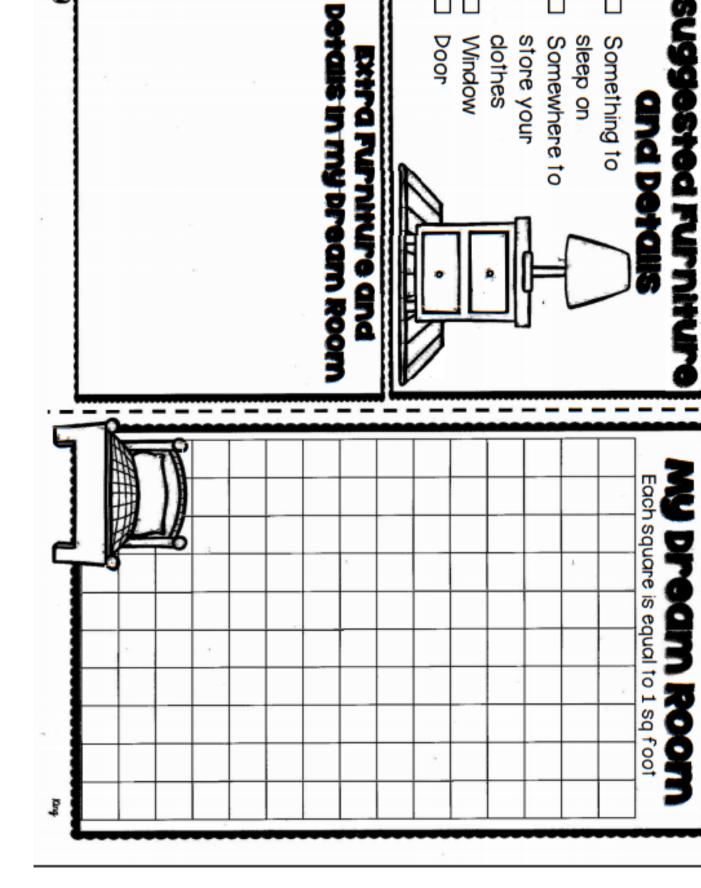
#### **Idea Sheet**

Make a list of at least 14 items you may want to include in the design of your bedroom. Measure the dimensions of each item in inches or feet. You may include more items if you wish.

Size Item Size Item Example: Door 3 feet wide by 7 feet tall

#### Rough Sketch of your Bedroom

Create a rough sketch of your bedroom. Be thinking about the actual size of each item in your room. We want this to be realistic (meaning your bed wouldn't be 2 feet by 1 foot). Please include items such as doors, windows, outlets, larger objects, etc. Not all of these items need to be on the idea sheet.

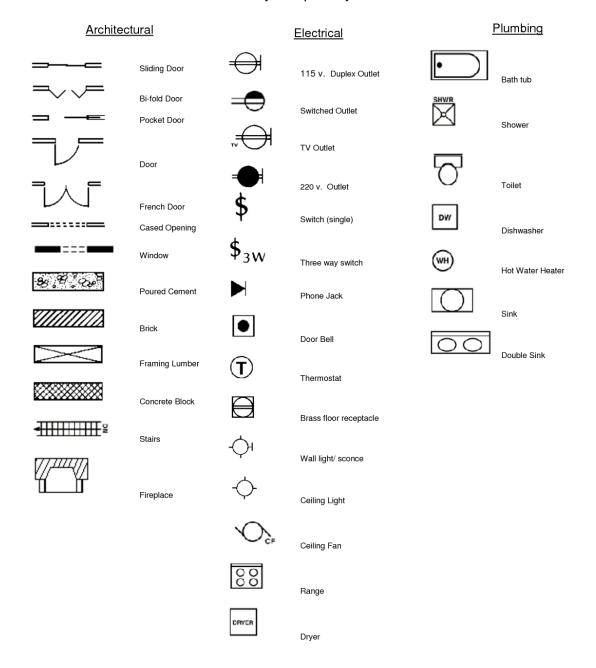


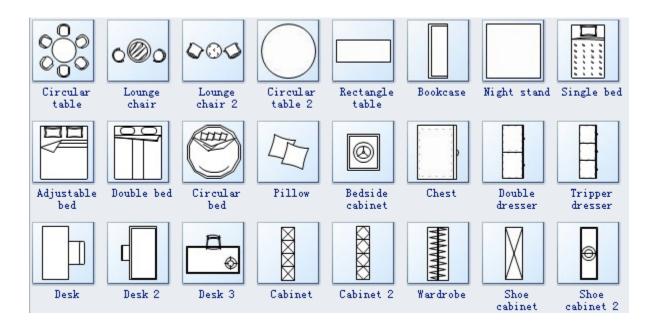
# Final Sketch of your Bedroom

Create the final sketch of your bedroom. Each item in the bedroom must be labeled with its
dimensions (length and width). Use the blueprint symbols below to help accurately represent items
on your sketch. If the item is not listed on the blueprint symbol sheet, create your own representation
Add as many details to the sketch as you'd like. You can also color your final sketch. Be creative!

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#### Key Blueprint Symbols





Finally, write a short, one paragraph essay comparing and contrasting your dream bedroom with the one we looked at and read about in *The Abandoned Farmhouse*.

Your paragraph should have:

- introduction sentence
- three sentences comparing (how they are alike) and contrasting (how they are different) the rooms
- conclusion sentence

#### **OR**

Record a video comparing and contrasting your bedroom to the farmhouse bedroom. Use the following link or scan the QR code to record your video.

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