HHES Parent Newsletter

March 5, 2021

Note from the Principals

HHES Families:

Next week is Classified Employee Appreciation Week. Paraeducators, office staff, security, and custodians are all classified employees. As you know, HHES has some of the most amazing and hardest working classified employees. Our classified employees work hard each day to help children learn in a safe, productive environment. We are fortunate to have this amazing team at our school! Please join us in celebrating the members of our HHES staff who

We are looking forward to sharing more information about your child's progress in school at our upcoming Spring Parent-Teacher Conferences. For your planning purposes, here is some additional information about what conference week will look like for students and families. For in-person students, Monday, March 29 and Tuesday, March 30, AM students will attend class at their regular time (8 - 10:30 a.m) and PM students will not attend class. Thursday, April 1 and Friday, April 2, PM students will attend class at their regular time (12-2:30 p.m.) and AM students will not attend class. Remote and HVA students will attend at their regular times. Conferences will be held on the afternoons of March 29 and 30, the morning of April 1 and 2, and during the day on Wednesday, March 31. Teachers will reach out to you to schedule a conference day and time. Parent-teacher conferences will be held remotely, via Zoom for safety reasons.

Thank you for your ongoing support!

~ Josh and Meredith

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Pandemic EBT

Did your child go to a K-12 school this school year that closed or had reduced hours due to the pandemic? Is your child eligible for free or reduced-price school meals? Then your child may be eligible for P-EBT this school year. P-EBT is money that can be used to buy food for your children.

Find out if your child is eligible and learn how to get P-EBT: Learn more at <u>www.dshs.wa.gov/pebt</u> or call the P-EBT Contact Center at 1-833-518-0282 with questions.

This institution is an equal opportunity provider



February Character Trait Award Winners-Friendship

Congratulations to the students selected for a character award for showing friendship. Our February award winners are:

Kindergarten: Cody M., Ruby J., Isabella M., Jaxon F., Mason N., Bailey W., Jack M., Marshall S., Landon U., Brody M., Kynslee B., Griffin M., Ava T., and Gabriel R.

First Grade: Parker F., Brody B., Cedar B., Teddy F., Roman M., Austin M., and Weslie J.

Second Grade: Cooper B., Adele K., Eloise H., Judah R., Rhys N., Caleb M., Jayvee D., Olivia J., Wyatt H., Saxton L., Capri W., Harper H., Wade B., and Lola S.

Third Grade: Lydia H., Maxx H., Teagan W., Parker B., Lason S., Samantha D., and Kyle M.

Fourth Grade: Audrianna F., Ryder R., Evangeline B., Brody W., Logan W., Ashlyn M., Hannah D., Maxton K., Eva S., Evie F., Lucas M., Stella M., Cadence J., and Graysen E.

Fifth Grade: Kellan M., Benjamin M., Belle S., Ryker S., and Lilly S.

HVA: Josephine H., Judith C., Eloise P., Madison V., Quinn S., Tristan S., Carmen H., Aiden P., Landon S., and Kamea H.



PWT Spirit Wear Sale

We've got spirit, yes we do! Our Spring spirit wear sale is active now and runs through Sunday, March 14th. This is your last chance to stock up on some HHES apparel if you missed our fall sale. We have limited items to choose from a hoodie (2 designs) or a basic t-shirt (2 designs). We've gone back to Athletes Corner for our Spring order. Super easy to place your order through our cheddarup link. Once we place the order on March 14th an estimated delivery date will be given. If items are in stock we may have as soon as the first week of April.

https://my.cheddarup.com/c/2021-spring-spirit-wear



School Spirit Week

Our next school spirit week is March 22 - 26. We will announce the spirit days in next week's newsletter.



School Safety Update

Please be sure to monitor your student for symptoms of COVID and to contact our office if your child is unwell or if a close contact has a positive COVID test. We can advise you of the next steps. We appreciate your partnership in keeping students and staff safe!

COVID Class A symptoms include:

- temperature of 100.4 degrees or higher
- cough
- · loss of sense of taste or smell
- shortness of breath
- chills

Class B symptoms include:

- fatique
- headaches
- muscle / body aches
- sore throat
- · congestion or runny nose
- nausea or vomiting
- diarrhea

Should you have any questions regarding school safety or student health, please give us a call.

Upcoming Events

March 14: Daylight Savings Time Begins

March 22 - April 16: ELPA Testing

March 22 - 26: School Spirit Week

March 29 - April 2: Spring Parent-Teacher Conferences

March 29 - 30: AM students attend class, no class for PM students

April 1: April Attestations Due (all in-person students)

April 1-2: PM students attend class, no class for AM students

April 5 - 9: Spring Break - No Classes



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