

January 19, 2024

Dear HPA families,

Despite the weather's best efforts to interrupt our schedule this week, scholars started their middle-of-year (MOY) testing! These data allow us to see the progress your scholar has made since the beginning of the year on their grade-level math and reading skills. In addition to providing our teachers valuable information about your scholar's strengths and needs, these data allow us to celebrate their successes with them.

We know our scholars' learning is a result of the excellent instruction that happens daily in our classrooms. We also know that their success is a function of the support and encouragement you provide them at home. Thank you for ensuring our scholars are able to show what they know!

Scholars will continue MOY testing next week, so please keep encouraging them to do their best.

1/16 Asynchronous Day Work Due on Monday, 1/22

If your scholar has yet to submit asynchronous work to their teacher from last Tuesday, please ensure they return it to their teacher on Monday. Their work is used to determine their participation, and subsequently their attendance, for last Tuesday's asynchronous learning day.

Moved Recently? New Phone Number? If So, Please Update

It's important that we maintain accurate contact information for all scholars. Contact information includes phone numbers and street addresses. If you've moved since the start of the year or have a new phone number, please reach out to Ms. Jones (ajones@herronprep.org or 317-231-0010 x 13000) to update your contact information.

Fire Drill Rescheduled for Tuesday, 1/23

Due to cold temperatures this week, our fire drill was rescheduled for next week. During the drill, teachers and scholars will practice a safe, efficient evacuation of the building.

Reminder: Enroll Indy Round 1 Closes next Wednesday, 1/24

Because enrollment for '24-'25 is in high demand, we are only able to guarantee sibling preference during Round 1. For **new** scholars at HPA, please ensure you've completed your [Enroll Indy OneMatch application](#) by Wednesday 1/24, particularly if you are taking advantage of the sibling preference. Reach out to Aprille Goodman (agoodman@herronprep.org) with any questions.

2nd & 3rd Grade Families: IREAD & ILEARN Info Session on Thursday, 2/8 from 6:00 - 7:00

Please save the date to learn more about IREAD & ILEARN state testing that your child will participate in this year. This session will be hosted virtually due to the number of HPA scholars and families new to testing. All 2nd & 3rd grade families will receive an information flier with virtual meeting information in advance of the meeting.

Last Call: Riley Dance Marathon Returns Friday, 2/9

We're pleased to continue partnering with Herron High School students for this fundraiser again! Please check out this [informational flier](#) for details and registration.

Weekly COVID Update

To keep you informed of the number of COVID cases reported at school, each HCS school is providing a weekly report to our family community. Please see [here](#) the number of positive COVID cases reported this week at HPA.

