DECEMBER 2024 ASHLAND CITY SCHOOLS TAFT INTERMEDIATE

CORE VALUE #4- OVER COMMUNICATE, OVER COLLABORATE The following students were nominated by their teachers for their above and beyond Arrow behavior.



UPCOMING DATES:

12/20 Early Release
12/23-1/3 Winter Break
1/6 School Resumes
1/10 End of 2nd Nine Weeks
1/20 MLK Day- No School
1/23 Taft Family Engagement
Night



Dear Parents,

We have some fun things planned for January 23rd. During the school day, we will have a special guest from the NASA Glen Research Center to present to each class. We are so excited for the students to have the opportunity to learn from him and ask questions.

Then, in the evening, we will have a Family Engagement Night from 5:00-7:00. We will have all kinds of Out-of This-World activities, including free food and local agencies with free giveaways. We hope to see you and your family for a night of fun!

A few important notes and reminders:

- Cold weather is here! Please dress your student for the weather! We have outside recess as long as temperatures are above 20 degrees.
- With jacket season beginning, our Lost and Found will start to fill up again. If your child is missing a coat, encourage them to check the Lost and Found. Writing your child's name on the inside tag can be helpful.
- December 20th is an Early Release day for students. Car riders will be dismissed at 1:15 and walkers will be dismissed at 1:25
- Winter Break is December 23-January 3. School will resume on Monday, January 6th.

We hope you all have a wonderful break and enjoy the holiday season.

Happy Holidays, Mrs. Hartzler

Taft's Artists of the Month

4th Grade

Ruby Robinson is Taft's 4th Grade Artist of the Month, for her incredibly detailed Fall Mushroom Collage. Ruby is very hard working and self motivated in art class. She uses new ideas to make art that is different and unique from other students. Ruby is a very focused artist and is always making sure she is being the best artist she can be.





5th Grade

Holly Jarrell is Taft's 5th Grade Artist of the Month, for her amazing work on her Van Gogh inspired pumpkin patch. Holly is an incredibly talented student who always makes art look easy. She comes to art class ready to work and is always focused on how to make her artwork better.

Taft's Pet Food Drive



A HUGE THANK YOU to all the families who donated to Taft's Pet Food Drive and to Taft's Student Council members for spearheading and overseeing the entire process! Donations will be delivered to the dog shelter and cat sanctuary. A total of 599 dog items and 537 cat items were donated. THANK YOU!

Out of This World

* Taft Intermediate's Family Engagement Night

Thursday, January 23rd, 2025 5:00-7:00 pm Taft Intermediate School

Free Food

Local Agencies with Free Giveaways Writing Contest Math Activities Science Activities Literacy Activities Social-Emotional Activities Many Other Fun Family Activities