

Hunters Glen March News



Dear Hunters Glen Families,

Literacy Night

Our students are enjoying reading *Simon B. Rhymin'* in class and the activities that have gone with it. As a culmination of reading this book, we invite all families to our Hunters Glen Literacy Night, which will be held **Thursday, March 20th from 6:15-7:45**. We encourage all families to attend this FREE event to celebrate the ending of our shared read aloud.

In partnership with our PTO, we have been able to secure Dwayne Reed, author of *Simon B. Rhymin'* for both a student assembly during the school day and he will be at our Literacy Night! We hope to see you there!

Student Supervision Before and After School

As a reminder, students should not be left unattended before school prior to 7:40. Teacher supervision starts at 7:40, and we are not responsible for monitoring students before then.

Conversely, if you allow your child to play on the playground after school, you must supervise them. Students cannot play after school unless supervised by an adult. Lastly, a reminder that once our BASE program comes outside, all families need to vacate the playground, as they are allowed to use it. Families have been doing a great job of leaving once BASE comes out—thank you!

State Testing for Grades 3, 4, & 5

It is that time of year that our 3rd, 4th, and 5th grade students begin to prepare for required Colorado State Testing. Each grade will take 3 days worth of tests in both English Language Arts (reading and writing) and Math. Fifth graders will also test for 3 days in Science. Testing will begin the week after Spring Break. A testing calendar will be sent to 3rd, 4th, and 5th grade families once it is finalized. We will send the calendar out before Spring Break.

It is very important for our students to arrive on time and not have appointments during testing.

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Attendance Reminder

All students are allotted 5 days of excused absences per semester, provided they are called in to the attendance line or office. Notifying your child's teacher DOES NOT excuse them for the day. The best way to call your child out sick is to leave a voicemail on our 24-Hour Attendance Line at 720-972-5448. You can also call the school number at 720-972-5440 and notify the front office that way. If you do not call in, it is marked as an unexcused absence.

[Link to Hunters Glen Calendar:](#) This link takes you to the HGE Calendar on our school website. It lists all of our events and clubs for the month.

[Link to HGE Co-Curricular List](#) - To help families and students decide what clubs to participate in, we have made a list of all student clubs and the dates we anticipate offering them. Please note that this list will update as more clubs are approved. Please click on the heading of this section above to access the list.

[Link to PTO Website](#)

The next PTO meeting is today - Wednesday, March 12th. As a reminder, there are several ways that you can help our PTO earn money that is at no cost to you. American Furniture Warehouse purchases, signing up for King Soopers rewards, and more! Please visit our PTO website (linked is above) to see how!