



CIS SunTimes

May 2026

Greetings CIS Families:

The year is quickly coming to an end! We are so proud of the students and their efforts on the upcoming state tests! We are ready to conclude the year with some fun events.

In May & June, we have field trips, concerts, a revenge dodgeball tournament, The BOGO book fair & field day to help us wrap up this school year.

As always, If you have any questions or concerns, please reach out to me.

Important Dates:

Link To: [25/26 Calendar](#)

Tuesday, May 12th	CIS Concerts Chorus 6:30pm & Advanced Band 7:30pm
Tuesday, May 12th	IPR's sent home w/students
Monday, May 18th- Thursday, May 21st	CIS BOGO Book Fair
Tuesday, May 19th	CIS Beginning Band Concert 6pm
Thursday, May 21st	CIS Field Day

Principal - Erik Wilson

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Associate Principal - Michael Daws

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Chromebook & Charger Collection:

5th Gr. Wednesday, June 3rd 6th Gr. Thursday, June 4th

Library Book Checkout : last day Friday, May 15th

*All *Books Must Be Returned By Wednesday, May 20th*



Student Of The Month March



5th Grade Team	Student	6th Grade Team	Student
Reshetar	Rhys Wisner	Hunt	Karoline Bartsch
Fabi	Kendal Jacobs	Gorman	Chase Plews
Randazzo	Ayaan Shafi	Thomas(Hoye)	Asha Reeves
Webb	Kalea Waum	Keister	Anthony Powell
Thompson/ Winterstine	Madison Tribbitt	Orona	Eduardo Serrano-Claros
LoRusso	Jason Nguyen	Willis	Tonteh Agnes Njualem
DiGiacomo/ Workman	AJ Parks	Schomburg/ Staats	Brooklyn Stewart
Stewart	Arya Jordon	Scheib	Charleigh Sacco
Reeves	Asa Brumbaugh	Scott	Kyla Wilson
Related Arts/ Specialist		Deppish/ Swift	Madison Carpenter
Math	Brielle Smallwood	Reading	Sa'bree Lee
Technology McClain	Abigail Montanez	Gym Davis	Ryan Dominick
Art Crawford	Caimile Ricks	Music/ Carpenter	Marcos Cruz
Band & Chorus McCutchan	Logan Wood		



Student Of The Month

April



5th Grade Team	Student	6th Grade Team	Student
Reshetar	Jade Elias	Hunt	Ava Snyder
Fabi	Miranda Dougherty	Gorman	Bria McKenzie
Randazzo	Elijah Newton	Thomas	Davin Kaminski
Webb	Summer Dzurilla	Keister	Makenna McBride
Thompson/ Winterstine	Marshal Bundek	Orona	Alana Winfield
LoRusso	Zionna Summers	Willis	Benjamin Sine
DiGiacomo/ Workman	Liam Johnson	Schomburg/ Staats	Tanner Biddle
Stewart	Olivia Cumella	Scheib*Cooper*	Dalton McGaha
Reeves	Kensley Nellams	Scott	Brayden Prodgers
Related Arts/ Specialist		Deppish/ Swift	Savannah Austin
Math	Ayson Massey	Reading	Logan Goodson
Technology McClain	Jordyn Harmon	Gym Davis	Tessa Artigliere
Art Crawford	Brysin Powlus	Music/ Carpenter	Emma Venella
Band & Chorus McCutchan	Tanner Biddle		

SCHOLASTIC
BOOK FAIR

Get ready—the Scholastic Book Fair is coming to our school, and it is Buy One, Get One FREE! This is a great opportunity to build your child’s home library with new books they’ll dive into this summer.

The easiest way to let your child shop the Fair independently is by creating an eWallet. It’s easy to set up and easy for others to add funds.

Create an eWallet, and you’ll also have the opportunity to contribute to Share the Fair - the giving program that supports students at our school who need help buying books. Consider participating so that no child leaves the Fair empty-handed!

BOGO CIS BOOKFAIR

Dates: Monday, May 18th-Thursday, May 21st

For full details, and to create an eWallet,
visit our school’s Book Fair homepage:

<https://www.scholastic.com/bf/claytonintermediateschool>

More than ever, we need to get students reading. Studies prove* that children with more books at home have higher-level reading skills and attain more years of education overall.

Can’t wait to see everyone at the BOGO Fair!

Happy reading,

Lisa Uhey

Reading Specialist

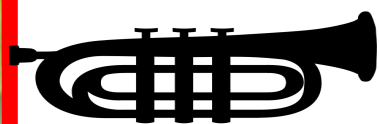
Clayton Intermediate School

SPRING ADVANCED BAND AND CHORUS CONCERT PERFORMANCE REMINDER!

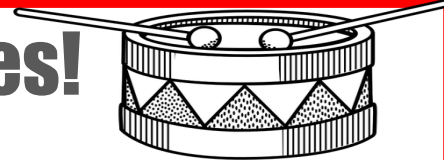


REMINDER! Our Chorus and Advanced Band Spring Concert is scheduled for Tuesday, May 12th! The chorus will be performing at 6:30pm (Report time is 6:10pm to the music room) and the Advanced Band will be performing at 7:30pm (report time 7:10 pm to the band room). Dress for this performance is a white shirt and black pants/skirts or an all-black dress, nice dress shoes please!

The kids have been working very hard preparing for this last performance of the year! We look forward to seeing you on May 13th!



Beginning Band Families!



Our beginners are now progressing to the next level! They have learned to play some traditional band pieces and are doing an AMAZING job!

In preparation for our May 19th SPRING CONCERT, FULL BAND REHEARSALS will resume on Monday, March 30th. Please make sure your child brings their instrument to school EVERY Monday for full band, and may leave their instrument Tuesday for their lesson. This will be every week till we reach our May 19th concert. Reminder the concert is Tuesday, May 19th at 6:30 pm in the CIS Gymnasium.

I think you will be highly impressed with their progress! I appreciate your help in reminding your child to bring their instruments each Monday starting on Monday, March 30th. As always, please reach out with any questions!



As the school year comes to an end, please remember to pick up your student's medication!



SCHOOL NURSE MEDICATION RETURN REMINDER!



**ALL MEDICATIONS
MUST BE PICKED UP
BY AN ADULT
NO LATER THAN
THURSDAY,
JUNE 11TH
(LAST STUDENT DAY)**



**CONTACT ME TO
SCHEDULE PICK-UP
OR AUTHORIZE
DISPOSAL.**

EMAIL:

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NURSE OFFICE HOURS:
Monday – Friday,
7:55am – 3:00pm



**MUST BE PICKED UP
BY AN ADULT.**



**ANY MEDICATIONS REMAINING
AFTER JUNE 11TH WILL BE DISCARDED.**



**THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION IN HELPING
US KEEP OUR STUDENTS SAFE AND HEALTHY!**






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SMYRNA MIDDLE SCHOOL
700 DUCK CREEK PKWY, SMYRNA, DE, 19977

 **JULY 13TH THROUGH JULY 23RD**

 **0730-1500 (7:30 AM – 3:00 PM)**

For current 5th through 7th graders!

- CADETS WILL LEARN:
- LEADERSHIP ENHANCEMENT
- TEAM BUILDING
- PHYSICAL EXERCISE

**ALL APPLICATIONS
ARE DUE
MAY 29TH, 2026**

APPLICATIONS CAN BE PICKED UP AT THE SMYRNA POLICE
DEPARTMENT & TURNED IN THERE.

302-653-9217

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CALLING ALL FORMER CIS STUDENTS...

Since this will be the last official year of Clayton Intermediate School, we would like to pay homage to over a decade of amazing learning, relationship building, and great experiences that took place here.

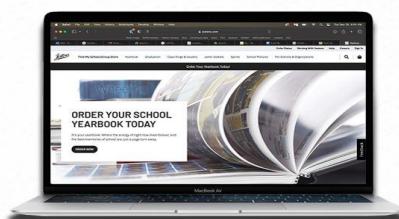
This year's CIS yearbook will have a special section dedicated to the brief, but wonderful history of CIS.

We are collecting old pictures for this section and need your help. If you have a friend or family member who is a former CIS student, and they would like to be a part of this tribute, please fill out [this form](#). Make sure to add in a picture of the student(s) from their CIS days. If you would also like to include a current picture of them, that would be great as well.

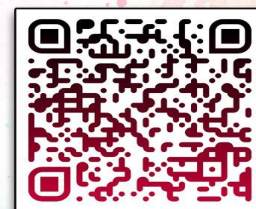
THE 2025-2026 CIS YEARBOOK
WILL BE HERE SOON!

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Child Nutrition

We have moved from MySchoolBucks to Payschools Central for student meal accounts. Please [click here](#) for more information. You must register for a PaySchools Central account.

Free or reduced-price meals:

Families will need to complete a Meal Benefit Application to determine if their household is eligible to receive free or reduced-price school meals. Families are strongly encouraged to apply for this benefit through Payschools Central.

Only one application needs to be completed per household & a new form must be completed every year.

The Payschool Central site can be accessed [here](#).

If you have any questions please contact child nutrition office at 302-653-3134

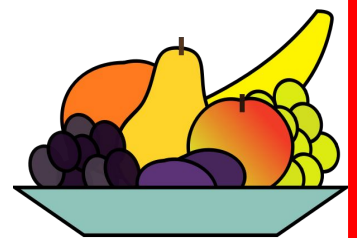
Updates from Child Nutrition:

SSD Child Nutrition/Menu

For Free & Reduced Lunch
Program information & the

application

[CLICK HERE](#)



Absences

Policies and Procedures

Regular attendance is a big factor in student success. When students attend school regularly, they do not miss out on valuable instruction and/or practice of new skills. However, life happens and sometimes absences are unavoidable.

If your child is absent from school, please be sure to send in a note upon his/her return so that the absence(s) can be excused. Parent notes (10/year), doctors excuses can be sent in with your student and given to their homeroom teacher. If you prefer you may email the excuses to the office and cc the students homeroom teacher.

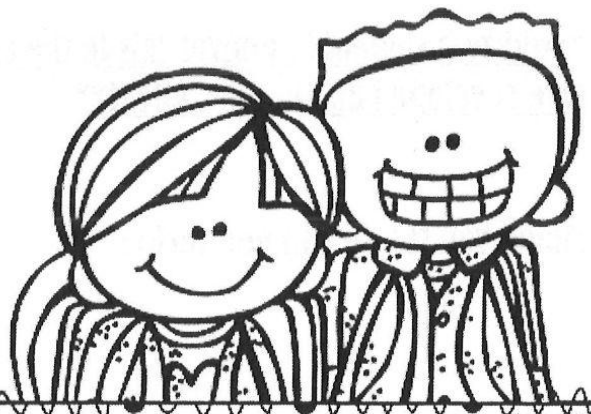
Parents may also email or send a note in advising of planned early dismissals with the name of the party picking up. In order to release a student early any party picking up will need to provide picture identification.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Jackie Reeder

Administrative Assistant

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As the weather gets warmer, please take a moment to review our school district dress code:

SCHOOL DRESS CODE

The dress code states, "Clothes must be worn such that the full torso from the armpits to mid-thigh is covered."

Nike Pro shorts (or compression shorts) or cropped shirts should not be worn unless they meet the requirement for length.

Clayton Intermediat e Code of Conduct

The Smyrna School District Code of Conduct can be found on our district webpage

or by

Reminder: Each Student should have their own pair of earbuds/headphones



Earbuds/Headphones should be brought in DAILY with their Charged ChromeBook

In this
school,
we are
Cell Phone Free

Be Nice & Turn Off Your
Device

We want you to
be focused on
your learning!



**Phones Should Be Off &
Away**