

Ranger News



February 2023

Greetings Ranger Parents/Guardians. We are off to a great start for this second semester. Let's keep it up and finish this 9 weeks strong. Encourage your students to complete all assignments and stay on track with their I-Ready goal.

Congratulations to our February Students of the Month

Upcoming Events:

- ☺ February 1st-Science/SS Midterm Assessment
- ☺ February 2nd-ELA Midterm Assessment
- ☺ February 3rd-Math Midterm Assessment
- ☺ February 7th-Spring Picture Day
- ☺ February 13th-24th Scholastic Book Fair
- ☺ February 13th-Midterm Progress Reports go home
- ☺ February 20th-21st-Winter Break-Schools closed

Mrs. Whitfield

Charlice Brown/RJ Floyd

PreK

Mia Guerrero/Winston Griffin

1st Grade

Anguelyn Rodriguez

Edith McLendon

Alaysia Magloire

3rd Grade

Maddie Sanderson/Geric Anderson

Dameria Harvey/Karter Robinson

Madison Allen/Carter Whitehead

5th Grade

Ivyanna Greene/Kayden Price

Shania Green/Kameron Staples

Alexia Carraway/Owen Bufkin

7th Grade

Farrah Bellamy

Annaleigh Slade/Alonzo Jefferson

Joella Palmer/Travis Harris

K

Arionna Southwell/Cody Davis

Adelynn Stephens/Aybel Tucker

Destiny Barnes/David Brock

2nd Grade

Mia Johnson

Skylar Turner/Aiden Crisler

Kaitlyn Jordan/Tyrone Thomas

4th Grade

Leyna Ware

Jordyn Pittman/Jordan Kennedy

Jaydin Downing

6th Grade

Sarah Bishop/Travis Brown

Khloe Dixon/Antonio Cummings

Zoei Quinn/Karson Aldy

8th Grade

Emery Pollard/Leonard Bell

Jaiyana Garner/Tobias Brown

Karrington Jenkins/Matthew DeOchoa

Toriyon Hales/Nyra Bell

Teacher of the Month

Lakelia Williams

Staff of the Month

Ashley Stimage

Here are a couple of reminders:

- ❖ Please remember that parent conferences may be scheduled with the teacher from **2:45 – 3:10 pm**. We have to protect our instructional time daily without any interruptions.
- ❖ Breakfast is served from **7:10 – 7:45 am**. The tardy bell rings at **7:45 am** (Please escort your child in the building and sign them in if they are late.)
- ❖ **In order to maximize instructional time, we do not have birthday parties/cupcakes at school.**

It's Flu Season!!!!

With flu season here, it is very important for us to keep the spread of it and other viruses to a minimum. If your child is running fever, do not send them to school. **Our district policy states that your child must be fever free for 24 hours without the use of fever reducing medicines before returning to school.** This is to reduce the spread of illness within the classroom and the community. Some common symptoms of the flu are fever, headache, body ache, sore throat, cough, or congestion. If your child is experiencing any of these symptoms, please follow up with your doctor. If you have any questions please feel free to contact the school at (601)857-0213 and ask for Nurse Daffney.

Daily Reminders:

Arrival Times

Students are not allowed on campus until 7:10 a.m. Parents, please do not drop your child(ren) off on campus before this time. It becomes a safety issue when children are dropped off in the early morning hours without any supervision – anything could happen!

Tardiness

The tardy bell rings daily at 7:45 a.m. Your child needs to be in his/her class by 7:40. If your child arrives to school after 7:45, please escort him/her into the office to sign them in. Do not send your child into the school by themselves after 7:45.

Attendance

We need your child at school everyday...all day! If they're not here, they can't learn. Please make sure your child is present everyday, and please try to schedule any doctor's appointments after 2:30 p.m. If your child is absent, an Excused Absence Form or note must be completed the day your child returns to school.

Early Dismissals

There will be no early dismissals after 1:45 p.m. For the safety of students and staff, the walkway must be clear and no parents will be allowed in the building until dismissal has concluded. Parents must remain in their cars when picking up his/her child. We are asking car riders to please keep the car rider line clear until after 1:45 p.m. due to parents still being allowed to dismiss early.

Bus Riders

Please make sure that your child follows the bus expectations each day. The Code of Conduct will be followed if students receive any bus referrals. Please be mindful that students can be permanently expelled from the bus.

Family Wellness Watch

Cooking and eating are extra fun when your child can use their hands. Make sure everyone washes their hands and try these recipes.

Apple Crumble-Slice 4 apples. Have your child lay them in a baking dish and combine 1/3 cup flour, 1 cup rolled oats, 1/2 cup brown sugar, 1/2 tsp salt, and 1 tsp cinnamon. With their hands, work in 1/3 cup butter until the mixture is crumbly, then sprinkle it over the apples. Bake at 375 for 30 minutes.

Nachos-Let your child arrange baked tortilla chips on a microwave-safe plate. Then, have him add canned refried beans (fat free) and shredded cheese on to. Microwave until the cheese melts.

*****IF NO PEANUT ALLERGY*****

Peanut Butter Balls-Mix 1 cup of creamy peanut butter with 1/3 cup of honey, 1 tsp of vanilla, and 1 cup crispy rice cereal. Roll into small balls and refrigerate for an hour.

Transportation Change

In order to ensure safety for all student If you are changing your child's mode of transportation, please write a note to your child's teacher. We will no longer accept those changes over the phone.

If you have any suggestions or concerns, please contact your child's teacher.

All students must have a clear or mesh book bag that we can see through.

Vision Statement

HCS D is a collaborative environment where we explore the world, experience authentic learning, enhance our character, envision our dreams, pursue excellence, and celebrate success.

Mission Statement

Providing an engaging and empowering environment that ensures excellence.

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