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THE TRAIL BLAZER

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GUIDANCE CORNER

Throughout the month of December our Broncos are participating in guidance lessons learning about Compassion. They have learned that you show compassion when you care about someone, and have a desire to help them with a kind action. All students brainstormed compassionate acts they could personally carry out at home, and in the classroom. We are so proud of the eagerness our Broncos have to help others.

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BIRTHDAY TREATS AND OUTSIDE FOOD REMINDER

Our school policy remains that outside food of any kind is not allowed on campus, this includes birthday treats. If you would like to acknowledge your student's birthday at school, please consider sending non-edible treats or participating in our Birthday Book Club through the media center. If you have questions or concerns, please email our school nurse Amy Neptune at Amy.Neptune@hcps.net.

BIKE SECURITY AT SCHOOL

Bicycle safety is the most important part of helping your child ride to school, but bike security is also important. An unlocked bike at school is at risk of getting stolen. We ask our bikers to please lock your bikes to keep them safe.



NEWS FROM THE CLINIC

Please remember that all medications must go through one of our nurses, Sara Huffman or Amy Neptune. Each medication must have a prescription and written permission from a parent to give the medication.

Also, the clinic is in need of individually packed snacks. If you are able to donate any of these items, please send them in your child's backpack or drop them off at the office. Thank so much for your help!

For more information or if you have any questions please call nurse Amy at 813-740-4000 extension 242.

HURRICANE MAKE UP DAYS



NO EARLY RELEASE

To accommodate the instructional time lost during the recent Hurricanes, there will be no Early Release Days for the remainder of the school year, with the exception of **January 6th and January 13th 2025**

RAINY DAY PLAN

Please review with your child their rainy day plan. Due to the quickly changing Florida weather, rainy day dismissals are decided upon at 12:40 on early day dismissal and 1:40pm regular day dismissal. To help with communication at the end of the day, if there is going to be a "Rainy Day Dismissal", we will text you with our Parent Link System. This will alleviate you having to make a last minute call to the school to remind your child how they will be going home for the day. Thanks for your help!

DATES TO REMEMBER

- 12/16 **No Early Release**
8:00 Media Center Volunteer Breakfast
2:00-3:00 Gr.4 & 5 Film Club
PTA Spirit Night-Three Bulls
- 12/18 **NO** Drumline
- 12/19 **NO** Chorus
- 12/20 Holiday Spirit Day Attire
NO ORFF
- 12/23 - 1/3 Winter Break 
- 12/25 Merry Christmas! 
- 12/31 Happy New Year!
- 1/6 **Students Return to School**
12:55 Early Release
1:00-3:00 Gr 4&5 Film Club
- 1/9 2:00-3:00 Chorus
- 1/10 Spirit Shirt Day
2:00-3:00 ORFF
6:00-8:00 PTA Skate Night
- 1/13 **12:55 Early Release**

