

December 2021

CRESTVIEW NEWS

Core Value-Service

Winter Break

December 23rd– January 2nd



Toys for Tots Event

Students can bring a new, unwrapped toy to donate to children in need at the following two times:

Friday, December 3rd @ School

Or

Saturday, December 4th @ Winterfest

Thank you for your help supporting this great organization!



Spirit Day– Holiday Headgear

Wear your favorite holiday headgear on Friday, December 10th



COUNSELOR'S CORNER

This month I have been doing a listening challenge with most of the classrooms. The results have been very eye opening...

This article shares some facts about listening skills and offers some fun activities for you to do with your children to help them increase their listening skills. Please consider adding them to your family fun during our upcoming vacations.

If you have any questions or concerns that you would like to discuss with me, the best ways to contact me are through email or phone.

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Reading Fluency

One important component to reading is fluency. Fluency is the child's ability to read aloud. This is something that we practice everyday. We are looking for students to be able to decode words and read at a smooth pace. Below you will find some activities to help your child build their own fluency.

Paired Reading

In paired reading, you and your child read a book aloud together, pointing to each word as you go along. Also, you will allow your child to read out loud alone as he moves his finger under each word. When a mistake is made, move his finger back and correct it.

Echo Reading

In echo reading, you read a sentence or brief passage aloud using phrasing and expression to convey meaning. Then, your child reads the same sentence or passage aloud. Echo reading can be used with storybooks, poems, and nonfiction books. Choose material that is relatively short and re-read it at least four times until he reads the material quickly, accurately, and with expression.

Book with Tapes/CD Sets

Many popular children's books come with tapes or CD's or listening while following along in the book. Check your favorite bookstore. You can also record your children's books at home. Use a tape recorder, or record it through your computer mic and burn it on CD.

Poetry Reading

Reading poetry is a good way to build fluency because poems have rhythm and expression. Begin reading children's poetry to your child at a young age. When he begins elementary school, begin memorization of poetry. The process involves multiple readings and oral expression, two components of fluency development.

Weather Delays/Cancellations

As we approach the winter months, we remind parents that inclement weather and hazardous road conditions may result in the delay of the start of school, or cancellation of classes for the day. District officials will review the road and weather conditions and if hazardous, contact the news media, in order that a delay or cancellation notice may be broadcast by 6:00AM. We also urge parents to listen to the early morning news, as other events, heating system failures, and water main breaks, may also occur, and result in the cancellation of classes for an individual school. These announcements will be made over both local radio and television channels.

There could also be occasions where we might have to dismiss school early. At the beginning of the year, parents provided us with direction on what to do with their children in the event of an early dismissal. If that information has changed, we need to know. Please keep us updated by contacting Mrs. Roman at 717-240-6800 ext. 22805.



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This month, we're looking for ways to use our hands for good! We're teaching kids to notice when someone needs our help, and then stepping up to do it. Helping out a neighbor, a friend at school, or a family member are all great ways to show...

SERVICE:

Lending a hand to help someone else.



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FOR A DUCKLICIOUS FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITY!

ORDER DONUTS ONLINE FOR DELIVERY TO PICK-UP

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 11TH FROM 11:00 AM – 12:00 PM

AND A PORTION OF THE MONEY GOES BACK TO CRESTVIEW ELEMENTARY PTO

HERE'S HOW TO ORDER:

- ORDER ONLINE THROUGH THE DUCK DONUTS REWARDS APP OR OUR WEBSITE (WWW.DUCKDONUTS.COM)
- SELECT "DUCK DONUTS MECHANICSBURG" AS YOUR LOCATION.
- SELECT "PICKUP" FOR 12/10/2021 AT 12:00PM. (THIS IS THE DAY BEFORE THE ACTUAL PICKUP AND IS THE CUTOFF TIME FOR ORDERS TO ENSURE INCLUSION WITH THE DELIVERY!)
- IN THE SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS, ENTER "CRESTVIEW ELEMENTARY" (THIS IS THE KEY FOR THE FUNDRAISER AND WILL ENSURE THAT YOUR DONUTS ARE THERE FOR PICKUP ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON!) YOU CAN FIND THE INSTRUCTION BOX AT THE BOTTOM OF ANY ITEM YOU ARE ADDING TO YOUR CART.
- ORDER WILL BE READY FOR PICK UP AT THE SCHOOL ON DECEMBER 11TH AT 11:00. (240 LONGS GAP ROAD)
- ORDER DONUTS ONLY, PLEASE!

Questions? Contact Morgan Banaszek at mbanaszek@duckdonuts.com

Winter Concert

Crestview will be hosting our winter concert on Thursday, December 16th. We will be providing families an opportunity to view this concert virtually. More information will be coming. We look forward to seeing all our students perform!



Winterfest

Please join us on Saturday, December 4th from 12:00-3:00 at Village Park in Carlisle for our annual Winter Festival. We can't wait for a wonderful time together.



PTO Silent Auction

Crestview PTO will be holding a virtual silent auction from December 1st at 2:30– December 4th at 2:30.

Please click the link below and bid on some awesome items and experiences!

Thank you for supporting Crestview!

<https://www.32auctions.com/crestview2021>

