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# Principal's Note:

Greetings, CHES Family! Quarter one is behind us! In case you missed our BIG announcement, the SC School Report Cards for the 2022-2023 school year were released earlier this month. We are proud to announce that CHES earned a rating of GOOD only ONE point from excellent! CHES Family, we are so proud of the work our students, faculty and staff, and community members have put in<mark>to mak</mark>ing CHES an extraordinary school! Let's continue to pursue excellence. We are #TheHill!!

**April Sanders, Ed.D Principal** 



# Literacy Corner:

Hey, CHES families!

This is your friendly reminder to read with your children at least 3 times per week. This will help with their fluency and reading comprehension. Please let me know if you would like me to send some books home!

Ms. Scott **Literacy Coach** 

Nurse Weathers

# Nurse's Nook:

November is National Diabetes Awareness Month. Talk to your health care provider about the risk factors in your family, take precautions, and support the people you know with Diabetes!

Fall is in full swing and we are seeing a higher incidence of the flu, strep throat, and gastrointestinal illnesses. A healthy school environment requires the cooperation and effort of us all working together. The basics will help keep you healthy. Make sure you wash your hands frequently. Cover your nose and mouth when coughing and or sneezing. Getting a good night sleep and eating healthy foods will provide your body with the stamina it needs to get through the day and fight off viruses. Remember to review school health policies for guidance regarding when it's best to keep your child home and when it's the right time for your child to return. If you have any questions, I am always happy to speak with you!

November's

**Character Word** 

# Gratitude

when you are thankful and show appreciation for the good things in your life.

# **Media Center:**

The Scholastic Fall Book Fair was a huge success! Thank you for helping students build not only their school library, but their home libraries. Having their own collection of books at home has so many positive benefits. Studies have shown that having books at home can increase their academic success, vocabulary and comprehension skills, and their attention. In addition, it expands their horizons.

-Ms. Ervin, Media Specialist

## Curriculum Corner:

Happy Fall CHES family,

As we enjoy some cooler fall temperatures, this is a great time to gather together and enjoy some quality reading time. Based on a survey conducted by Scholastic, more than 80% of both kids and parents across income levels loved or liked readaloud time a lot (2019 scholastic.com/reading report). During our CHES "Books and Treats" event, every student received one or more books to take home. We will be sending more books home throughout the year to help build at home libraries. Reading at least 20 minutes per day improves reading, writing and social skills. If you would like some free books for your home library, please let us know. You can also visit www.readaloudamerica.org for some great reading resources. Thanks for all you do to support CHES!

Ms. Delice Instructional Coach









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| MONDAY                                        | TUESDAY                     | WEDNESDAY                                | THURSDAY                    | FRIDAY                         |
|-----------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|
|                                               |                             | Award's Day  Doughnut Fundraiser  Begins | 2<br>Hero Day               | College Shirt Day              |
| Make sure you set your clocks back an hour!   | 7                           | 8                                        | 9                           | Veterans Day<br>Luncheon       |
| World Kindness Day Toys for Tots Drive Begins | Doughnut Fundraiser<br>Ends | Wear Blue for Diabetes Awareness         | Fall Academic<br>Night      | Pick Up<br>Doughnut Fundraiser |
| November Break<br>No School                   | November Break<br>No School | November Break<br>No School              | November Break<br>No School | November Break<br>No School    |
| Native American<br>History Week<br>Begins     | 28                          | 29                                       | Character<br>Breakfast      |                                |























