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A Note from your Principal:

CHES Family!! This has been such an exciting year! Our students have shown tremendous growth, and I could not be more proud of them! We started the year off with a 100% vision for our students. We set our expectations high and our students rose to the occasion. As always, keep being innovative, keep being determined, and keep striving for excellence because there are endless possibilities on #TheHill!!!! We are CHES... Home of the Extraordinary! When one triumphs, we all triumph.

Have a safe and extraordinary summer!!

Catch up with Counselor Clark:

It's May, and we're almost at the end of the school year. Testing for our 3rd-5th grade students is right around the corner. Sometimes students can put a lot of pressure on themselves to perform well, which can cause a lot of stress and anxiety. Remind your students not to stress and to do their best.

You can assist your child prepare for testing by doing the following

- Make sure your child is at school and on time during testing days May 14th-16th and May 21st. Please try not to schedule any appointments on these days.
- Make sure your child gets a good night's rest and eats a good breakfast so they are ready to focus!
- Remind your child that the test is important and encourage him/her to do their best.
- Remind your child to listen carefully to the directions from the teacher and to read each question carefully.
- Encourage your child to remain focused on the test, even if other students finish early. The test is not timed.
- Check your work before submitting the test. Make sure that you have answered all questions.

Reading Reminders

Hey Families! This is a great time of the year to have a picnic and bring a good book with you. Finding time to read outside of school is so important to help your student read their reading goal. It only takes 20 mins a day to build a stronger reader! ~Kaylona Scott, Literacy Coach

Media Center Corner

Hey Parents!

Help beat the summer slide and enroll your children in Camp BOOK IT! Students earn one Personal Pan Pizza® from Pizza Hut a month for June through August for meeting reading goals. This program is totally free to families with students in PreK - 6th grade (ages 4 -12). Enroll now by scanning the QR code below to join in on the fun! Happy reading!

-Ms. Ervin, Media Specialist



Nurse's Notes:

May - National Asthma and Allergy Awareness Month!

We are just about out of the cold and flu season, although some flu and strep activity can be noted in May. Of course, with warmer weather on the way, allergies can pose new challenges for most of us and can be an aggravating factor for asthma. It is important to stay healthy and distinguish allergies from a more serious illness. Make sure your child's teachers and school nurse are aware of your child's asthma, so they can provide the necessary help if needed. Please remember to pick up all student medications from the nurse's office, as they will be discarded on the last day of school. Please do not hesitate to call your school nurse about any concerns regarding your child's health.

~Nurse Weathers



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May

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

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| | | | 1 | 2 | 3 College Shirt Day |
| 6 Teacher Appreciation Week | 7 Teacher Appreciation Week | 8 Teacher Appreciation Week | 9 Teacher Appreciation Week | 10 Teacher Appreciation Week | 10 House Meeting |
| 13 | 14 SC Ready ELA - Day 1 | 15 SC Ready ELA - Day 2 | 16 SC Ready Math | 17 | |
| 20 | 21 SC Ready Science (4th Grade Only) | 22 SC Ready Writing Field Test | 23 | 24 Field Day | 24 House Meeting |
| 27 Memorial Day No School | 28 PreK (9 am) K (11 am) Promotion Ceremony | 29 5th Grade Promotion Ceremony 9 am | 30 | 31 | |

June Dates:

5th - Awards Day (Grades 1 - 4) 9 am

6th - Last Day / Half Day



Have a WONDERFUL summer!!