



Kings Chapel Elementary School



May 2022 Newsletter

Important Dates in May

9-13	Staff Appreciation Week
10	School Council Election
10	3 rd , 4 th , 5 th GMAPS Testing-ELA
11	3 rd , 4 th , 5 th GMAPS Testing-Math
16-20	Book Fair
17	5 th Grade Day Yearbook Signing Day
18	Pre-K Celebration
19	Spirit Day
20	Field Day GA Bob's Night
23	3 rd Grade Awards
24	4 th Grade Awards 5 th Grade Awards @ PHS
25	Report Cards Last Day of School - Half Day

****Last day of school 12:30PM dismissal****

COVID Reminders

While we are very encouraged by the significant reduction in COVID cases in our community, we want to be on guard at KCES to prevent a resurgence of infections. Help us keep everyone safe at home and at school here at the end of the year by following the district procedures listed below:



- If your child or someone in your home is COVID positive, tests for COVID, or exhibits symptoms, all school related household members should stay home and contact their school Med Tech. Our Med Tech here at Kings Chapel is Mrs. Strickland. She can be contacted at 478-988-6273 ext 1994 or sarah.strickland@hcbe.net
- If your child is exposed to a positive person at school, they will not have to quarantine but you will be notified of precautions to take.

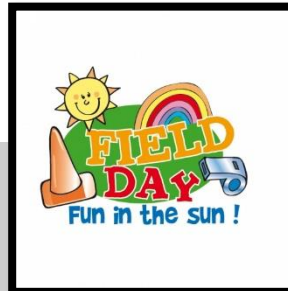
Student Council

Any parents wishing to serve on the KCES School Council should email Mr. Ray at william.ray@hcbe.net. School Council meets 4 times each year and has four participating parent representatives. There are two

vacant parent positions for next year. If more than two parents are interested, voting for members will take place on May 10th in the Media Center at 4:30PM.

Field Day is BACK!

Field Day is back and will be held on **Friday, May 20th**. We are so excited for our parents to be able to join in on all the fun and attend Field Day this year! Students will participate in fun and competitive games, be able to play on inflatables, visit the Book Fair, and have a special lunch. Stay tuned and be on the lookout for more information regarding Field Day and for your child's specific schedule of events!



Summer Learning Devices

Rising 3rd, 4th, and 5th grade students

Need something for your child to do this summer while on a long trip, after getting back from the beach, or on a rainy day? Our rising 3rd, 4th, and 5th graders will be keeping their Chromebooks over



the summer! While we want summer to be fun for our students, we also want to provide them ways to stay connected to learning opportunities. If you would like them to reinforce prior learning and get a jumpstart on the next grade, the devices will be a perfect way to continue your child's academic growth. Our teachers will send home information about how you can connect your child to some summer learning with their Chromebook. While the use of the devices this summer is optional, all rising 3rd, 4th, and 5th graders will be required to take theirs home unless they will not be returning to KCES next year.

Student Medication Reminder

As we are nearing the end of the school year, our school Med Tech would like to send a friendly reminder to parents to please start picking up their student's OTC medications. All medications **MUST** be picked up no



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later than May 26th. If you have any questions please contact Mrs. Strickland at 478-988-6273 ext 1994 ☺

Attendance Procedure Reminders

Instructional minutes are very important for our students achievement and success here at KCES. It is very important that our students are on time and at school each day. Students miss very important instructional time when tardy or checked out early. School begins each day at 8:30AM and end at 3:30PM. A couple of things to remember:

- Students must be in attendance for a minimum of at least $\frac{1}{2}$ of the instructional day to be counted for a partial day present.
- If a student arrives after 12PM or leaves before 12PM, the student is counted absent for the day.
- Students should present a written excuse within 5 school days after an absence, tardy, or early dismissal.
- Excuses can be sent directly to our ATS Clerk, Mrs. Bips. She can be contacted through shannon.bips@hcbe.net, 478-988-6273 ext 1993, or through Class Dojo. Please feel free to contact Mrs. Bips for any questions or concerns regarding your student's attendance.

Students of the Week

Haylee Hill is our 4th grade student of the week.

Haylee has grown significantly the school year. She is a social butterfly, but she takes her learning seriously. Haylee's attitude is always, "I may not know it yet, but I am on my way to learning it!" Her friends and teach can always count on her. Haylee is friends with everyone and loves being a helper! Way to go, Haylee!



Jax Rodgers is our PreK student of the week. Jax has learned to write his name, identify rhyming words and count large groups of items. He always tries his best to learn and doesn't give up. Jax is a great example of a Cougar that is Ready. He follows class rules and shows



others what to do. Jax is a great friend. Way to go, Jax!

Journee Rice is our 2nd grade student of the week.

Journee tries her best every single day. She comes to school with a work hard attitude each day. She likes setting goals and making sure she reaches those goals. Journee's positive attitude allows her to make friends wherever she goes. She is always willing to help others. Her confidence level and love of school has grown throughout the school year. Way to go, Journee!



Emersyn Preast is our 5th grade student of the week. Emersyn is constantly striving to do better. She has made honor roll on every report card this year. She is always on task and kind to others.

She follows directions quickly and encourages her friends to do the same. Emersyn is a friend to all and helps make our classroom a more loving place. Her positive attitude rubs off on everyone! Way to go, Emersyn!



Ava Proctor is our Kindergarten student of the week! Ava is excelling in her academics and reading above

grade level. She is counting by 5s and can add and subtract fluently. Ava always has great behavior at school and comes each day ready to learn. Ava loves to help her teacher clean up and always wants to lend a helping hand to her classmates. Way to go, Ava!



Teacher of the Year and Support Person of the Year

Congratulations to our Kings Chapel Teacher of the Year, Monica Goodroe and Support Person of the Year, Kindergarten Paraprofessional Kylie Ray! Mrs. Goodroe and Mrs. Ray are great examples of what KCES is all about!

