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Upcoming events:

• **December 16 - 20** NCES Spirit Week

• December 20, 9am Trimester One Academic Celebration and Awards Ceremony

• December 23 - January 3 No School, Holiday Recess

NCES SPIRIT WEEK - December 16 - December 20



PJ Day for the Kids: Today we raised \$592.00 for Connecticut Children's Hospital. Students and staff brought in a dollar or more to wear pajamas for the day. Thanks to Canaan Child Care who contributed \$80.00 to the cause.

National Iron Bank - Student Banking Day: National Iron Bank is working with North Canaan Elementary School to start a student savings program. With class trips in the future, this is a great way to prepare while teaching your child the importance of saving. This program would give your child the opportunity to make a deposit into their savings account monthly, right at the school. A member of National Iron Bank will come to the school the first Tuesday of each month to collect their deposit and provide a receipt monthly. Students who participate in banking will receive an ice cream from the PTO.

<u>AHA Program</u>: There are a few spaces available at AHA after school. If you are interested in signing your child up, please click the link for more information.

North Canaan Recreation Ski Club: Ski club registration is now open for students in grades 4 through 8. Please click on the link for more information and to register.

Let's Make Art: This Sunday, December 15th from 3pm to 5pm at the Art Bar & Gallery. This event is free and open to all ages. Please click the link for more information.

Oliver Wolcott Technical High School: Applications for fall 2025 entrance are open. The priority application deadline is January 15, 2025. Applicants are strongly encouraged to apply before this date.

Boxtops for Education: Click the link for more information on how to earn free money for our school.

Enjoy the weekend, *Mrs. Johnson* NCES Principal