
HUDSON HEADLINER

April 6th, 2021

CALENDAR OF EVENTS:	April 6th	MAP Testing Begins for 3rd – 8th Grades
	April 7th	DIBELS Testing with Mr. Weldon Begins
	April 9th	Mid-Quarter/Grades Go Home 4/16
	April 12th	JH Track Archie Invitational
	April 13th	JH Track Pictures at AC at 2:45 p.m. (Hudson will transport.)
	April 14th	Algebra I EOC Testing Begins/JH Track Midway Invitational Board Meeting at 7:30 p.m.
	April 15th	First Day to Wear Shorts

THE BRIGHT SPOT: To have good friends you need to be one.

Preschool: We had a wonderful time celebrating Easter last week. I hope that everyone made it home with all of their eggs. We learned about colors while dyeing our eggs. We used cool whip and food coloring to roll the egg in, then we let them dry before wiping them off. The students had so much fun getting messy! This week we will work on new letters "m" and "l". We will also practice our one to one correspondence by counting objects. Make sure to keep practicing writing your names at home. We keep getting better! Enjoy the short week! - Miss Stacie

Kind: I hope everyone had a great Easter! Kindergarten students will be doing DIBELS testing this week. In the classroom we will continue to go over addition and subtraction story problems. We will be using fun manipulatives to help students visualize adding and taking away. My class will also start on "L Blends". We will be listening for words that have these blends in them and then we will also play a matching game where students will be asked to match pictures to these "L blends". I will also continue to have students identify the beginning, middle, and ending sounds in words. Please have kids do this at home when completing homework. It is the goal that they can segment words into sounds in order to write the word on the line correctly. Our word of the week this week is "exhausted". We will be going over what this means, and how we can use this word. I have made a list of compiled sight words that students should know by the end of the year. I will be sending this list home on Tuesday. As a reminder, this is where all of the kids' spelling words come from. - Miss Rachel

1st/2nd: Welcome back from a long weekend! I hope everyone was able to relax. This week first grade is working more on our subtraction skills and telling time. We are also working on our phonics more with some new blends "st", "ld", and "nd." First grade will have a science test on Friday so be watching for the study guide. Second grade is working on telling time to the minute this week. We're also working on syllables in reading and will be getting new vocabulary cards on Monday to begin studying. Our spelling words all center around the bossy "R" this week so we will work on that some in phonics as well. We will continue discussing natural resources in science and are still discussing Pilgrims and Indians in social studies. It is very important that they are studying their states daily too as we will have another states test Tuesday and be learning 5 more states on Wednesday. It's a short week but we will be busy. I hope everyone has a great week. - Mrs. Hird

3rd/4th: MAP Testing started today. 4th grade did their writing prompt during their first session of ELA. 3rd grade did their normal session of ELA as well. We will take the MAP tests tomorrow morning first thing. Also on Friday of this week, we will begin DIBELS testing. Our class will continue to work out of MAP test prep workbooks this week along with our regular class work. Friday marks the mid quarter of 4th quarter! The end is getting closer and we will continue to push on. Here's to a great week!! - Mrs. Cooper

5th/6th: Students will begin MAP testing in English Language Arts this week. 5th graders will have a science test on Wednesday. 6th graders will have a science test Monday the 12th. Otherwise, business as usual. Thank you to the parents

who provided snacks and supplies for the Easter Party. - Mrs. Green

5th-8th Math: 5th Grade is working on operations with and the reducing of fractions. Sixth grade is looking at proportional relationships, the nature of equations, and story problems with angle measurements. Seventh grade is working on determining angle measurements of various polygons and integer evaluations. In pre-algebra, students are looking at evaluations involving negative and zero exponents. In algebra, students are working with various problems involving functions and sphere volume. **Tests Next Week:** 7th Math: Wednesday, Algebra: Friday **7th/8th:** In health, we are covering the topics of conditioning and conflict resolution. In social studies, the eighth grade is gearing up for the Civil War, while the seventh grade will be discussing the World Wars of the 20th century. In grammar, students will be learning about the various types of clauses. **A reminder that students will begin MAP testing in English Language Arts on Wednesday.** No other subject tests are scheduled other than the above math tests. – Mr. Ewing

8TH GRADERS: Please send in 10 – 15 pictures per student to be included in your graduation slide show or you can load the photos on a flash drive or email to ladgreen@live.com.

CONGRATS to the 4th grade students who participated in the Bates County Soil and Water Conservation poster contest. Chaz Davis – 1st place Hudson winner \$15.00 & County Finalist, Isabel Branson – 2nd place Hudson winner \$12.00 & Emma Snyder – 3rd place Hudson winner \$10.00

THANK YOU to **Baylor Brownsberger** for donating some very nice books to our classroom libraries.

MUSIC: Last week we learned about the string and woodwind instruments. Some of these include the flute, saxophone, violin, cello, and the bassoon. Ask your child about these instruments. We really enjoyed learning about them.

– Miss Stacie

CHARACTER ED WORD FOR APRIL - Integrity – the quality of being honest and having strong moral principles

PTO: If you would like to be a 2021-2022 PTO officer, please contact Stacie Flagg, PTO President at 660-492-2354.

- IMPORTANT DATES:** 5/13/21 AWARDS ASSEMBLY/LAST DAY OF SCHOOL/BOARD MEETING
- 5/14/21 8TH GRADE GRADUATION AT 7:00 P.M.
- 5/17/21 KINDERGARTEN SCREENING (APPT. REQUIRED)
- 8/24/21 BACK-TO-SCHOOL NIGHT
- 8/26/21 FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL