

Green Elementary- A Leader in Me School

PARENT UPDATE



November 2018

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VETERAN'S DAY



Our Student Lighthouse Team has made plans for our school to celebrate Veteran's Day on Nov 13th with a ceremony. Watch for the announcement and the invitation to share about a veteran from your family for our annual display. Students are also encouraged to invite local veterans to our ceremony which takes place at 9:45 on 11/13.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Student Lighthouse is also leading monthly community service projects. The first one is collecting blankets for the Inspire Shelter. If you have a new or gently used blanket that you would like to donate please send it to school. They have set a goal of 50 blankets.



COATS & JACKETS

Please be sure that you mark all coats and jackets with your child's name somewhere inside. If your child is in need of a winter coat, please let the school know and we will work to connect you with groups that can help.



Our students are leaders throughout the building! From announcements to bus patrol to recess management to cafeteria assistants. If we can turn a job role over to students, we work to make it happen! The students are an integral part of what we do at Green everyday! Be sure to call our school to hear our new voicemail greeting featuring students from grades K-4!

Annual Holiday Workshop Day

Our annual Holiday Workshop Day will be held on Wednesday, Dec 19th. On this day, students and staff get to wear their PJs while completing various based on a Woodland Christmas theme. This alternate learning day is always an amazing experience for all involved.



We are in need to BOARD APPROVED volunteers to help with stations this day. If you are able to help please send a note or call the school.

We could also use donations of the following items. If you would like to contribute, please send items to the school office.

- Ornament hooks
- ¼ " satin ribbon in red, white or green
- Plain Hershey Kisses
- Mini-marshmallows
- Nila Wafers
- Teddy Grahams
- Butterscotch Chips
- Chocolate Chips
- Chocolate Icing (tub)
- Bird Seed
- Smooth Peanut Butter (generic)
- Bird Seed



HABIT HINT

We apply the 7 habits in all areas of the building, but they can be applied to all areas of life. Start with Habit #1 Be Proactive. Ask your child how they can be in charge of themselves, own their actions & reactions and be independent in home situations too. Family Learning packs are due by Dec 7th for a special treat!

Student Led Conferences

Our third annual Student Led Conferences will be held November 9th and 10th. Letters were mailed home with appointment times. Students are asked to attend in order to share about their learning this year. It will be a time for students, parents and teachers to review leadership notebooks and student learning over the first grading period. We hope you will join us!

TRACKING OUR WILDLY IMPORTANT GOALS (WIGS)

Our school is tracking some Wildly Important Goals (WIGS) in order to ensure school-wide success. These areas are being tracked at the individual student level, class level and school level so we can see how our reading strategies, behavior and attendance come together to help us be successful in school.

BEHAVIOR

We ask our students to demonstrate good leadership though their daily behavior and interactions with others. We have been running between 84%-87% so far this year. A good start! Our goal is 85%

ATTENDANCE

Attendance is a critical factor in student success in school. We would like your child to be here EVERY day, Our attendance has been running between 96-97%. Our goal is 97%

READING SKILLS

Grade levels have selected an indicator for reading growth. We are currently checking for growth based on quarterly information in order to calculate our school achievement. Our goal is 100%