

CARDINAL CONNECTION

IMPORTANT DATES

- Fri, 10/13 End of 1st Quarter
- Mon, 10/16 Library Night
- Wed, 10/18 School Board Meeting
- Thu, 10/19 Quarter 1 PBIS celebration
- Thu, 10/19 P/T Conferences 4:00-8:00 pm
- Fri, 10/20 P/T Conferences 8:00-11:00 (no student attendance)
- Mon-Fri 10/23-10/27 Red Ribbon Week (more info coming)
- Mon 10/23 Library Night
- Wed 10/25 Illinois State Police Officer Safety presentation
- Mon 10/30 Library Night
- Tue 10/31 Halloween Parties

FOOD ALLERGY

- We have an individual in our building who has a *contact* allergy to pumpkin. This means the individual can have absolutely no exposure to pumpkin.
- Please do not send anything containing pumpkin to school with your child for cold lunch, treats, etc. Thank you for your understanding and assistance in keeping all staff and students safe and healthy at school.

FIRST QUARTER

It's hard to believe that first quarter is already over!! We've had a great start to the year here at HES - thanks so much to your support at home for your child's continued success in education.

I've had many parents ask how they can help their child with their education at home. The best thing that can be done is read, read, read. Whether you've got a 3 year old preschooler at home or a teenage junior high student - extra reading time will help your kiddo(s) be successful here at school.

Along with that, math facts practice, or simply including math in daily conversation (cooking together, dividing the slices of pizza by the number of people in your family, figuring how many toilet paper rolls your family needs for a month, etc) can help your students' number sense. Also practicing math facts (addition, subtraction, multiplication, division) can help your child immensely. Having their basic facts down helps so much when they are doing those bigger tasks here at school (multi-digit operations, etc).

If you have any questions or would like some direction on resources for at home, reach out to your child's teacher or directly to me and we'd be happy to help!



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