



ECKLEYKINDER NEWS

Hebron Valley Elementary School

Week of January 7 - January 11, 2019

Welcome Back!

It is so exiting to start a brand-new calendar year – 2019 and the second half of our awesome Kindergarten year together! I hope everyone had a joyous, relaxing, and safe holiday season. Our month-long study of "Winter Holidays around the World" was amazing and I appreciate all the hard work the students put forth to create their "one of a kind" crafts to decorate our classroom and hallway. We received numerous accolades from the rest of the school, I was so proud of how well everything turned out. It truly made my holiday season this year extra special. Our "winter" party was simply amazing! We had delicious snacks, fun games, created a treasured craft, and had tons of fun. To all the parents that came and helped at the party, your participation was priceless. A special note of appreciation to our room mom, Mrs. Satyanathan, for all of her hard work, generosity, and the extensive time it took to put such a wonderful party together for us! I would also like to send out a heartfelt "thank you" to everyone for the Christmas gifts I received. Your generosity was appreciated and I was touched by your thoughtfulness. I do have to say, my greatest gift continues to be the privilege of teaching such an amazing group of hardworking, polite, wonderful students.



Let It Snow!

This week we will begin our fun and informative Winter Unit based around the theme of snow and snowmen. From reading, to math, to language arts, to science, these next few weeks will be full of snow. Even our classroom will be covered in artificial snow and snowflakes to get us in the mood. Just maybe the weather will cooperate and give us some snow outside the classroom as well! We will be making our own snow in science and doing lots of informative experiments about winter, arctic animals and other insulators.

Please remember to send your child to school with appropriate seasonal outerwear to protect against chilly temperatures and inclement weather.

Please remember to sign your student's life skills sheet located in their blue folder each day. Please make sure your child has a water bottle every day!



... In the spotlight:

Parents:

Now that we have started the second semester, we will begin weekly reading and sight word logs that will be due on Fridays. In order to keep from overwhelming the kids on their first day back, I will be sending additional information home about these logs on Wednesday.

Upcoming Events:

Tuesday, January 8 – Talent Show Auditions 3:00 – 4:30 pm

Friday, January 11 – HVE Spirit Day: wear your favorite HVE T-shirt or logowear to show school pride.

Friday, January 18:

- HVE PTA Pickles, Popcorn, Chips. On sale before school \$1
- HVE Spirit Day: Dress to Impress

Monday, January 21 – School Holiday: No School – MLK Day

Thursday, January 24 – HVE Multicultural Night

Please make sure your student wears tennis shoes on P.E. and Music days as they are required.

Monday	Art (Mrs. Gardsbane)
Tuesday	P.E. (Coach Fritsch)
Wednesday	STEM (Ms. Upham)
Thursday	Music (Mrs. Barnett)
Friday	Art (Mrs. Gardsbane)

This Week's Lunch Menu

Monday	Choice 1 – Pizza Sticks with Marinara Choice 2 – Popcorn Chicken with Breadstick Choice 3 – American Cobb Salad with Breadstick Choice 4 – SunButter & Jelly Sandwich
Tuesday	Choice 1 – Hot Dog Choice 2 – Hamburger / Cheeseburger Choice 3 – Black Bean Burger Choice 4 – SunButter & Jelly Sandwich
Wednesday	Choice 1 – Cheese & Bacon Baked Potato w/ Roll Choice 2 – Chicken Sandwich Choice 3 – Kickin' Bean Nacho Salad w Tortilla Chips Choice 4 – SunButter & Jelly Sandwich
Thursday	Choice 1 – Chicken Egg Roll with Fried Rice Choice 2 – Grilled Cheese Choice 3 – Turkey & Cheese Sandwich Choice 4 – SunButter & Jelly Sandwich
Friday	Choice 1 – Cheese Pizza Choice 2 – Pepperoni Pizza Choice 3 – Beef Taco Salad with Tortilla Chips Choice 4 – SunButter & Jelly Sandwich



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