

COUGAR CUB NEWS

September 2023

Notes and News for grades PK-2nd





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September 18, 2023
Weekly updates and events!



Start with Hello Week begins today! This is a week that reminds us to be kind and to help create a culture of belonging where students learn to look for signs of social isolation, increase inclusivity and empathy with other students.



Monday: Make someone smile today!

Tuesday: Take What You Need - Get and Give Encouragement & Positivity!

Wednesday: Welcome Wednesday! Wear Green & **Start with Hello!**

Thursday: "Talk about it" Thursday - Start a conversation with someone!

For more information visit: www.sandyhookpromise.org

****PARENTS**** As the weather starts to cool off a bit, be sure to write your child's name on the tag of their jackets and coats. We have SO MANY coats in the Lost & Found each year because students leave them lying around and forget where they put them. With their name in them, we can reunite them with their owner!

There will be a PTO meeting here at the Primary school this Thursday, Sept. 21st at 8:00am. Come on out if you want to join this awesome group!

NO SCHOOL THIS FRIDAY, SEPT. 22nd!!

The School Nurse has started the health screenings. Students in grades K, 1st, 3rd, and 5th will be screened for Vision, Hearing, Height and Weight. Permission has either been granted or denied by the parent/guardian when he/she filled out the Health Questionnaire form. Parents can request a student to be screened during the school year by contacting the nurse's office 573-438-4982 x 808.

School Lunch Menu for the week of Sept 18, 2023 (Menu is subject to change)

Full menu for the month can be found online at

<https://kingston.k12.mo.us/departments/food-service/menus/>

Tues 19	Lunch: Pig in a blanket, Veggies or Build your own Pepperoni Pizza
Wed 20	Lunch: Turkey Tenderloin Medallions, roll or Italian Deli
Thur 21	Lunch: Spaghetti/Meat Sauce, garlic Bosco breadstick or Turkey & Cheddar Deli
Fri 22	NO SCHOOL
Mon 25	Lunch: Chicken Gordita, shredded cheddar cheese or Turkey & Swiss Deli

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

September

18-19 - Career Day for Pri/Elementary

18-21 - ***Start With Hello*** Week

21 - PTO meeting at 8:00 a.m. here at the school

22 - ***NO SCHOOL: Staff Development***

26 - Mobile Market

October

9 -13: Big Smiles Dental will be here all week.

19 - End of 1st Quarter; ***SCHOOL DISMISSES AT 12:15***

20 - ***NO SCHOOL***

23-27 - Great Mines Dental all week

26 - Family Literacy Night in Pri/Ele gym from 5:30-6:30 pm.

27 - ***NO SCHOOL: Staff Development***

27 - Halloween Bash at High School

November

13 - No School

22-24 - NO SCHOOL, Thanksgiving Break

December

20-Jan 2 - NO SCHOOL, Christmas/New Year's Break

Cougar Connections for September:

Career Day for grades 3-5 will be Monday, Sept.18th and PK-5 on Tues., Sept 19th.

Cougar Connections: Students will learn about **RESPONSIBILITY**.

Responsibility means we do the things we are supposed to do, even when no one is watching, and we accept the results of our actions.

SEL (PK-1st): Students will learn to be responsible by making good choices and being accountable for their own actions.

SEL (2-5): Students will develop an individual career and academic plan and recognize the importance of having a plan.

The next Art Cart will be Friday, Sept. 29.

Objectives for week of September 18, 2023

Kindergarten Objectives

Reading - Students will be able to identify Concepts About Print (CAP) and Setting of a story. Students will be able to identify letters and letter sounds Pp, Vv, Tt, Dd, Ee.

Writing - Students will practice writing their first name.

Students will practice independently writing the letters Pp, Vv, Tt, Dd, Ee.

Math - students will be able to identify 3D shapes: cube, cone, sphere, cylinder. Students will be able to count 1-25.

Social Studies - students will be able to identify the differences between wants and needs.

First Grade Objectives

Reading: Students will work on these comprehension skills this week visualize, retell, characters, and making connections with the story. Students will blend and segment sounds. Students will decode words with short u. **Sight words:** live, how, help, down, his, jump, under, brown, white, green

Writing: Students will write a complete sentence.

Spelling words: lug, dot, tub, sad, cut, fun, plug, sat, sun, bog

Math: Students will explore 2D shapes.

Second Grade Objectives

Reading: Students will be able to identify Character and Setting.

Math: Students will be able to fluently add and subtract within 20.

Spelling: Students will be able to spell and read words with short vowels and consonants.

Spelling Words: list, chop, tag, desk, mess, drum, sack, rock, job, sad, rib, dus

Mrs Miller's Resource Room Objectives

First grade: continue testing

Reading - Students will practice nouns,

Writing - Students will practice writing Cc, Nn and Pp and write a five start sentence throughout the week.

Math - Students will practice one to one correspondence

Second Grade: continue testing

Reading - Students will practice short vowels

Writing - Students will practice letters Cc, Nn and Pp and write a five star sentence throughout the week.

Math - Students will practice addition 1-10

Library Objectives: Students will be learning about book care.

Music Objectives for September:

K: Students will experience and show steady beat in music

1: Students will review Kindergarten music concepts (beat, voice types, and ta and ti-ti rhythms)

2: Students will review ta and ti-ti rhythms and so and mi on the musical staff

Art objectives:

K: Students will engage in exploration and imaginative play with materials.

First: Students will engage collaboratively in exploration and imaginative play with materials.

Second: Students will brainstorm collaboratively multiple approaches to an art or design problem.





Enjoy coloring some scarecrows this weekend!

