

ELEMENTARY NEWS

November 2023

Notes and News for grades 3rd through 5th



HAPPY

THANKSGIVING!



Cougar News

November 14, 2023
Weekly updates and events!



No Cougar College or Tutoring on Monday, November 20th or Tuesday, November 21st! No School on Wednesday, Thursday, or Friday (Nov. 22nd, 23rd, or 24th). Happy Thanksgiving!!

PTO NEWS

Salsa Fundraiser is Now thru Nov. 27th! Delicious speciality salsas make great gifts!
A flyer was sent home today with all the info you need to make your holidays tasty!
Dec 1: PTO mtg @ 8am here!

OUR NEXT MOBILE MARKET WILL BE ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 28TH @ 12:00 PM.

Cougar College Students & Families are Invited

Nurse Chris Presents: *What you should know about HEAD LICE!*

Monday, November 27th 4:00 pm - 4:30 pm.

Do you know about Head Lice? Do you know where it comes from? Would you like to know some tips to prevent it? Come to the Primary Library and join the fun in learning the life cycle of a louse with Nurse Chris on November 27th from 4-4:30 pm.

Please **complete the R.S.V.P. slip below, cut it off, and return to the school office by 11/21/23.** We need an approximate number attending in order to prepare handouts and seating.

R.S.V.P. for Nurse Chris Presents Head Lice: reply by November 21st, 2023.

Monday, November 27th, 4:00 pm - 4:30 pm.

NAMES of Cougar College Student(s) who will

attend: _____

NUMBER of Adult Family Members who plan to attend: _____

School Menus for the week of November 14, 2023

Kingston Primary/Elementary Cafeteria has a food bar. Each day at breakfast, students will get a main entree and a choice of 2 fruits. Each day at lunch, students will get a main entree and their choice of fruits and vegetables.

Tuesday	Breakfast	Biscuit n gravy or grab & go breakfast
	Lunch	BBQ rib patty or nacho's with salsa & cheese dip
Wednesday	Breakfast	Breakfast pizza or grab and go breakfast
	Lunch	Chicken drumstick or italian deli sandwich
Thursday	Breakfast	Chocolate cherry muffin bar or grab and go breakfast
	Lunch	Spaghetti or turkey & cheddar deli sandwich
Friday	Breakfast	French toast stix or grab & go breakfast
	Lunch	Meatball sub or PB&J uncrustable
Monday	Breakfast	Dutch waffle or grab & go breakfast
	Lunch	Pulled pork fritos or build your own pepperoni pizza

Second Grade Objectives

Reading: Students will be able to identify facts and details.

Math: Students will be able to fluently add within 100 using different strategies.

Spelling: Students will be able to spell and read words with consonant digraphs sh, th, wh, ch, and tch.

shape	that	whale	chase	bunch
when	wish	them	math	itch
patch	what			

Third Grade Objectives

Reading: Students will be able to identify the author's purpose to aid in comprehension.

Writing: Students will write using singular possessive nouns.

Math: Students will connect area to multiplication and division.

Science: Students will continue learning about animal habitats.

Social Studies: Students will learn about the importance of Veteran's Day.

Spelling: Students will correctly spell compound words.

splash	throw	three	square	throat
strike	street	split	splurge	thrill
strength	squeak	throne	strawberry	squeeze
squid	squander	arthritis	instrument	strategy

Fourth Grade Objectives

Reading: Students will be reading Scene Two and learn about drawing conclusions.

Math: Students will continue to learn about word problems involving the four operations of math.

Science/Social Studies: Students will write an informative paragraph about the Rock Cycle.

Spelling: Students will test over the following words on Thursday, November 16th.

morning	forest	garbage	form	alarm
corner	story	argue	backyard	start
partner	storm	Florida	apartment	sport
force	forward	sharp	garden	Arkansas

Fifth Grade Objectives

Reading: Students will read The Perpetual Motion Machine and be able to put events in sequential order. Students will be able to identify the key features of an advertisement.

Writing: Students will continue to work on their personal narratives. Students will be able to identify and use past, present, and future tense verbs to enhance their sentence structure.

Math: Students will be able to solve long division problems with up to two digit divisors and four digit dividends with remainders.

Science: Students will learn about relationships in ecosystems and animal adaptations.

Social Studies: Students will learn about the people who guided the building of a government after successfully gaining independence.

Spelling: Students will test over the following words on Friday, November 17th.

jewel	kingdom	gasoline	factory	garage
tropical	pajamas	estimate	tomorrow	humidity
Chicago	bulletin	carnival	illustrate	elegant
census	terrific	celebrate	operate	celery

November

20 -21 - NO COUGAR COLLEGE the week of Thanksgiving

22-24 - NO SCHOOL, Thanksgiving Break

December

2 - Breakfast with Santa 9am-12:30pm

4-9 PTO-sponsored Santa's Workshop in Primary building

12 - Winter Music Program - 6pm

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



Mrs. Blair's and Mr. Ettinger's Resource Rooms

Reading:

3rd Grade: Students will explain cause and effect and answer comprehension questions using short stories.

4th Grade: Students will be using the context of a sentence to determine the meaning of unfamiliar words or multiple meaning words.

5th Grade: (Mr. E) Students will continue reading *Mummies in the Morning*. Students will develop phonics in the reading process.

(Mrs. Blair) Students will develop an understanding of vocabulary based out of MAP practice tests.

Writing:

3rd, 4th, & 5th Grades: Students will reread, revise, and edit drafts with assistance.

Math:

3rd Grade: Students will master basic concepts of multiplication and division.

4th Grade: Students will divide using long division and remainder concepts as well as review over decimals and place value.

5th Grade: Students will divide using long division and remainder concepts as well as review over decimals and place value.

Spelling:

3rd, 4th, and 5th Grades: Students will receive new words that will last from November 6th-17th.

Parents as Teachers (PAT) is a FREE service offer to Kingston Families with children from Birth - 5 years of age. We also service pregnant women. You can either set up an appt for here at the school, or for an in-home visit. Please call our coordinator, Mrs. Christina Pruneau, to schedule an appointment at 573-438-4982 ext 508.

Art Cart will take place on December 1st.

Cougar Connections: December: Students will identify the character trait:

Community. Community is a feeling that people belong, a feeling that people matter to one another and to a group, and a shared idea that people's needs will be met.

FUDGE POPS will be on sale in the cafeteria this Friday, November 17th for \$1!!