Title I Parent Information

The Parent and Family Engagement Committee functions to build relationships between the Citrus County School District, parents, and the community in setting standards of helping families hold high expectations for their children’s education in order to prepare students to be college and career ready. We will enhance these relationships by supporting various forms of communication between home and school, with diverse school activities and the development of appropriate home learning opportunities”. If you have any questions concerning Title I please call: Rene’ Johnson (Title I Coordinator) @352-726-1931 Ext. 2412.

Healthy Tidbits

According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, seasonal flu activity begins to increase in October and most commonly peaks between December and February, but can last as late as May. The CDC recommends fighting the flu by taking daily actions to stop the spread of germs such as washing your hands often, covering your nose and mouth with a tissue when you cough or sneeze, avoiding close contact with sick people and, if you become sick, limit your contact with others.

Teachers Working Out-Of-Field

Crystal River Middle School is proud that all 59 teachers and administrators that work with our students are certified by the State of Florida or other governing board. We appreciate the following teachers who have volunteered to teach a subject outside of their primary certification and are currently taking classes to obtain certification in the area they are teaching out-of-field.

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Each of these teachers have both experience and coursework in the area they are teaching. They are excellent teachers and we appreciate the extra effort they are putting forth on behalf of our students.

LONG TERM SUBSTITUTES

The following substitute teachers are in long term roles.

We appreciate their dedication and professionalism.

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Pay Attention to Attendance

School starts at 7:50! Which means students need to be in their first class at 7:50 when the bell rings!

Attending school is extremely important for children’s social, emotional and educational development. Children who miss a lot of time at school can suffer in the long run from significant gaps in their learning. We need your support to ensure your child’s education is not affected. Send children to school every day, all day to get the most out of their education.

How can you help?

• Encourage your child to get enough sleep to ensure that he/she is able to get up in the morning
• Leave home with plenty of time to get to school.
• Try to schedule appointments before or after school hours

Don’t let your child stay home unless truly sick.

It is the responsibility of the parent or guardian to provide a written note within two (2) days of the student(s) returning to school. After 10 days of excused or unexcused absences, medical notes by a physician will be required for subsequent absences. If no medical documentation is provided, further absences are considered unexcused.

Important Dates

Teacher Work Day 1/6/2020
Students Return to School 1/7/2020
Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday 1/20/2020
MLK Parade 1/20/2020
Boy's Basketball Game @ CSMS 1/27/2020
Girl's Tennis Match @ LMS 1/27/2020
Boy's Basketball Game @ IMS 1/30/2020
Girl's Tennis Match @ Villages 1/30/2020
School Wide Food Drive begins 2/3/2020
Boy's Basketball Game @ Wildwood 2/3/2020
Home Girl's Tennis Match vs. IMS 2/3/2020
Home Girl's Tennis Match vs. LMS 2/5/2020
Home Boy's Basketball Game vs. LMS 2/6/2020
Girl's Tennis Match @ CSMS 2/10/2020
Home Boy's Basketball Game vs. South Sumter 2/12/2020
Home Girl's Tennis Match vs. Villages 2/12/2020
Early Dismissal 2/13/2020
President’s Day weekend 2/14/2020
President’s Day weekend 2/17/2020
Random acts of Kindness Week 2/18/2020
Boy's Basketball Game @ LMS 2/18/2020
Home Girl's Tennis Match vs. CSMS 2/19/2020
Home Boy's Basketball Game vs. IMS 2/20/2020
Girl's Tennis Match @ IMS 2/24/2020
Home Boy's Basketball Game vs. CSMS 2/24/2020
Girl's Tennis County Championship 2/26/2020
Boy's Basketball Game @ Villages 2/27/2020
School Dance 2/28/2020
Student Art Show begins 3/1/2020
All County Band Music Performance 3/3/2020
Boy's Basketball County Championship 3/2/2020
Early Dismissal 3/13/2020
All County Chorus 3/19/2020
Spring Break 3/23/2020

ESEA/SPAR Reports

School Public Accountability Reports (covering Elementary and Secondary Education Act Requirements for State and LEA Annual Report Cards) are no longer available in printed form. These reports can be viewed online at: http://doeweb-prd.doe.state.fl.us/eds/nclbspar/year1415/nclb1415.cfm?dist_schl=9_83 You can also access this information via the Citrus County Schools website, http://www.citrus.k12.fl.us/departments/research_&_accountability/default.htm If you would like to receive a paper copy of this information, please contact our school at 795-2116 ext. 5201. We will gladly print a copy for you.