Principal's Notes

I hope that you had a wonderful Thanksgiving Holiday with your family! It is hard to believe that Winter Break is less than three weeks away. In case of inclement weather, you should receive an automated call from the district providing information about possible school closures. The district performed a test call in November. If you have questions regarding this process please contact our front office.

We have many events taking place this month. There will be a district wide literacy event taking place at Crossroads Elementary on December 8th from 9:00 AM to 11:30 AM. This event will showcase the importance of dialogic reading with children from birth to age five and the necessary skills to be successful in Kindergarten. Our GLE Winter Celebration will take place on Friday, December 21st. Please keep a close watch for classroom party information in classroom newsletters.

Also, we have begun our second round of MAP testing. We are excited to see how much our Cardinals have grown since our first MAP assessment. Our primary students will be tested in the areas of reading and mathematics while our intermediate students are tested in the areas of reading, mathematics, science, and language usage. The schedule can been seen below.

I want to wish you and your family a Happy Holidays and a great start to 2018! Our winter break will begin December 24th and students will return January 3rd.

With Cardinal Pride,

Dave Enzweiler
Principal

Counselor Corner

Students will continue with their career exploration units during their counseling lessons, with a focus in the month of December on college and education. Students will learn about the different routes to take after high school and how different educational paths can lead to different careers. Students will have the opportunity to learn about different college throughout the state of Kentucky. Check out the new counseling website by going to the “Counselor Corner” link on the GLE main website!

Erika Sharkey
GLE Counselor

Upcoming Events

December 8
CCS Winter Wonderland Literacy Event

December 13
Children’s Theater Visit
Kindergarten & 1st Grade

December 14
Grant’s Lick Veterinary Visit
5th grade

December 17
GLE Christmas Store

December 18
GLE SBDM Meeting 5:30 PM

December 21
GLE Winter Celebration
(classroom parties)

Winter MAP Schedule

Fifth Grade: 12/4-12/7
Fourth Grade: 12/10 - 12/14
Third Grade: 12/17 - 12/20
Second Grade: 1/7 – 1/9
First Grade: 1/10-1/11
Kindergarten: 1/15 - 1/16
Music News

**Kindergarten**- We have been learning about how music is organized. This is called form. Ask your child to tell you the story of the cat and the mice. They brought home papers showing the form of the song.

**1st Grade**- We have been learning about melody and how the melody can get higher and lower.

**2nd Grade**- We have been learning about how music is organized. This is called form. Students learned the song and dance to Down the Ohio.

**3rd Grade**- Students have been working on a song called Leaves. As a class we created and performed a melody on the mallet instruments.

**5th Grade**- Students have been working in pairs to create a piece on the recorder. We learned a melody together as a class and put our creations together with our shared melody.

Art News

**Kindergarten**- We have been practicing mixing colors together to create “blotter bugs.”

**1st Grade**- We have been learning about different types of shapes. We made a cow and practiced cutting out symmetrical shapes.

**2nd/3rd**- We are working on positive/negative snowflakes using construction paper.

**4th/5th**- Students are learning about the art of sand art.

Students created their own design and are using sand paint to paint their work.

**Our Honor Choir students had a fantastic concert!!**
Physical Education

Students have been introduced to Spike Ball. Students are beginning to distinguish between skill-related and health-related fitness benefits. The basic skills of being able to volley a ball with a partner are being demonstrated. Students can demonstrate the importance of social interaction as it applies to Spirit of the Game. Before Thanksgiving students worked as a team to build a turkey with equipment they could collect during a team challenge. Contact information: Laura.russell@campbell.kyschools.us

Students will begin basketball skills the first part of December.

Please remind students to wear or bring gym/tennis shoes on the days that they have physical education!!

PE Expectations

1. Participate safely.
2. Show respect to all.
3. Follow the rules and play fairly.
4. Participate with 100% effort.
5. Follow directions the first time they are given.
6. Be kind to others.
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**WINTER BREAK**

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**Dessert:**
- Friday: Ice cream cup
- Friday: Fruit cobbler