

JEFFERSON PK-8 NEWSLETTER



FALL HAS ARRIVED!!!

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Dear Parents,

The school year has started wonderfully. We are very excited to see all the smiling faces every morning. Throughout the month of September student attendance has been phenomenal. The average attendance for the building is over 95%. The administrative team is grateful for your commitment to your child's education by sending them to school every day. 6-8 Parents can also access *ProgressBook* to view their student's grades weekly.

Jefferson is committed to supporting your child to achieve to their maximum potential.

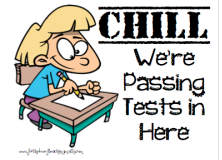
Have a wonderful Fall!

Carrie Boyer, Sonya Marshal and Joshua Guthrie



3rd grade Air Testing will begin Oct. 23 and run through Oct. 27. Here are a few tips for a successful test day.

- Make sure your student has plenty of rest.
- A good nutritious breakfast
- Read nightly with your child and have a discussion on what they read.
- Positive encouragement



21 Century Program

Students in grades 6th thru 8th will have the ability to participate in the 21st Century afterschool program. The students will participate in homework assistance, interventions, and a variety of other activities. The program begins on Monday, October 23rd. More info will be sent home.

United Way Campaign

United Way has been a great supporter of Jefferson over the last couple of years. We would like the students to give back to the community. Throughout the month of October, 20% of our Friday ice cream sales will benefit the United Way of Trumbull County. We thank you and your family for the continued support of Jefferson PK-8 and the United Way.



REMINDER

Please contact the school when a phone number or address has changed. It is important to be able to reach someone in case of an emergency.



How your child gets home **will not** be changed without a note. **A phone call will not be an accepted way to change transportation..**

Positive Behavior Rewards



Students with positive behavior are being awarded

"J Perks". These tickets will allow the students to participate in a candy gathering on Friday, October 27th. Students will be receiving different awards for positive behavior throughout the school year.

Reading Improvement Plans

Students and teachers in grades K through 3 are focusing their attention on reading and writing. After students have been assessed by the Ohio Reading Diagnostic in grades 1 through 3 and the KRA in Kindergarten it will be determined whether the child is reading on grade level. If your child is not reading on grade level he/she will have a Reading Improvement Plan (RIMP) to focus on specific skills your child will need to be a better reader. You will have the opportunity at conferences in November to meet with your child's teacher to discuss the RIMP and check your child's progress in reading throughout the school year.



Special points of interest:

- October 3 - Mrs. Roberts PK family spider activity 10:15am
- October 5 - Dental Sealants Begin
- Oct. 6 - Fundraiser money due
- Oct. 12 - Butler Art visit to 4th gr. @ 11:45am
- Oct. 13 - **NO SCHOOL**
- Oct. 17 - 4th/5th gr. Family Day @ 9:30 am
- Oct. 20 - End of 1st Nine weeks
- Oct. 23 - PK Dental cleaning - 21st Century Program begins
- Oct. 24 - 4th gr. Historical Warren Tour
- Oct. 25 - 4th gr. Historical Warren Tour
- Oct. 26 - 4th gr. Historical Warren Tour
- Oct. 27 - Kg. Pumpkin carving @ 9:30 am
- Oct. 30 - Mrs. Noble's 4th grade class begins swim lessons
- Oct. 31 - Fall parties (more info will be sent home by teachers).

At any time you have any questions please feel free to call the school at (330) 675-6960 or e-mail:

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