

# Weekly Message from North Canaan Elementary School

## Friday, March 5, 2021

**Click on the blue underlined links.**

*Hello, Families! For the months of March and April we are engaging in another reading challenge. This one is to learn features of genres and earn digital badges. The classroom that has mastered the most genres will earn a prize at the end of April. Your child should be able to tell you more. Please continue to encourage your children to read. We hope this will be another exciting challenge.*

**[NCES Family Check-In:](#)** How are you and your family this week? We want to know. Click the link to let us know.

**[Spring Student-Led Conferences:](#)** It is time to start thinking about student-led conferences that will take place on March 24 and March 25. Please click on the link to read the details and procedures to create your conference times.

**[March AHA Newsletter:](#)** Ms.LaMedica is sharing some highlights regarding the AHA program for the month of March. She has also shared a [calendar of activities for the month](#).

**[NCES Travel Parent Communication:](#)** I am resharing the letter that I sent earlier this week regarding travel requirements and school attendance during the pandemic.

***After-School Pick-up for Elementary Students:*** Families who pick up their EK-grade 4 children after school are reminded that they will not be allowed to cross the street. Please park only on Pease Street and Whiting Drive for everyone's safety.

**[DPH CovidVaccine Johnson 3-2-21b:](#)** The link contains information regarding the newly authorized Johnson & Johnson vaccine. Other information regarding the vaccines is available on the Connecticut State Department of Public Health website that can also be accessed through a [link on the school's website](#).

***Free COVID Testing*** will be taking place at the Town Hall on Thursday, March 11 and Thursday, March 25 from 1-4 PM. All are welcome.

***Greetings from the NCES Library and Mrs. Erickson:*** Today I share a link to a website called [Book Trust](#) where students and families can search for books by genre for the new reading challenge. Happy Reading!

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Stay Safe and Well,  
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