

Hudson Park Elementary



A Message from the Principal

Dear Rainier Families,

Spring is finally here, although we are still waiting for the warmer weather to catch up. March was such an exciting month. I would like to wish everyone a very happy Spring. Springtime is an opportunity to

watch the earth come alive just as our students bloom into fine little citizens who understand the rewards of hard work. Let us encourage our children to enjoy the beautiful weather and stay active for a healthy body and mind.

Educator Appreciation Week is April 12th through April 16th. I want to take this opportunity to highlight some of the wonderful things our educators are doing on behalf of our students. I can attest to the extremely hard work our teachers are doing to get every student to experience success. Every moment is a learning moment at Hudson Park Elementary. I constantly observe teachers working together in collaboration, during common planning time, and in their individual classrooms. There is a common theme; the one very important question they have in mind is, "What is best for kids?" This has been the most frequent question we ask, and continue to ask every day. I don't know if I can use enough words to describe my gratitude and appreciation to all of our wonderful educators. They never fail to impress me with their passion, dedication, and laser-like focus on students. I hope you all join me in congratulating them for a job well done!

Spring Parent-Teacher Conferences will take place on Wednesday, April 21st and Thursday, April 22nd. This year all our virtual conferences will be held through Google Meet or by phone, if you prefer. Conferences are an opportunity to hear about your child's learning and successes. Google Meet offers parents the opportunity to schedule a conference and sign-up online. Teachers will be sending an invitation to you via email by April 9th. If you do not receive an email and would like to meet with your child's teacher, please email them to request a conference invite. I encourage you to sign up as soon as you receive the email invitation from your child's teacher. Let us know if you have any questions.

Educationally yours,

Heidi Blakley
Principal, Hudson Park Elementary

Important Dates

4/6	Bus Evacuation Drill Cohort A
4/9	Grade Day
4/12-4/16	Educator Appreciation Week
4/16	Bus Evacuation Drill Cohort B
4/19	Kinder Registration opens online
4/19-5/2	HPE Virtual Book Fair
4/21	No school for students/Virtual Conferences (2-7:30PM)
4/22	AM School Day/PM Virtual Conferences
4/23	No school for staff/students
4/26	School Board Meeting, 6:30pm, Auditorium & Virtual
4/27	Picture Day Cohort A
4/29	Picture Day Cohort B