



Kings Chapel Elementary School



December 2020 Newsletter



Important Dates in December

- 18 1/2 Day for Students
 December 19- January 4 Winter Holidays
January
 5 Students Return

SCHOOL CALENDAR REMINDER!

December 18th will be a half day for students. Elementary students will dismiss at 12:30 p.m.

THINGS TO KNOW:

- ☉ Lunch will be served before dismissal times
- ⊘ Elementary schools will not have After School Programs
- 🚌 Buses will run their normal routes

Spotlight on Safety



Parents, remember that if your child or anyone in your household takes a "RAPID" (same day results) COVID-19 test, even if results are negative, school age

children will need to stay home until that family member takes and receives a negative lab test (2-4 day result). This is due to a high percentage of false negative with the rapid test.

Additionally, our teachers and staff are continuously cleaning and disinfecting common areas and practicing proper hand washing and hygiene. Please continue with the AWESOME job you have been doing sending your children to school with their masks and water bottles!

Holiday Parties

Classroom Christmas parties will be held Thursday, December 17. This year, no outside food or items will be allowed. Instead, each teacher will be providing snacks and goodies to the students. Please consider sending in 2-3 dollars (no more than \$5 please) to help with the cost. We are going to make sure to continue this special tradition this year!

Flint Energies Bright Ideas Winner!



Congratulations to Mrs. Caban! She was awarded a Flint Energies Grant for her proposal "Singing with Your Hands." We know she will do even

greater things with our students with this grant!

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Students of the Week



Kindergarten is pleased to announce **Adley Wright** as a Student of the Week. Adley is working hard to master all of her letter names and sounds and is turning into a wonderful writer. She has a caring heart and is always kind to those around her. Adley is a great example of a Kings Chapel Cougar; she is always ready for the next activity with listening ears, watching eyes, and a caring attitude. When she is not at school Adley loves to participate in gymnastics and play soccer. Way to go Adley! Keep up the great work.



Mia Ortiz is our second grade student of the week. Mia is a great role model for the Cougar Creed. Her actions show that she is caring, outstanding, unique, growing, always positive, ready, and safe. Mia is respectful, loving, shows a positive attitude, and follows directions every day. Mia is working on mastering adding and subtracting within 20 and her teacher has no doubt that she will reach her goal soon. When she is not at school Mia enjoys riding her bike, playing with dolls, and playing games with her family. We are proud of you Mia!

2nd grade is pleased to announce **Trent McDowell**



as student of the week. He loves to participate in class activities and does well in all of his academic areas. Trent is an excellent rule follower and follows the Cougar Creed while he is at school. He has a positive attitude and is caring toward his friends. Trent has made great improvements in his writing and reading this year. We are so proud of Trent and his accomplishments this year so far!



4th grader Lilly Townsend is our newest student of the week. Lilly is an outstanding Cougar who follows the Cougar Creed every day. She strives to do her best in her school work and how she treats others. Lilly has met the grade level goal in 4th grade by mastering all of her multiplication and division facts as well as her reading goal for the year. She enters the classroom each day with a smile on her face and is always willing to help her teacher and her classmates. When she is not at school Lilly enjoys participating in gymnastics. We are proud of Lilly and know she will succeed in whatever she sets out to achieve!

Morning Drop-Off

In order to make drop-off smooth and get your students to class so that learning may begin, please make sure they have their masks on and all of the things they need for the day (backpacks, lunch boxes, etc.) ready to go when you get to the Cougar Drop-Off.

A Note from Our Med-Tech

Cold and flu season is upon us. Please keep the following guidelines in mind when sending your child to school.

When to Keep Home

1. Your child has had a fever in the past 24 hours
2. Is nauseous and/or vomiting and/or has diarrhea
3. Has been exposed to a contagious disease and is exhibiting symptoms

When a Sick Child May Return to School

1. Fever free for 24 hours without fever reducing medication
2. A child with strep throat may return 24 hours after starting antibiotic treatment
3. No episodes of vomiting or diarrhea for 24 hours