

The Parent Press: Hernando Elementary

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“Everyone, Everyday!”

Things to Know:

- Breakfast is served from 8:50—9:10
- School begins at 9:10
- Dismissal is 3:30

Dates to Remember:

Field Trip—Berbert & Cleary’s Classes @9:30-2:15	10/9
Field Trip—Fultz & Phelps’ Classes @9:30-2:15	10/10
Field Trip—Savoie & Cologero’s Classes @9:30-2:15	10/11
Health Screenings @ 9:10—3:30	10/16 & 10/17
Early Dismissal @ 12:30	10/18
Upward Bound @ 9:30	10/18
VFW Awards @ 2:45	10/25
Literacy Night @ 6:00—7:30	10/26
Runners Club Trail Race	10/28

Welcome Back Hornets!

Dear Parents and Families, During each nine week period, I have the opportunity to gather with teachers to review student academic progress. We discuss assessment results, classroom performance on assignments, and interventions that are in place to support students. During these conversations we discuss ways that we can help all students reach their academic goals. For some students daily additional instruction in English Language Arts or Math is required. This additional time is provided during the daily Intervention.

As partners, the most im-

portant way our families can support our Hornets is to make being in school a priority for students every day. A day of school missed puts a child behind in completing classwork and understanding concepts presented in their absence. We appreciate your help improving our daily attendance rates to support your child’s learning.

Thank you to all of the families and male role models that made our “Dads’ Take Your Child to School Day” a huge success. Our hallways overflowed with beaming children and proud male role models. What a special morning!

Thanks for all you do to support HES.

Chris Bosse

Principal



Keeping Our Kids Safe: Dropping off/Picking up

Maintaining safe procedures during drop off and pick up times is of utmost importance to our staff.

- Parents, please remain in your vehicle when dropping off or picking up your child.
- If your child needs to go

home in a way that is different from their normal procedure, please send a note with specific instructions for the homeroom teacher or call prior to 1:00. Students often become very concerned when they know their dismissal procedure

may be different and it becomes a distraction to their ability to learn throughout the day.

- Please be aware, students should NOT be dropped off to school before 8:50. There is NO supervision for them prior to this time.

Hernando Elementary School is proud that all 57 teachers and administrators who work with our students are certified by the State of Florida or other governing board. We appreciate the following teachers who have volunteered to teach a subject outside of their primary certification and are currently taking classes to obtain certification in the area they are teaching out-of-field.

Ms. Cleary is currently out of field for Elementary Education pending issuance of her certification.

If you wish to receive information concerning the above you may do so in writing to the principal.

Important Changes Due to Hurricane IRMA

October 12th and 13th—Full Days

October 18th—Early Dismissal

October 25th—Full Day

IT WAS A DARK AND STORMY LITERACY NIGHT

Mark your calendars!!

October 26th from 6:00 p.m.—7:30 p.m. we will be hosting a Literacy Night. More information will be coming home soon.

Transportation Tidbits

In order to ensure that all students are safe and adequately supervised at all times, an authorized adult must be at the school bus stop to receive a Pre-Kindergarten or Kindergarten student. If there is no authorized adult at the bus stop when the bus arrives, the student will

remain on the bus and be returned to school. Upon return to school, the student will be turned over to YMCA aftercare. Parents will be responsible for assessed fees from the YMCA program.

Field Trips

Grade 4 to Courthouse 9:30—2:30

October 9 Berbert & Cleary's Classes

October 10 Phelps & Fultz's Classes

October 11 Savoie & Cologero/Yothers's Classes



SKYWARD FAMILY ACCESS

Skyward Family Access allows parents and guardians of Citrus County students to be part of the educational process by using state-of-the-art encryption technology to provide a secure Internet link, allowing parents and guardians the opportunity to monitor educational progress, view students information, and communicate with teachers.

New families will need to submit a Skyward Family Access form to school.

Once the account is enabled, you will receive an email with your login and a link to obtain a password.

Please contact our front office with any questions about Family Access.

