From the Principal

Greetings Hawthorne families!

We want you to know we miss you dearly and love to see your faces and hear your voices during zoom meetings. As we enter another week of the state mandated “Stay home, stay healthy”, the school staff are working hard to ensure your children are engaged, according to the schedules the district has communicated with all families. While attendance is not being collected, we do track how engaged our students are, and double up on our efforts to contact you if you have been out of touch or our records show your child has not engaged with us via phone or virtually in some way. Remember, we are all here to help you during social distancing. If you need help with something, please do not hesitate to reach out to us. Please read the following announcements for our school community.

Assessments: This year, Smarter Balanced Assessments have been cancelled, as have the Spring DRA assessment. Instead, we are asking teachers to do another iReady diagnostic assessment. Please ask your teacher if you have any questions about this.

Reading conferences: Even though regular Spring Parent/teacher conferences have been cancelled, we still aim to provide up to date, accurate information to you regarding your child’s progress when you need it. You can make an appointment with your teacher to answer any questions you have. However, you may receive communication from your teacher about a reading conference. Per state Learning Assistance Program (LAP) guidelines, second and third grade teachers need to reach out to parents of students not reading at standard. Students who have an IEP in reading or ELA are exempt from the reading plan because the IEP is their intensive intervention. Students who qualify for EL services who have been enrolled in an EL program in a Washington state school for less than two years are also exempt.

Middle School Registration (5th grade students): So far, we only have 25/60 students registered for Middle school next year. We need to have all 5th grade students register for their classes by April 30th. If they do not complete this step, they may miss out on classes they would prefer and end up with other classes because the middle school had to complete their schedule. This can be done by going to North MS website and then clicking the top tab that reads, "Our Curriculum” and then by clicking on "Registration". Here you will find these links as well as a link that will include a

May Spirit Days;

May 1 Backwards Day

May 8 Teacher Appreciation Day

May 15 What Are You Reading? Day

May 22 Dream Career Day

May 29 Hero Day

Remember to share pictures with your Teacher.

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virtual registration package for families. This registration package MUST be completed for each incoming student as you will be signing up for your child's most appropriate English and Math pathway courses. Here is the link to the virtual registration package on our website (it is also on “quick links” on the North Middle School counselor page). Please contact our school counselor Heather Rogers if you need assistance completing this. Her email is HRogers@everettsd.org

Mrs. Rogers will be at Hawthorne April 30th at 11:30 to assist registration if you need help.

WFC fundraiser wrap-up: The PTA has scheduled another date to drop off World's Finest Chocolate payments. Please drop-off your payment at the date and time listed below. You can also make your payment online anytime at https://hawthorneelementarywfc.cheddarup.com or mail a check out to the "Hawthorne PTA" to the address listed below. If you need to make other arrangements, please contact Christina Myer at hawthorneptaeverett@gmail.com.

WFC Payment Drop-off

- Thursday, May 7 from 11:30a.m.-12:30p.m.
- Walk up or drive thru (we will be following Everett Public Schools Social Distancing Protocols)
- Prizes will be handed out when payment is received
- We will not have change on hand

Checks can be mailed to:

ATTN: Hawthorne PTA

Hawthorne Elementary
1110 Popular St.
Everett, WA 98201

Thank you for supporting our WFC Fundraiser! We look forward to seeing you on Thursday, May 7th. Again, if you have any questions or need to make other arrangements, please contact Christina at hawthorneptaeverett@gmail.com.

Important Dates:
April 30th – Middle school registration help at Hawthorne elementary
May 7th – WFC Payment Drop off at Hawthorne
May 8 – Teacher appreciation day
May 15- What are you reading? Day
May 22 – Dream Career day
May 29 – Hero day (who is your hero? Dress up or take picture)

Find us on Facebook: @hawthorne.elementary.everett
Find us on Twitter: @EsdHawthorne

Sincerely,
Tanya Brinck, Assistant Principal – thrinck@everettsd.org
Paige Nguyen, Principal – pnguyen@everettsd.org
School closure resources

Watch for all Coronavirus updates at www.everettsd.org/COVID-19.

3-D printers loaned to help support local health care systems

Everett Public Schools is grateful to be able to loan ten 3-D printers, through an agreement with Ignition Partners, to support manufacturing N95 masks, visors and other critical medical and safety equipment for our local health care systems. Click for full article.

Frequently Asked Questions

Did you know we have an FAQ page on our district website? We actively add content as we develop answers that apply to our students, staff and community. If you do not see your question answered, there is also an 'Ask a Question' form where you may submit your question. Hoping this is a helpful resource for all!

Emergency meal schedule update


Due to physical distancing standards, and for the safety of our staff, meals will no longer be delivered directly to homes.

How families can help:
• Please take advantage of curbside pickup and stay in your car
• Avoid socializing with other families
• Leave the school property immediately after receiving your meals
• If you do walk-up, stand six feet behind the family in front of you, only stand in line with people you live with
• Pick up your meals at a later time in the meal service
• Pick the meal option for your child
• Follow directions provided by Everett Public Schools staff

Thank you for your understanding as we make these necessary changes to keep everyone safe.
Social & Emotional Health during school closure

The outbreak of coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) may be stressful for people and communities. Fear and anxiety about a disease can be overwhelming and cause strong emotions in adults and children.

Everyone reacts differently to stressful situations. The emotional impact of an emergency on a person can depend on the person’s characteristics and experiences, the social and economic circumstances of the person and their community, and the availability of local resources. People can become more distressed if they see repeated images or hear repeated reports about the outbreak in the media.

Children react, in part, on what they see from the adults around them. When parents and caregivers deal with the COVID-19 calmly and confidently, they can provide the best support for their children. Parents can be more reassuring to others around them, especially children, if they are better prepared.

Please visit the district’s website for links and resources for social & emotional health.

Kindergarten registration

During the current school closure, you can register for kindergarten online. Please visit the registration page on the district’s website. If you have questions, please email the Early Learning Department at EarlyLearning@everettsd.org. Thank you!

Teacher Appreciation Week

Since 1984, National PTA has designated one week in May as a special time to honor the men and women who lend their passion and skills to educating our children. This year, Teacher Appreciation Week is May 4 – 8, 2020.

National School Nurse Day

National School Nurse Day, May 6, 2020, is a time to celebrate the specialty practice of school nursing. In 1972, the National Association of School Nurses (NASN) created National School Nurse Day to recognize school nurses and acknowledge their role in the educational setting. NASN applauds the contributions school nurses make every day to improve the health, safety, and academic success of all students.

The theme this year – School Nurses: Supporting Students in Times of Crisis – reinforces the changing times of 2020. This year, more than ever, all members of our school communities, school nurses included, have been required to take on unprecedented roles and adapt quickly to changes in their jobs. It is reflective of the significant roles school nurses have in the health care of their school communities to help make a healthier place for children and families to learn and grow during this crisis.