

March 08, 2019

Hello, Parkview Parents,

Wow! We have had a terrific 5 day week of learning and kick off to our Reading Month Celebrations! Today, our students are wearing alien headbands to show their support of "Reading Out of This World." Keep reading just a few minutes every day...it is amazing how this little bit of time can make such a big difference in your child's ability to read and enhance their vocabulary.



Today you will find in your child's Friday Folder two important letters to read on the topic of health. We have had an increase number of students with respiratory illness and flu in our school. These letters were written with the Barry/Eaton County Health Department including suggestions as to how to help all of our students stay healthy. You may also find if you call in your student to excuse them, our administrative assistants will ask you extended questions as to your child's symptoms and also if you call in and leave a message, you may get a call back to ask further questions about your child's illness. We keep careful tabs on this to be able to communicate fully to the Health Department as to what we are seeing in our schools. Our custodians are doing extra cleaning each night, as well as, our transportation department. Below, please find a couple of good links to read about the flu and what can be done to get rid of this bug. This information will also be in the letters tonight.

https://www.michigan.gov/documents/mdch/NorovirusFactsheet_281017_7.pdf

https://www.michigan.gov/documents/mdch/NorovirusEnvironCleaning_281018_7.pdf

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Kindergarten registration is in full swing and the link above will guide you to upcoming dates. If you missed the orientation night this week...no worries! There are future upcoming days to make an appointment and tour Galewood. We have registration packets here in our school also if you should happen to need one.

On March 20th, all of our students will be attending a Youth for Arts production at the CPAC riding CPS school buses in the middle of the school day called, "My Favorite Alien." Due to the timing of the play, on this day only we will be eating lunch early, so a snack for the afternoon would be appreciated for your student. On this day, there will be only one lunch choice of a Sack Lunch item on the menu. There is no need for an additional permission slip for this event, due to it is inside the school district and you

have all signed the back of your student's emergency card. Thank you to our PTO for sponsoring this event.

Also, mark your calendar for Parent/Teacher Conferences on March 21 and 25th. If you have not signed up yet for your appointment, please contact your child's teacher. There will be a Book Fair held on both of these conference nights-great Easter basket ideas!

Hope you enjoy the warmer weather this weekend and don't forget to push your clocks forward an hour to Spring Ahead! KIM