

# Claymont Primary

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### *Wild About Reading!*

**February  
2018**



#### **K January Students of the Month**

**Sophia Pernell  
Jacob Grandison  
Canyon Rhodes  
Bre-Ella Beckley  
Kaytee Meek  
Cash Johnson  
Bria Ransom  
Lauren Lopez**

#### **1st January Students of the Month**

**Lucas Dalpiaz  
Isiah Gatchell-Danley  
Kenadi Smith  
Courtney Aho  
Hannah Coen  
Aubree Potts  
Garrett Fierbaugh  
Kale McConnell**

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#### **Emergency Alert System**

Claymont City Schools uses an emergency alert system that will call all students and staff members to inform them of school delays and closings. It is important that we have a working telephone number to use for this system. If you would like the primary number to be changed or you have changed your phone number since completing the emergency medical form at the beginning of the school year, please call to inform Mrs. Tarbert.

#### **Conferences**

Parent-Teacher Conferences will be held on Thur February 15 from 4-7:30. Your child's teacher will be notifying you if you are needed for a conference.

#### **Progress Reports**

Grades close for mid-term reports on Thursday, Feb 15. You will be able to view your student's grades anytime using Progress Book.

The progress report for your child is computer generated directly from the teachers grade book. Please look over the report carefully. The teacher who is responsible for your child's grade in that particular subject is listed at the far right of that subject line (darker shaded line). Your child's actual grade is listed in the second shaded line just below the subject name and teacher name shaded line. An explanation of marks you may find in that line are:

**A—100%-92%  
B—91%-83%**

**C—82%-74%  
D—73%-65%  
F—64%-0%  
E—Excellent  
S—Satisfactory  
MP—Moderate Progress  
HD—Having Difficulty  
U—Unsatisfactory**

The information below the actual grade is specific information regarding what assignment types make up that particular grade.

If you have any questions regarding your child's progress report—contact your child's teacher.

#### **Mobile Dentist**

The mobile dentist will be at school on Tuesday February 13. Forms have been sent home. If you need a form please contact Nurse Ali or Nurse Juli.

#### **President's Day**

Monday, February 19, 2018 is a scheduled Holiday with no school this day.

#### **Room Parties**

Classroom Valentine's parties will be held on Wed. February 14 at 1:30 p.m. Classroom teachers will be organizing their own parties and will contact parents if help is needed in their classroom.

#### **100th Day**

Our school will be celebrating the 100th day of school on Fri. February 16. Look for more information from your child's teacher about this event.

## Dr. Seuss Week

We will celebrate Dr. Seuss' Birthday Feb 26-March 2. The dress up schedule for the week will be:

- Mon. Feb 26 Wear Red, White and Black like the Cat in the Hat
- Tue. Feb 27 Dress like ant Seuss Character
- Wed. Feb 28 Wear something Green like Green Eggs and Ham
- Thur. March 1 Wear a Hat for Dr. Seuss' Birthday
- Fri. March 2 Dress like a Claymont Mustang.

## Update Address and Phone Number

If you have had a change in address or phone numbers contact Mrs. Tarbert in the office to provide us with your new information. We need to have correct information so we can contact you if needed.

## Bus Reminders

Just a reminder that students are not permitted to ride a different bus from their established routine in the morning or afternoon. This means that a bus student has only one route (bus) that they can be picked up on in the morning and only one route (bus) they will be on in the evening for the entire year. Students may not change that morning or evening bus now that it has been established unless the child moves.

**If your child usually rides a bus and will be picked up from school or walking, please send in a note letting us know. Without a note you child will go home his/her normal way. We will not accept phone calls. We have to have a note form you.**

Please don't come into school after 2:00 and sign your child out unless you send in a note. or it is an emergency. This will help keep dismissal time running smoothly. Thank You.

## Absent From School

If your child is absent from school please call in and let us know before 9:00 am. The school number is 740 922-5641. If we do not here from you we will be calling you.

## Cafeteria Prices

Breakfast—Free  
Lunch—Free  
Milk—\$.50 if not a tray

## Dropping Off and Picking Up Students

The drop-off and pick-up location for students is the Trenton Avenue parking lot. **Do not use the bus canopy entrance before or after school for dropping off or picking up your child. It is also very important that students are not dropped off on Trenton Avenue (the street).** It is extremely dangerous for students to be let out on Trenton Avenue and then walk across the parking lot to enter the building. This is for your child's safety as well as the safety of all students.

Students should not be dropped off or arrive at school before 7:25 a.m. as the doors are locked until then. **When dropping your children off in the Trenton Avenue parking lot: 3 cars can pull up, drop their children off, have them exit to the sidewalk near the school. By doing this, it will allow the drop off procedures to be more efficient and not create such a "logjam" in the parking lot every morning.** If you are planning on walking your child to the door after dropping them off, do not park/leave your vehicle in the flow of traffic. Park your vehicle in a parking space. This will allow those behind you to continue the traffic flow, helping to eliminate the build-up of cars on Trenton Avenue.

## Security System

All outside doors will be locked during the school day. There will be a doorbell (buzzer system) with a camera at both the Trenton Avenue entrance and the Bus Canopy entrance. Any visitors to the build-

ing will need to press the doorbell (buzzer) and the door will be unlocked from the office to allow entrance to the building. **Visitors will then report directly to the office.** Please don't report to your child's classroom, report to the office first. This may appear to be an inconvenience at times, but it will provide a safer environment for our students and our staff members. If you have any questions regarding this new system please call the school.

## Cold Weather

Please make sure your child is wearing a coat and appropriate clothing to school. We will be going outside if the temperature is at least 32 degrees. Thank you!

## Health Information

Please keep your children home from school if they are ill, and do not send them back until they have had no fever for at least 24 hours without the use of fever reducing medication. Also, encourage them to wash their hands frequently and to cover their mouths when they cough or sneeze. We at Claymont Primary are taking all necessary precautions to prevent the spread of germs. It is important to us that our students remain safe and healthy.

## Lunch

If your child brings a bucket and they would like milk they do have to pay \$.50 for milk. Milk is only free when the child receives a tray.

## Box Tops/Campbell Soup

We are collecting Box Tops. The money we earn from the Box Tops will help provide different items that we use here at Claymont Primary.

## Happy Valentine's Day!

