

The Dragon's Nest



October Issue 2020



Important Dates

****Reminder: Every Thursday is an early release day****

Oct 22nd - End of 1st Quarter
Oct 23rd - Teacher Work Day (NO SCHOOL)
Oct 26th - Start of 2nd Quarter
Oct 28th - Storybook Character Day
Oct 29th - Parent/Teacher Conf. (PTC) NO SCHOOL
Oct 30th - 1/2 PTC and 1/2 CSI NO SCHOOL

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From the Administrators

Hello Netzaberg Families!

What an extraordinary school year it has been so far. We have spent a great deal of time on the following:

- Promoting behaviors that reduce COVID-19's spread
- Maintaining healthy environments and
- Maintaining healthy operations

The Netzaberg ES faculty are committed to ensuring that your child has a positive school experience while successfully achieving their full academic potential. This often requires teamwork which includes teachers and parents working together. The teachers have worked very hard to ensure your children are safe and able to learn and grow in their education. Thank you for the role you are playing to keep our kids and community safe. We cannot do it without you!

As we approach the second semester, we wanted to remind families to dress warmly as the weather is becoming increasingly colder. Also, please note that if your child is coming into school after 8:05, they are considered late, and you will need to walk them in to get a tardy pass. We are also discussing entry and dismissal points for 2nd grade based on concerns voiced by parents.

We, the administration, are always available to visit with you. Please stop by the office and ask to speak with us. If we happen to be busy with students or other parents, please make an appointment with our secretary. If it requires immediate attention, please ask the school secretary to contact us via our phones.

We look forward to another exciting semester! Thank you for helping us make Netzaberg ES a great place to learn!

Sincerely,
Arturo Rivera
Principal

And

Hilary Simmons
Assistant Principal



Reminders

Updating Your Contact Info

-Please contact the front office to make sure your contact information and emergency contacts are up to date. Correct information is vital for communication purposes.

Changes in End of Day Plans

-If there is a change in your child's end of day plans (transportation; pick up location or if someone else is picking the child up), then please contact the teacher and front office **no later than 1400**.

Absences

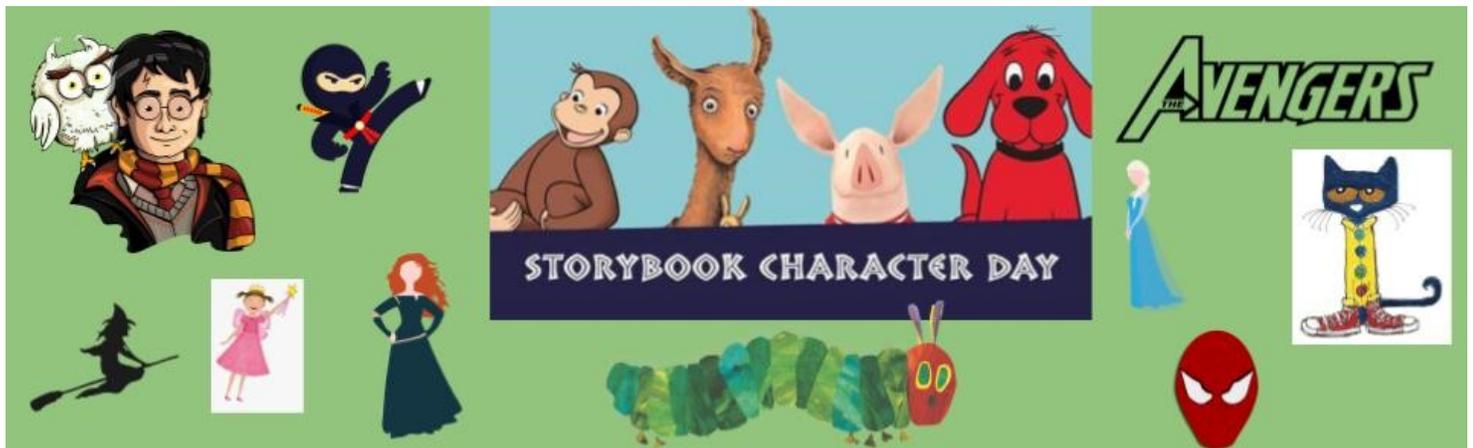
-It is the responsibility of the parent/guardian to report student absences to the front office **no later than 0900**. Please email absences to netzabergesattendance@dodea.edu

School Contact Information

- School Hours 0800-1435
- Office Hours 0730-1530
- Phone 09645-917-9184



Storybook Character Day



WHO: All Netzaberg Elementary School students

WHAT: Dress up in your favorite book character

WHEN: October 28, 2020

WHY: We are fostering the love of reading in our School.

★★ Please bring a book with the character that your child is dressing up as to school on this day.



Parent-Teacher Conferences



FAQ's About Teacher Conference

Q: *When?*

A: October 29th and October 30th

Q: *How do I schedule?*

A: The teacher will schedule a 20 minute conference for each student. The day and time of your student's conference will be sent home with the student.

Q: *What if I cannot make it?*

A: Contact your student's teacher.

Q: *Why should I go?*

A: You will be able to meet with your child's teacher to discuss your student's current progress and know what's in store for the remainder of the year

School Advisory Committee

Dear Parents,

Our School Advisory Committee (SAC) is in need of 2 parent volunteers for SY 2020-21. If you are looking for a way to become more involved in our community and want to know more about what is happening in our school, please consider nominating yourself for membership on the Netzaberg Elementary School SAC. Self-nominations must be received by Monday COB, November 2nd, 2020. If you are interested in serving on our school's School Advisory Committee (and we're very much hoping you are), please send your name, contact information, and a brief bio. Please know that your biographical information will be published on an election ballot. Please forward your self-nominations to both Mr. Rivera and Ms. Simmons.

The SAC represents various segments of the school community: parents, teachers, students, administrators, support staff, and other interested military/ civilian community members. While SAC's are required to meet on a quarterly basis, monthly meetings are encouraged. The SAC functions to help increase student success by advising the principal on educational matters. This involves providing suggestions and recommendations to the principal for the improvement of educational programs and general quality of education and school programs. Such educational matters include:

- * School policies affecting students and partners
- * Administrative procedures affecting students
- * Instructional programs and educational resources within the school
- * Allocation of resources within the school to achieve educational goals
- * Pupil services (health, specialized programs, testing, etc.)
- * Student standards of conduct and discipline

Again, self-nominations and biographical information must be received by Monday, COB November 2nd, 2020.

We are excited hear back from you. As always, we look forward to your involvement and participation.

Sincerely,

School Advisory Council

SY 2020-21



October Menu

Breakfast

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
			1 Egg & Cheese Croissant Grape Cup 100% Fruit Juice	2 Breakfast *BLT Seasonal Fruit 100% Fruit Juice
5 *Ham & Egg Croissant Cinnamon Applesauce 100% Fruit Juice	6 Banana Muffin *Bacon Slices Orange Smiles 100% Fruit Juice	7 Mini Blueberry Pancakes *Sausage Patty Banana 100% Fruit Juice	8 *Pig in a Blanket Grape Cup 100% Fruit Juice	9 WG Waffles *Sausage Patty Seasonal Fruit 100% Fruit Juice
12 *Ham & Egg English Muffin Orange Smiles 100% Fruit Juice	13 Cinnamon Texas Toast *Sausage Patty Cinnamon Applesauce 100% Fruit Juice	14 French Toast Bites *Bacon Slices Banana 100% Fruit Juice	15 Egg & Cheese Croissant Grape Cup 100% Fruit Juice	16 Breakfast *BLT Seasonal Fruit 100% Fruit Juice
19 *Ham & Egg Croissant Orange Smiles 100% Fruit Juice	20 Banana Muffin *Bacon Slices Orange Smiles 100% Fruit Juice	21 Mini Blueberry Pancakes *Sausage Patty Banana 100% Fruit Juice	22 *Pig in a Blanket Grape Cup 100% Fruit Juice	23 WG Waffles *Sausage Patty Seasonal Fruit 100% Fruit Juice
26 *Ham & Egg English Muffin Orange Smiles 100% Fruit Juice	27 Cinnamon Texas Toast *Sausage Patty Cinnamon Applesauce 100% Fruit Juice	28 French Toast Bites *Bacon Slices Banana 100% Fruit Juice	29 Egg & Cheese Croissant Grape Cup 100% Fruit Juice	30 WG Donut *Sausage Patty Seasonal Fruit 100% Fruit Juice

Lunch

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
			1 Chicken & Rice Bowl Parmesan Broccoli Pineapple Tidbits Chocolate Chip Cookie	2 Hamburger Cheeseburger Ranch Fries Seasonal Fruit
5 Popcorn Chicken Dinner Roll <i>(MS/HS Only)</i> Seasoned Green Peas Orange Smiles	6 Broccoli Cheese Soup w/ *BLT Sandwich Green Apple Slaw Fresh Apple	7 **Pepperoni Pizza Cheese Pizza Dark Green Side Salad Mandarin Orange Cup	8 Crispy Chicken Sliders Ranchero Beans Banana Chocolate Chip Cookie	9 Spaghetti w/Meatsauce Dinner Roll <i>(MS/HS Only)</i> Baby Carrot Dippers Seasonal Fruit
12 BBQ Chicken Wings Warm Flatbread Popcorn Chicken <i>(SS Only)</i> Baked Beans Grape Cup	13 Cheesy Breadsticks w/Marinara <i>(MS/HS Only)</i> 5-Cheese Panini <i>(ES/SS Only)</i> Cucumber/Tomato Salad Banana	14 Chicken Alfredo Warm Flatbread Parmesan Broccoli Peach Slices	15 BBQ Chicken Wings *Mini Corn Dogs <i>(SS Only)</i> Sweet Potato Fries Pineapple Tidbits Chocolate Chip Cookie	16 Hamburger Cheeseburger French Fries Seasonal Fruit
19 Chicken & Waffles Seasoned Green Beans Orange Smiles	20 Chicken Drumstick Dinner Roll Ranchero Beans Banana	21 **Pepperoni Pizza Cheese Pizza Dark Green Side Salad Mandarin Orange Cup	22 Beef Fingers w/Gravy Cornbread <i>(HS Only)</i> Honey Glazed Carrots Apple Chocolate Chip Cookie	23 Grilled Chicken Sandwich Seasoned Corn Seasonal Fruit
26 *Italian Meatball Sub Baked Beans Grape Cup	27 Macaroni & Cheese Cherry Tomato Dippers Banana	28 *Mini Corn Dogs Fresh Cauliflower & Carrots Peach Slices	29 Chicken & Rice Bowl Parmesan Broccoli Pineapple Tidbits Chocolate Chip Cookie	30 Hamburger Cheeseburger Ranch Fries Seasonal Fruit