



East Derry Elementary School

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Dates to Remember

- Dec. 6 – Kindergarten Field Trip to Ice Festival
- Dec. 6 – Pajamas for Pajama Drive Due
- Dec. 13 – Little Caesar Fundraiser pick-up 3:15 – 5:30
- Dec. 18 – Christmas Concert 10:00am
- Dec. 19 – Kindergarten & First Grade Polar Express
- Dec. 20 – Class Christmas Parties
- Dec. 23 – Jan. 3 Christmas Break
- Jan. 6 – Start back after break.
- Jan. 17 – Act. 80 Day
- Feb. 19 – Spring Picture Day



Christmas Concert

The Annual East Derry Elementary Christmas Concert will be held on **Wednesday December 18, 2019**, at **10 AM** in the school auditorium. Each grade level will be performing 2 selections. After third grade performs, we ask all students and parents to join us in a short sing-along. The students are excited to share their musical talents with you all! We look forward to seeing you there.

Huskies at Home



At school every day your children have opportunities to earn 3RS tickets – We think they should have opportunities to be showing you 3RS behavior at home. Attached to each monthly newsletter will be two 3RS tickets for you to award to your child/children for being **RESPECTFUL, RESPONSIBLE, READY or SAFE at home**. Cut out the tickets, have your child write their name on it, and write your name in “Given by” section. Your child can bring it to school and we will have a special weekly bucket award just for tickets received at home!

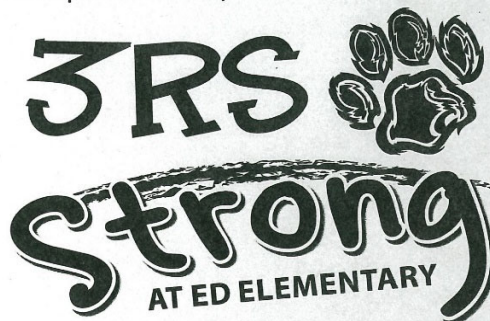
Important Information

Remember to update your Skylert information.

It is critical that all emergency contact information is up to date.

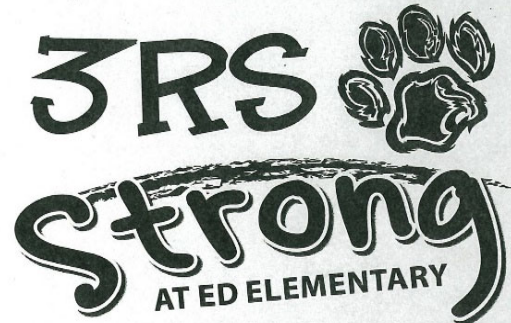
Please contact the office if phone numbers change.

Respectful Responsible Ready Safe



Student Name: _____
Given By: _____

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All visitors must sign-in at the Main Office and will need a driver's license.

The MCSKD website has the following important pieces of information: All Hazards Plan, Student Handbook, Bullying Policy, Curriculum Links, District Calendar, Lunch Menu, CYCLE Day calendar, and much more! Check it out at www.mcsdk12.org

Be sure to submit a "Permission to Give Medication" form for students who need to take meds/inhalers at school.

Students are able to take up to 5 Educational Trip days per school year. Be sure to fill out the form and have it signed PRIOR to taking the educational trip. A report is due to the office within 3 days of returning from the trip for it to be considered a lawful absence.



Cold Weather and Recess

Children will go outside for recess as long as the Real Feel temperature is 32 degrees or above. Please make sure that your child has appropriate clothing for outside recess. If you are in need of appropriate outerwear for your child, please reach out to Miss DiDomenico, our school guidance counselor.

School Delays

If there is a school delay, breakfast will **not** be served. There is no time to do the turn-around between breakfast and lunch on days when there is a delay. The lunch times remain the same. So, the kindergarten and first grade students will eat at 11:15 and the second and third grade students will eat at 12:00.

Home and School News

Our next meeting is Jan. 23rd at 6:00pm in the library. Please join us! THANK YOU to all who sold Little Caesar's Pizza and helped out Home & School and OUR School!

Respectful, Responsible, Ready, and Safe - 3RS Happenings

Visit the East Derry webpage for pictures of our Golden Ticket Winners. Staff members acknowledged students for following the 3RS! November's focus was Compassion and Courage. December's focus is Contemplation. Be sure to follow East Derry Elementary School on Facebook to stay up to date on all of the great things happening in our school.



Notes from the Nurse

When to Keep Your Child Home

Children should be kept at home when they are sick. Your child should not be sent to school hoping that he or she will feel better after arriving. Your child should be kept home following a nighttime bout of nausea, vomiting, or diarrhea and watched for further symptoms. Your child should remain home if he/she has had a temperature of 100 degrees or higher. A child should have a normal temperature for 24 hours without fever reducing medication before returning to school.

Kindergarten Registration

Do you have a child who will be 5 years of age on or before September 1, 2020? Kindergarten Registration will take place at East Derry Elementary on March 10th and 11th. If you would like a registration packet, please request a form from the school office. Copies of the form can also be found at www.mcsdk12.org.

