



Parent & Family Engagement - Student Success

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Title I Tidbits...

A
Parent & Family
Resource Newsletter

You're Invited!

Parents and community members are invited to join us for a District Advisory Council Parent Café at the Catoosa County Learning Center (36 Muskogee Trail, Ringgold) at 11:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M. on Wednesday, May 9th for the purpose of developing, discussing and revising the Catoosa County Schools Parent & Family Engagement Policy. Your input and concerns regarding this policy and how it affects the Title I Program in our school district are very important to us. If you would like to attend this get-together, please contact Kami Leonard, your Parent Involvement Coordinator!

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MARK YOUR CALENDARS... YOU WON'T WANT TO MISS THESE EVENTS!

- May 1st - Welcome to Graysville Kindergarten Registration Night, 5pm - 7pm
- May 7th - 11th - Teacher Appreciation Week
- May 8th - 5th Grade students visit RMS
- May 23rd - 5th Grade promotion ceremony at RHS at 7pm
- May 25th - Kindergarten Ceremony at GES at 9am, Last Day of School!

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If you have any questions or concerns about our school's Title 1 program, please feel free to contact us at any time!

If you missed our spring PAC meeting, don't worry!

All of the information we covered is available on our school website and can also be sent home to you at your request! There's still time to give your input on our Title 1 policies.

If you have any questions please contact me!

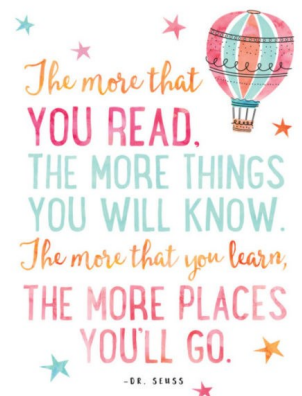
~Kami Leonard~



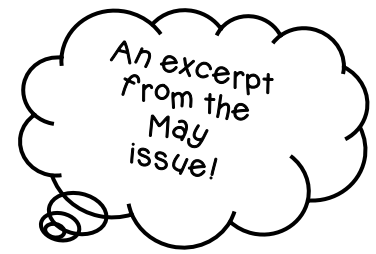
Attached to this Newsletter is a pamphlet with great ideas for summer reading! Encourage your child to read this summer!

Visit the Catoosa County Library for more Summer Reading fun!

www.catoosacountylibrary.org



-DR. SEUSS



Month-by-month learning

How can you keep the learning going while school is out? Try these fun ideas for taking advantage of monthly celebrations! Your child's skills will stay sharp, and you'll enjoy family time, too.

May

Let your youngster cycle her way to math practice during *National Bike Month*. Encourage her to set a goal for time spent biking, and then take regular family bike rides. She can create a graph to track her progress. Perhaps she'll make a picture graph and draw 1 bike wheel for every 15 minutes of cycling. She'll be able to calculate her time at a glance.

June

Inspire your child to use persuasive writing during *National Safety Month*. Together, brainstorm safe behaviors (wear seat belts in the car, stay indoors during thunderstorms). Next, have her make posters with slogans ("Be on the safe side: Buckle up before you ride!"), facts ("Seat belts save lives"), and photos of family members following the rule.

July

Celebrate *National Park and Recreation Month* by exploring nature. Visit local parks, and have your youngster record her observations and use them to design field guides. Take along paper and colored pencils so she can sketch and label plants and animals, describe streams, or map out trails.

August

Build communication skills with *National Radio Day*. Challenge your child to "launch" a radio station. She should think about her audience and purpose - who her listeners would be and the type of programming they would want. Now she can develop scripts and record broadcasts!



Title 1 information can be found on our school website at

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Please check the website for important dates, upcoming events, instructional videos, and information on how to help your child succeed!