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Monthly Newsletter

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PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES

Monday, March 7 - 4:00-7:30pm (CFHS only) Tuesday, March 8 - 4:00-7:30pm (Peet/Holmes) Thursday, March 10 - 12:30-7:30pm (Peet/Holmes/CFHS)

We will have an 11:30am dismissal on Thursday, March 10th.

Friday, March 11 - No School

More information to come regarding Spring Parent-Teacher Conferences.

WEATHER DELAYS/ BUS SCHEDULE

If there is a weather related delay, we will run a Monday school day schedule, with classes starting at 9:30am (90-minutes late).

Buses will be run 90-minutes later than a Tuesday-Friday bus schedule. *Not a Monday 90-minute late start bus schedule.*

The chart for the 90-minute weather related bus schedule be found HERE.

SCHOOL HOURS DROP-OFF TIMES

Tuesday-Friday: 8:00am-3:00pm Please do not drop students off before 7:45am unless they plan to eat breakfast at 7:35am

Monday: 9:30am-3:00pm Please do not drop students off before 9:15am unless they plan to eat breakfast at 9:05am

School Day Schedule

Bus pick-up times for Mondays can be found **HERE**.

GOLD STAR NOMINATIONS

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The nominations for the 2022 Gold Star Award for Outstanding Teaching are now open!

Do you have a teacher who has made an impact in your life? Someone who has gone above and beyond as an educator?

If so, send in a nomination! Your favorite teacher could be honored at a flashy award ceremony and win \$1,000 for their hard work!

Nominations are due by midnight on February 20th, so submit yours <u>online_today!!</u>





IOWA STATEWIDE ASSESSMENT of STUDENT PROGRESS

ISASP 2022

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Iowa Statewide Assessment of Student Progress
– formally known as: Iowa Assessments or ITBS

This year will be the third year of state wide assessments through the Iowa Statewide Assessment of Student Progress (ISASP) – formally known as: Iowa Assessments or ITBS. The testing will all be done on student Chromebooks. Iowa Assessments will tentatively be the week of March 28th, and the schedule for testing will be similar to years past. We will have 2 hour test blocks each morning with a break in between each test.

All tests will be untimed, so any student who needs more time to finish each test will be allowed to do so. You will also not need to bring a calculator as that will be available on the Chromebook. Teachers have and will continue to prepare students for these tests, as we are doing our best to set all students up for success.

On these test days, student will need to bring:

- Chromebooks FULLY charged! All testing will be done on the student Chromebook, so make sure it is charged the night before.
- A book to read if finished early from testing. No phones, watches, or electronics of any kind will be allowed during the testing time, and students will not be allowed to be on Chromebooks when not testing.
- Each students best effort! These tests are important for future success and to help us schedule students in the correct classes for next year. Don't be nervous, just do your best!

FOR YOUR CALENDAR

No School - Professional Development Day End of Trimester 2 Parent-Teacher Conferences - 4:00-7:30pm 11:30am Dismissal for secondary - PT Conf Parent-Teacher Conferences - 12:30-7:30pm No School - Conference Compensation Day No School - Spring Break Spring Midterm ISASP (State Testing) - tentative dates No School - Memorial Day Last Day of School (tentative) Teacher Workday (tentative)

A/B Day Calendar

February 18 February 25 March 8 March 10 March 10 March 11 March 14-18 March 25 March 29-30 May 30 May 31 June 1

22-23 SCHEDULING CALENDAR

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7th to 8th Scheduling:

- Wednesday, January 26th: Classroom Presentations
- <u>Scheduling sheets</u> due in the cafeteria before school Wednesday, February 2nd
- No parent meeting

8th to 9th Scheduling:

- Thursday, January 27th: Classroom Presentations
- 8th to 9th Orientation:
 - Tuesday, January 25th @ 7:00pm
- Scheduling sheets due in the cafeteria before school Thursday, February 3rd

9th to 10th Scheduling:

- Parent Meeting: Monday, January 31st, 7PM
- Tuesday, Feb. 1st: Classroom presentation by CFHS Counselors
- Scheduling sheets due in the cafeteria before school Tuesday, February 8th
- Tuesday, Feb. 15th: Scheduling in Powerschool
- 9th to 10th Orientation @ CFHS: TBD