

January 9, 2023
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CONTACT



Dates to remember this week:

Tues: MS Basketball 4:00 vs Bellingham
NWYBL – CCS Boys V – 7:00pm
CCS Girls V – 9:00pm

Thurs: NWYBL – CCS JV Girls – 5:00pm
CCS JV Boys – 6:00pm

Next Mon: No School – Martin Luther King Day

School Theme: 'Flourishing In Christ'

Welcome to the first full week of 2023. We trust you all had an enjoyable break from regular schedules and are refreshed and ready to take on the rest of the school year.

The students and staff are to be commended with the great job they did at the Christmas program on Friday evening. It was an enjoyable event that we are glad we could finally perform for you. Great job to everyone involved for a really nice evening celebrating our Lord and Savior.

Congratulations to Katelyn, Mica, Blake, Jaymie, Seth, Jill, Megan & Chloe who all professed their faith in their respective churches yesterday. We pray the Lord continues to guide you and that you will be a light for Him shining in this world.

Birthday Greetings: Happy Birthday to Noelle B & Jace K who are celebrating their birthdays today! And to Joel P & Tucker H who will celebrate on Thursday. Many blessings to you all in the coming year.

Quarter 2 for the high school will be finishing up this week! Strive for your best to finish this quarter strong.

Happening this week.....

Tues: MS Basketball vs Bellingham - Girls 4:00 & Boys – 5:15ish
NWYBL – CCS Boys V – 7:00pm
CCS Girls V – 9:00pm

Thurs: NWYBL – CCS JV Girls – 5:00pm
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Next Monday: No School Martin Luther King Day

Memory Work for Jan. 13 Grade 1: Ps. 124:1 Grade 2: Ps. 95:5 Grade 3: Ps. 96:1 Grade 4: Ps. 141:2 Grade 5: Ps. 90:1 Grade 6: Ps. 86:4 Grade 7: Ps. 48:1 Grade 8: Ps. 49:1	Memory Work for Jan. 20 Grade 1: Ps. 42:1 Grade 2: Ps.127:1 Grade 3: Ps. 109:13 Grade 4: Ps. 107:2 Grade 5: Ps. 78:1 Grade 6: Ps. 143:5 Grade 7: Col. 3:14-17 Grade 8: Col. 3:14-17
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TTC Driving
Freshman Carpool:
 Monday – Fiona H & Kari V
 Wednesday – Katrina L & Bethany V
Sophomore Carpool:
Thurs To: Kathleen S **From:** Bea K
Fri: To: Kathleen S **From:** Karen DeMooy

Next Week TTC Driving
Freshman Carpool:
 Monday – No School
 Wednesday– Kelli K & Kaylene H
Sophomore Carpool:
Thurs: To & From: Bea K
Fri: To & From: Rachel Dykstra

Northwest Christian Middle School Basketball League						
Basketball Schedule 2023						
Bellingham Christian, Cornerstone Christian, Ebenezer Christian						
Week	Day	Date	Home Team		Away Team	Time
1	Tuesday	10-Jan	Cornerstone	v	BCS Blue	4:00
2	Thursday	19-Jan	Cornerstone	v	BCS White	4:00
3	Tuesday	24-Jan	Ebenezer	v	Cornerstone	4:00
5	Thursday	9-Feb	Skagit	v	Cornerstone	4:00
6	Tuesday	14-Feb	BCS White	v	Cornerstone	4:00
7	Wednesday	22-Feb	Cornerstone	v	Ebenezer	4:30

General News

Upcoming Dates:
 Dec.20 – Christmas Program
 21 – Last Day Of 2022
 Dec. 22- Jan. 4 –Christmas Break
 Jan.5 – First Day of 2023
 Jan.16 – Martin Luther King Day

From The Cleaning Lady
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This Week's Cleaners (Jan. 9 – Jan 13)
 Sharon V, Ang D, Bea K, Trina V

Next Week Cleaners (Jan. 16 – Jan 20)
 Sara D, Crystal G, Kari V, Michelle Van

Grade 1/2

~~ Note from Mrs. Kruyswijk ~~

We are thankful we could perform the program Friday night! Thank you for your attendance, participation, and support for the memorable evening!

BIBLE

Monday - Short assembly by Mr. Chase and Intro to Bible Memory for this week

Tuesday - The Jealous Brother - Luke 15:11-32

Wednesday - The Great Feast - Luke 14:6-24

Thursday - Two Houses - Matthew 7:24-27

Friday - Bible Memory - See earlier in the Contact for the songs, review at home as needed please!

MATH 1

Clocks, Even and Odd, Dimes and Pennies, Shapes

MATH 2

Two- digit addition with and without regrouping, $8+1+8+9=$ _____type of problems, 3 feet = ___ yards. Using quarters, dimes, nickels, and pennies

HISTORY

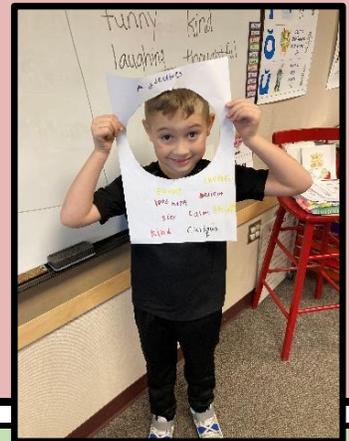
13 Colonies

ART

We hope to make a huge painting for our classroom wall!

MUSIC

The story of J.S. Bach



~~ Note from Mrs. Kooiker ~~

I hope you all had a wonderful Christmas break! We are getting settled back into our school routines. It was so great to see the students again on Thursday and Friday and pick up again in our school work! With the full week this week, we will begin spelling tests again. Words are listed below for practicing at home.

1st Grade:

VoWac Phonics: Lessons 65-69 (initial blends)

Spelling: drum, grab, brick, crab, truck, press, crop, drill, brush, crutch, of, was

Stories: "The Itsy, Bitsy Spider," Winter books

Grammar, Usage, Mechanics: past tense verbs, adjectives, possessive nouns

Writing: Write a sentence with describing words

2nd Grade:

VoWac Phonics: Lessons 163 – 165 (R controlled syllables, open/closed with consonant -le syllables) end of unit test

Spelling List 1: artist, order, garden, forest, orbit, market, forget, morning, harvest, arch, some, been, come, month

Spelling List A: words, not, what, been, all, were, some, when, come

Stories: "How The Guinea Fowl Got Her Spots," "How to Hide an Octopus"

Vocab: compound words, verbs, suffixes

Grammar, Usage, Mechanics: Question sentences

Writing: Use exact nouns

Absent email: absent@cornerstoneschool.us

CCS is a Cashew & Pistachio Free Zone!

Grade 3/4

~~ Note from Miss Kingma ~~

Students did such a wonderful job at the Christmas program on Friday. All the time and effort put in really paid off. In the week ahead of us, we look forward to getting back into the routine of things in the classroom. This includes going back to reading at home every night. Please make sure you are signing your child's agenda so I know they are reading. Have a fantastic week.

Bible (¾):

Mon: two parables about riches and Jesus raising Lazarus

Tues: the aftermath of Jesus' miracle

Wed: the Pharisee and the publican

Thurs: the laborers in the vineyard

Fri: Bartimaeus and Zaccheus

Math(3):

Mon: fact assessment of -2, written assessment, follow a recipe, set a dial and determine elapsed time

Tues: identify the missing addend in a some, some more story

Wed: subtract two-digit numbers

Thurs: writing numbers to 1,000 using words

Fri: add and subtract multiples of 100

Language Arts (3):

Spelling: long /u/ and /oo/ sound

Reading: Cloak for a Dreamer and Picasso

Writing: persuasive essays

Handwriting: introducing uppercase cursive

Grammar: commas and adjectives

History (¾): daily life in ancient Greece

PE (¾): Tuesday and Thursday



~~ Note from Mrs. Tiemeyer ~~

Trusting everyone had a good and relaxing break over Christmas and New Year's! How nice it was to ease back into school with only two days of school last week!

Here are our fourth grade plans for the first full week back to school:

Story: The Bridge Dancers

Comprehension: Making Connections, Visualizing, Predicting

Spelling: Compound Words

Vocabulary: Metaphors

Writing: Making Comparisons

~~ Note from Mr. Houweling ~~

Grade 4 Mathematics

Welcome back to school. I hope your New Year's Resolution included something about keeping up to date with your math lessons and corrections 😊

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
L60	Inv 6	L61	L62	Test 11 L51-55

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Grade 5/6

~~ Note from Mrs. Van Hofwegen ~~

I hope everyone had a wonderful Christmas Break and enjoyed time with family and friends! This week is a full week. The students did an amazing job on the Christmas Program! What a joy to listen to the students sing!

In reading, students should be reading at least 20 minutes each night (preferably a chapter book). There will be a vocabulary quiz on Thursday. Students need to study from their vocabulary sheet. In math, some students need to continue practicing their math facts. In science, we are starting a new unit on Investigating Cells. For writing, students will be working on a poetry packet. It's important that they make sure they fill it out completely; it will be due in a couple of weeks. I hope everyone has a wonderful week

Monday

- o Memory Work: 5th Psalm 90:1 and 6th Psalm 86:4
- o Devotions: Lleyton
- o Bible: Joash, King of Judah
- O Math: Lesson 60
- o Word Sort
- o Reading: Pages in My Head, "Folktales" and "Mr. Wolf Makes a Failure"
- o Writing: Poetry Packet
- o PE
- o Science: New unit, Investigating Cells

Tuesday

- o Devotions: Jude
- o Bible: Joash, King of Judah
- o Math: Investigation 6
- o Grammar: Worksheet 13
- o Reading: Pages in My Head, "Folktales" and "Mr. Wolf Makes a Failure"
- o Writing: Poetry Packet
- o Music
- o Geography: Study states, "Rivers of the World"

Wednesday

- o Devotions: Kiersten
- o Bible: Jehoahaz and Jehoash
- o Math: Lesson 61
- o Reading: Pages in My Head, "Folktales" and "Mr. Wolf Makes a Failure"
- o Daily Language Review
- o Writing: Poetry Packet
- o Science: Investigating Cells
- o Typing

Thursday

- o Devotions: Elijah
- o Bible: Amaziah, King of Judah
- o Math: Lesson 62
- o Reading: Pages in My Head, "Folktales" and "Mr. Wolf Makes a Failure"
- o Library: Read own book
- o Writing: Poetry Packet
- o Art: Geometric Design
- o History: Transcontinental Railroad

Friday

- o Devotions: Justin
- o Bible: King Uzziah of Judah
- o Math/Math Extension: Test 12
- o Reading: Pages in My Head, "Folktales" and "Mr. Wolf Makes a Failure"
- o Writing: Poetry Packet
- o PE
- o Current Events: Vincent, Josh, Lleyton



Thank you volunteers who have signed up to help with marking!

Volunteer Schedule:

Mon: 5th & 6th- Bea

Tues: 5th- Michelle/Jessica; 6th- Alyssa/Janice

Wed: 5th & 6th- Kelli

Thurs: 5th & 6th- Lisa

