

BES Newsletter

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As the fall season progresses, we are thrilled to share some exciting updates and important reminders with you. November promises to be a month filled with learning, growth, and community engagement here at Buchanan Elementary School.

This month, our focus at BES is on cultivating a spirit of thankfulness and appreciation among our students, staff, and families. With Thanksgiving approaching, it's the perfect time to reflect on our appreciation for one another.

As parents, you play a crucial role in instilling the values of gratitude and kindness in your children. Your daily actions and words of encouragement help shape their understanding of the world around them. Thank you for all that you do and we hope everyone has a wonderful Thanksgiving!

Reminder: If your child forgets to turn in parent notes when they are absent, you can email Ms. Lena the note @

Lena.mullany@haralson.k12.ga.us

These have to be turned in within 3 days

Reminders

If you change your phone number, please let the school know. We have tried to call several numbers and they have been changed or out of service. This is very important if we need to get in touch with you about your child.

Don't forget you can check your child's grades and attendance in the Infinite Campus Parent Portal.

Please make sure you are connected with Class DOJO to get class information from your child's teachers.

We have had several students calling home / parents from their personal cell phone during school hoursour handbook clearly states we do not allow cellphone use during school hours. This behavior could warrant an office referral. If we have an emergency or your child is sick, we will call home.



Attendance and Behavior Earned Field Trip Requirements:

- Students have 0 or 1 Major Office Referral and 7 or less documented infractions on the behavior tracking form for the year.
- Student absences must be less than or equal to 3 unexcused absences **AND** less than or equal to 10 absences per class period (tardies and checkouts will impact class period absences)
- *Excused and unexcused count for the 10 days.



Nov. 7th Jr. Beta Induction

Nov. 9th Progress Reports

**Nov. 8th Veteran's Day
Breakfast and Chorus
Performance) Breakfast
begins at 6:50 and Chorus
performance begins at 7:15
am.**

**Nov. 14th School Governance
Team Meeting 3:00 pm**

**Nov. 21st Thanksgiving
Lunch
5th Grade 10:30
4th Grade 11:30
3rd Grade 12:30**



