



W. W. ASHURST ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Math Matters to Ashurst Students

Thank You to Mrs. R for volunteering as a crossing guard recently. Her efforts have been very helpful to the children for the last several weeks.

BUS SAFETY: It is illegal to pass a school bus that is loading or unloading. Please be aware that this especially includes the circle in front of the school. **DO NOT** go around buses - for the safety of the children.

First Quarter Parent-Teacher Conferences:

These important first quarter conferences will be scheduled for 25-30 minutes for all children's parents. Notices will be sent to parents for a scheduled day and time for families with more than one child at Ashurst. Consecutive conferences will be scheduled for parents of two or more children in a family. If a particular day between November 4-7 will present a conflict, please notify the teacher as soon as possible. Conferences may be scheduled on other dates as well. (Pre-K conferences will be scheduled on Fridays. Pre-K classes (both a.m. and p.m.) will maintain the Monday-Thursday schedule during the week of Nov. 4-7).

VISITORS: Please sign in for assemblies. If you need to sign out your child after the assembly (before 3:20), please make sure that you sign out the child in the office. The office staff must then notify the teacher before the child leaves the classroom – for the safety of the child. Please do not go to the classrooms for the child.

Free Play Thursday: Students' names have been drawn for participation in the 1st Free Play activity sessions. These sessions will continue through December. Letters were sent home with the students whose names were drawn. Those who were not chosen this time will have first try next session, in January. New permission slips will be sent out for that time.

Calendar of Events



Columbus

- October 9 - Volunteer Training, 2:00 P.M.
 - 10 - SCA Installation, 2:15 P.M.*
 - 13 - Columbus Day Holiday (No School)
 - 24 - CARES Assembly, Friday, 2:15*
 - 27 - Work/Inservice Day for Teachers (No classes for children)
 - November 4-7 - Early Dismissal (1:00) for Parent-Teacher Conferences
- *Families encouraged to attend.



NORTH LYMAN – As a community, we need to continue to work together to ensure the safety of the children. There is a crosswalk on the roadway behind Quarters 13183-13184 in the North Lyman neighborhood. Please be aware, and make your neighbors aware, that in the morning and afternoon, the speed around the curve and on that roadway needs to be slower during 8:20-9:00 A.M. and 3:20-4:00 P.M (1:00 – 1:30 on early dismissal days).



Thank you for your special cooperation in updating your child's registration, medical and immunizations records! Health and safety are a concern for everyone at Ashurst School. It is a pleasure to work with such cooperative parents.

Ashurst Elementary School's mission is to develop competent, competitive, creative, and ethical learners who are ready to meet the opportunities and challenges they will face in order to be positive, highly productive citizens in the 21st Century. Ashurst provides our students within this unique Marine Corps community a rigorous education in a safe, caring, and nurturing environment that produces highly successful lifelong learners.

Ashurst Vision Statement - School and Community working together, striving to meet the needs of all.



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