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MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

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Dear Indian Creek Families,

This year Indian Creek has started an all-school reading initiative that we want every family to be aware of. This school year we are asking all students to read every weeknight. We as a school, must encourage all our students to read on a regular basis in order to be comfortable in their ability to read at any level. Being a good reader is critical for a student to be successful in school and in life. In order to support this initiative, Indian Creek has purchased the rights to both Lexia Learning and MyOn to provide every student at Indian Creek free access to online books. Lexia motivates students to read with individualized language lessons followed by fun reading games. MyOn provides students access to a personalized digital library of books of their individualized interest. Students will be taught at school how to log in on line to both websites. This is in addition to having access to our school library and along with our partnership to the Indianapolis Public Library which allows students access to the entire IPL inventory allowing IC students to checkout books from all over the city. All students will also be taking STAR Reading Assessment five times this school year and will also be tracking their STAR growth on their STAR charts. Please help us celebrate the growth your student makes by asking them how they did on their next STAR assessment. All students will be taking STAR Reading and Math for the second time between the weeks of October 15th to October 31st. Following those dates each student should be able to share with you the growth they have made this year. Together we can ensure that all students are able to read and be successful and both school and life.

Keep Exploring,

Mr. Kevin Kemper, Principal



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Attendance Line

Should your student need to miss school for any reason, please call the attendance line at (317)-964-4405 before 9:00am. If parents need to contact the school with any change in dismissal, please call the office at (317)964-4400 before 1:30pm. Please keep in mind that the front office will close for early dismissals between 2:00-2:30pm unless arrangements are made prior to 1:30pm.

District News

Spanish Immersion Early Application for Skiles Test and Forest Glen (Preschool and Kindergarten ONLY)

Early application for BOTH Skiles Test and Forest Glen (Preschool - Kindergarten), for the 2019-2020 school year will be open November 1 - 30. The application will be available on the [Enrollment Page](#) of our website.

Flu Shots for Students

MSDLT has partnered with Healthy Schools to administer no cost, in-school flu shots for students in grades one through 12 this fall. Shots will be administered in our schools the week of November 5th. Visit the homepage of our school website for details and to sign you child(ren) up.

Parent Resource & Engagement Program Presents Chaucie's Place

Our third Parent and Family Resource Engagement Program of the 2018—2019 school year will be held on November 28th at 6:30 at **the Lawrence Education and Community Center, 6501 Sunnyside Rd.** Get resources and information about suicide prevention and awareness.

Fall Break is October 8—12

Upcoming Events

October

10/8-10/12 –Fall Break (No School)

10/19 –3rd Grade Field Trip NCAA Museum

10/20 –Harvest Hoopla

10/22-10/26 –Scholastic Book Fair

10/31 –Popcorn Sale (\$1.00/Bag)

November

11/5-11/16 –Cookie Dough Sales

11/12 –Veteran's Honor Dismissal

11/19-11/23 –Thanksgiving Break (No School)

11/30 –Popcorn Sale (\$1.00/Bag)

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