



EDGEWOOD ELEMENTARY PARENT NEWSLETTER

PRINCIPAL CROCKETT



June 5, 2023 Quarter 4 Week 37

Upcoming STAR Events Save the Date

June 5

NWEA Make Up TESTING

Students Must Know

All Letters & Sounds

30 High Frequency Words

Prior to June 1st for Promotion

June 6

Spring Garden (Kinder)

Tutoring

June 7

HALF DAY DISMISSAL @ 11:30

June 8

Spring Garden (1st Grade)

Last Day of Tutoring

June 9, 2023

ZOO FIELD TRIP

Edgewood Staff Recommends
Help Us Keep Students Safe on Yard
Please send students to school with a
pair of closed toe shoes.

(No Flip Flops, Slides, or Sandals)

NWEA MAKE UP TESTING June 5th!!

End of Year Retention Notification!!

Students must pass standards based assessments to avoid recommendations for retention. Mrs. Bates is contacting parents of students that failed to meet the promotion requirements. Parents can expect us to review the reason for the retention recommendation. Families will be offered the opportunity for students to attend summer school, complete standards based assignments, and to be retested upon completion of Summer Session to determine promotion. If you have questions/concerns Sign Up Now for A Parent Teacher Conference. They Are Held Daily 3:45 -4:00 pm

Promotion Reading Goal:

- 1) Letter Identification
- 2) Letter Sound /Beginning Sounds/ Ending Sounds
- 3) Blending Sounds together to make words
- 4) High Frequency Words

Promotion Math Goals

- 1) Numbers formation (0-50)
- 2) Counting objects (0-50)
- 3) Basic Addition / Subtraction

Promotion Program: June 16th @ 9 am

Girls Wear White / Boys Wear Black

Recommended Educational Websites & Platforms

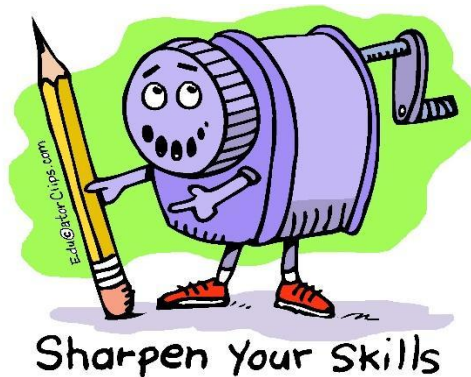
- 1) Gracie's Corner / Sesame Street
- 2) Khan Academy / Abcya.Com
- 3) Discovery Education
- 4) PBS

Use Educational Video Games to Help Scholars Learn

- Letter Identification/ Formation/ Sounds
- High Frequency Words
- Number (0-50)
- Beginning & Ending Sounds
- Counting Object

Promotion Goal: 100% Mastery of High Frequency Word List

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| <i>I</i> | <i>put</i> | <i>who</i> | <i>ok</i> | <i>he</i> |
| <i>is</i> | <i>says</i> | <i>have</i> | <i>said</i> | <i>be</i> |
| <i>no</i> | <i>go</i> | <i>saw</i> | <i>all</i> | <i>me</i> |
| <i>was</i> | <i>are</i> | <i>yes</i> | <i>day</i> | <i>she</i> |
| <i>a</i> | <i>like</i> | <i>good</i> | <i>what</i> | <i>they</i> |
| <i>the</i> | <i>on</i> | <i>that</i> | <i>oh</i> | <i>of</i> |
| <i>do</i> | <i>to</i> | <i>for</i> | <i>when</i> | <i>where</i> |
| <i>see</i> | <i>you</i> | <i>love</i> | <i>this</i> | <i>have</i> |
| <i>out</i> | <i>with</i> | <i>may</i> | <i>has</i> | <i>into</i> |



Last Week for Tutoring @Edgewood Tuesday & Thursday

30 Students are participating in the Title 1 After School Tutorial Program. The program is Federally funded, and our faculty is currently working with students to increase their overall reading and math skills.

Check Dean's List to Monitor Students Academics & Classroom Behavior:

Our Family Portal Is A Great Way to Stay Engaged & Updated

Notifications: Assemblies, Rewards, Snow Days

Two Way Teacher Communication / Progress Report

Dean's List makes it easy for parents to access student data including behavior, attendance, homework completion, office referrals and more on a single platform

Study. Try. Achieve. Recognition. For Success.



FAMILY PORTAL OVERVIEW

<https://youtu.be/LJWdExKmw7Q>

Dean's List for Families website

<https://youtu.be/bS54-TbScY8>

DeansList for Families Mobile App

<https://youtu.be/PofOGNOF0Rg>

BUS Expectations:



A few reminders to review with your child:

- BE Safe- Stay in seat during the entire time on bus
- BE Calm- Use low voices
- BE KIND- Use kind words
- BE Respectful- To drivers, staff, self, & others
- BEHAVE- No play fighting, bullying
- Save all snacks for when student is off bus

To Prevent Behavior Concerns Before They Arise

- PLEASE discuss with your child and your children's teacher any on-going behavior issues.
- Most Common Issues of Concern
- Name Calling
- Play fighting
- Out of Seat
- Disruptive in classroom or on bus

HELP US PREVENT BULLYING with CONVERSATIONS

For your reference Edgewood [Handbook](#)

Ways You Can Help Us Reduce Chronic Absent Rate by 15%

- 1) Make contact with Teacher to Excuse Absence
- 2) Add your child to Transportation List
- 3) Request for Support Services to Teacher or Main Office

Attendance Goal 95% Daily Average Attendance needed to Fund Programs, & Services



EDGEWOOD S.T.A.R.S

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Parents Help Edgewood Students with Social Emotional Learning Goals

- Use the Bathroom independently
 - o Tie their shoes independently
- o Put on cold weather clothing independently
- o Open and close backpack independently
 - o Know their birthday and age
 - Know their address & telephone numbers

Muskegon Heights Sponsored ATTENDANCE Campaign

Great 4th quarter attendance at Edgewood Elementary School wins a special activity and over the top prizes for your student.

Students who attend ALL of the 4th quarter (April 10-June 16) school days will receive prizes. 3 or fewer absences will also be part of prizes and drawings for more! 5 or fewer absences will be awarded a field trip to one of several really COOL places!

120 of our 135 students are still in the for the ULTIMATE PRIZES of a field trip and additional prizes!

Watch for more details and be sure to be ALL in for Edgewood!!

NPFE Grading Policy

Any student who has put forth an effort and completed assignments will not receive less than a 50%. Computer generated progress reports will be completed for quarterly parent conferences. Additional progress reports are available upon the request from the teacher and approval by his/her Administrator.

Grades for students in K – 1st Grade will be assessed using the following scale:

- **40%** Quarterly Benchmark Assessments/Formative Tests/Quizzes
- **25%** Classwork/Projects
- **20%** Homework
- **15%** Journals/Notebooks/KFC

NPFE Grading Scales

F - 50-59

D - 60-69

C - 70-79

B - 80-89

A - 90-100

Partnership Agreement -

MH-Partnership Agreement Meeting

The Partnership Agreement Team had another meeting with a deep data dive to reflect on previous and current data. The meeting consisted of MDE, ISD, Board Members and NPFE staff which was inclusive of the building leaders.

Challenges will come but together improve student outcomes in 2023!!

