



HAMPTON HATTER

Nursery Road Elementary School - Arts Magnet • Home of the Champions!



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Our Motto:

NRES: Nurturing Relationships, Establishing Success

Our Mission:

The mission of NRES is to motivate, empower, and support students to accomplish individual goals within challenging curricula and to develop successful citizens in a diverse community.

Upcoming Events

December 2 - 18

MAP Testing, Grades 1-5

Wednesday, December 2

Virtual MAP

F.I.V.E. Academy Testing Date

December 4

WNRE Live Show

1:35 pm - 2:20 pm

December 14

School Board Meeting

Center for Advanced Technical Studies (CATS)

7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

December 16

Interim Reports Go Home

December 18

Winter Performance (Pre-recorded)

December 21 - January 1

Winter Break



This newsletter is printed with Title 1 funds.

Dear NRES-AM Families,

I hope that you all had a wonderful Thanksgiving Break. It was so great to see our Champions return with their stories of Thanksgiving Break!

I want to thank all of you who were able to join us virtually for the First 9 Weeks Pinning Ceremony that was held on Tuesday, November 24, and our first virtual Heart Act to Follow Ceremony on Tuesday, December 1. It is always a joy to recognize our Champions for their achievements and good character.

I would like to encourage you to not only be involved at the school level, but also at the district level. How can you get involved? Please join in the conversations about Re-entry and Redistricting. These are two topics of discussion currently taking place in our District. The conversation of Re-entry is regarding when is it safe to transition to five days of in-person instruction or make changes based on the safety of our students. The conversation of redistricting is regarding the "redistricting" often referred to rezoning, of students for the Fall of 2021. This will help establish enrollment for the opening of Piney Woods Elementary School. Redistricting will affect all elementary schools in D5 in some way. To learn more about the option for redistricting and to add your questions or comments, please click the following link <http://www.lexrich5.org/redistricting> We want your voice to be a part of both of these conversations.

A third way of getting involved is to join our Board Meetings. The next Board Meeting will be held December 14. Please go to our District 5 website for more details: <https://www.lexrich5.org/>

Be sure to contact me if you have any questions.

Thank you for getting involved!

Ms. Ligons

NRES VISITORS

Pursuant to District 5 policy, all visitors must use Ident-a-kid system which requires a driver's license or state-issued card in order to enter the school.

Caught You Reading Winners 11-13-2020

4K: Ms. Long - Barrett W.
Kindergarten: Ms. Susong - Jennings P.
First Grade: Ms. Porterfield - Jayden D.
Second Grade: Ms. Johnson - Cameron R.
Third Grade: Ms. Gorey - Cameron G.
Fourth Grade: Ms. Jackson - Cayden C.
Fifth Grade: Ms. Rather - Emmanuel B.
Wild Card: Second Grade - Ms. Sizemore - Gigi C.



Caught You Reading Winners 11/20/20

4K: Ms. Long - Kingston D.
Kindergarten: Ms. Jones - Connor D.
First Grade: Ms. Robertson - Daniel C.
Second Grade: Ms. Sizemore - Anjellah C.
Third Grade: Ms. Warner - Charlie S.
Fourth Grade: Ms. Moore - Evan L.
Fifth Grade: Ms. Cummins - Genesis M.
Wild Card: First Grade: Ms. Robertson - Messiah W.



MAP Testing What is Map Testing? (Measure of Academic Progress)

MAP tests are interim assessments that are administered in the form of computerized adaptive test (CAT). **MAP** tests are constructed to measure student achievement from Grades K to 12 in math, reading, language usage, and science. In District Five we test grades 1-5 in Reading and Math.

Below are some tips on helping your child perform their best on their MAP.

Know the testing dates: December 2 - 18

Be well rested: Plan bedtime 30-60 minutes earlier than usual. Turn off video games and computers earlier in the evening.

Eat a nutritious breakfast: As usual, students will be provided free breakfast upon arrival to school.

Be on time for school: Students should arrive on time so that they are relaxed and confident.

Avoid scheduling appointments during testing dates.

Have a positive attitude. Our students look to us to set the tone for the day.

Encourage students to do their personal best!

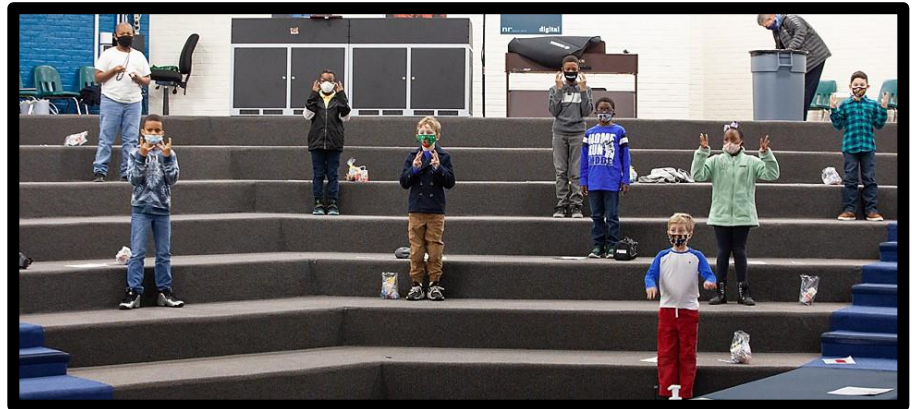


November 2020 Monthly Magnet Minute

Happy Holiday Season everyone!

My name is Lisa Brooks, and I am the Magnet Lead Teacher for NRES-AM! I would like to summarize some of the **AMAZING** things we have been a part of during the month of November!! We were thankful to be a part of our District Virtual Magnet Fair Thursday, November 12th, and had 31 families engage in the NRES-AM page! Several of us were part of the chat feature, and we really enjoyed telling folks about all we have to offer at our wonderful school. Another celebration is the addition of our new Dance Teacher who will join us January 4th, 2021 after she graduates from Columbia College: Ms. Sara Monts! We are **THRILLED** she is coming on board, and cannot wait for you to meet her! I will share more with you in December!

Some Highlights from our Heart Act to Follow Ceremony – December 1



**F.I.V.E.
Students**



**Some Highlights from our
First 9 Week's Pinning Ceremony - November 24**



**Ms. Moore's
Fourth Grade
Class**

**Mrs. Jones'
Kindergarten
Class**



**Mrs. Fisher's
Third Grade
F.I.V.E. Class**

