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JAGUAR NEWS
MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF HURRICANE INTERMEDIATE

DAILY VIDEO ANNOUNCEMENTS
December 8th Orchestra Concert 6pm
December 9th Choir Concert 6pm
December 14th Band Concert 6pm

December 16th Christmas Colors & Accessories Dress Up Day
December 17th Pajama Dress Up Day
December 20th Christmas Character Dress Up Day
December 21st Ugly Sweater Dress Up Day

December 21st End of 2nd Quarter

December 22nd-January 5th
Christmas Break—NO SCHOOL
Hello Jaguars,

As we move into the holidays at our school, in the midst of all of our hectic, busy days, we may want to make sure we are putting some of our energies into maintaining safe, healthy, and nurturing family relationships.

Here are six tips for staying connected:

1. Be available and present. One suggestion is for parents to spend 15 minutes of one-on-one time every day doing what their child wants to do. Follow their lead. Talk about what they want to talk about.

2. Approachable: Make EYE CONTACT (put down the phone) and have open body language.

3. Consistent: Be firm AND kind. Maintain boundaries (hold the line). Follow through—every choice has a consequence: positive or negative. Reinforce desired behavior in the moment.

4. Empathetic: Listen without judging or fixing. Recognize and label the emotion. Say “I get it,” or “That is difficult.”

5. Fun: Move, play, dance, and sing together. Make plans to look forward to. Let kids plan the details.

6. Warm and Nurturing: Smile. Say “I love you.” Have 5 to 1 positive to negative ratio of interactions. Give 8 second hugs.

As we nurture our family connections, we are building resilient kids who can thrive at home, school, and in all of their life endeavors. We hope you and your family have a healthy, happy time this holiday season!

Mrs. Shurtz
School Counselor
Wellness Room

Rationale

A letter to Parents

Self Regulate

Scan Info
FINANCE

Did you forget to pay your student's fees?

CLICK HERE TO PAY ONLINE
If your student will not be at school, please call 635-8931 or email karina.goodwin@washk12.org.

If you are checking your student out of school early, you will need to come in to the school and sign your student out. You must have photo ID in order to check out a student. We will not release students to anyone who is not on your contact list.

District policy allows us to excuse valid absences/tardies within 7 days.