

Bucyrus Elementary Brief

Quarter 2, 2021-2022

Bucyrus Elementary School

Upcoming Dates

Grade Cards Go Home:

Jan. 7

PTO:

Jan. 5

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Martin Luther King Day (No School):

Jan. 17

PTO:

Feb. 2

2-Hour Delay:

Feb. 16

Presidents Day (No School):

Feb. 21

PTO:

March 2

Last Day of Quarter 3:

March 10

Teacher Work Day (No School for Students):

March 11

Winter Tips

Winter is just around the corner. Please be mindful of the weather when you send your child to school. Be sure to check the forecast each day as the temperature can vary greatly from day to day. Layering outerwear is a great way to deal with temperature changes.

When it is very cold, students should wear warm coats with hats and gloves. In general, students go out for recess when the wind chill is 20 degrees or above (provided there aren't large amounts of snow.) If students wear boots to school, please be sure they bring shoes to change into. This is especially important on days when they have physical education.



their teacher to go to their cubby or locker to access it.

--All **cell phones are to be turned off and stored in cubbies or lockers** when in the school. Cell phones usage is not permitted during school hours. **This includes Smart Watches.**

Reminders

--All **book bags, backpacks, and bags (including purses) need to remain in cubbies and lockers** throughout the day. If a student needs something from their bag, they can ask for permission from

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Jan. 7th - 9th



Attendance Policy



Attendance Matters

Every student. Every day.

Attendance is highly important to the success of every student. However, BES recognizes the difficulty of attendance during the pandemic.

The following article outlines how parents/guardians should address absences when a student is away from school.

1. Illness

Students should stay home if they are not feeling well or are ill. It can be hard to determine if a student should attend school. In the time of the pandemic, if your child is not feeling well, keep your child home and seek medical attention if appropriate.

When the students returns to school, send a parental note explaining the absence or a medical excuse if medical attention was sought.

2. Appointments

It is highly encouraged to schedule appointments at a time that is not during school hours. If it is unavoidable, a parental note or a medical excuse should be submitted.

3. Tardies or Leaving Early

When a student is tardy or needs to leave school early, a parental note should be submitted upon the student's return. Tardies and leaving early count as occurrences of absence.

4. Other Absences

For all other absences, a parental note should be sent upon the student's return. Parents may write excuse notes for up to 10 occurrences of absence.

Quick Tips:

In general, absences are either medically excused, parentally excused, or unexcused.

--When a student has received medical attention and a medical excuse is received in the office, these absences do not count in the total number of absences per year.

--When a parent writes off an absence, it is excused but still counts in the total number of absences per year. This includes when a student is ill but no medical attention was sought.

--When a student is absent but no excuse is received, the absence is unexcused.

--Parents may write off 10 occurrences of absence per year. An occurrence includes full or partial absences, tardies, and leaving school early or arriving late. After 10 parental excuses, all subsequent absences need to be accompanied by medical documentation, otherwise the absences are unexcused.

Students of the Month

The following students were named Students of the Month for October:

PK: Claire Stuckert, Abigail Stuckert, Kennity Potts, Brayzen Miller, Destiny Potts, Ace Barton, Otto Barton

Kindergarten: Aria Seyfors, Maxwell Slone, Easton Kitzmiller, Hudson Ackerman

1st Grade: Jordan Weber, Owen Morgan, Jaren Holt, Griffin Pahl,

2nd Grade: Lydia Makeever, Jordan Frazier, Norah Ross, Nithya Huber,

3rd Grade: Kyler McDevitt, Raylynn Blevins, Avy Baldwin, Kaylee Bond,

4th Grade: Lucy Daiber, Anthony Hardwick, Mya Byers, Carter Mills,

5th Grade: Ellyn Diller, Makinsey Weiler, Ni'Cia Floyd, Tiana Netters

The following students were named Students of the Month for November:

PK: Owen Spaniel, Tinley Kitzmiller, Noah Strauser, Lola Wurm, Miles Stone, Laylah Gallinger

Kindergarten: Camden Mahley, Charli Buttermann, Dayzie Davidson, Askiah Adams

1st Grade: Nevaeh Dykgraaf,, Klynn Blankenship, Brentley Hamilton, Jolee Sparks

2nd Grade: Eli Wurm, Eli Gamble, Mason Mosley, Kendrick Jarvis

3rd Grade: Miranda Bierce, Dominic Bloomfield, Kelson Koge, Izabella Zarcone

4th Grade: Kaelyn Cook, Kailey Shope, Wyatt Logan, Dylan Hancock-Rowe

5th Grade: Meelah Marshall, Makinsey Weiler, Grace Clarkson, Camden Redmon

Support Our PTO

Meetings are on the first Wednesday of each month at 7pm.
All parents and guardians are always welcome to attend.

