

W.R. Brown Elementary School



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Caesar Rodney School District

December 2020

Happy Holidays!

Upcoming Dates

Thursday, December 3rd

PTO Zoom Meeting
Zoom link on School Website
<https://www.crk12.org/brown>
6:00 p.m.

Tuesday, December 17th

CR School Board Meeting
Fred Fifer Middle School
7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, December 16th

2nd Marking Period
Interims Issued

Thursday, December 17th

Drive-thru
Culture Festival
6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.



Dear W. R. Brown Families,

We hope this message finds you and your loved ones safe and sound and blessed with the spirit of the Holidays. We continue to look forward to the day when we can open our doors and welcome back all of your children. We miss everyone so much!

This month we are happy to host our second family event, a Drive-thru Holiday Culture Festival, on Thursday, December 17th from 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. We welcome you to enjoy the lights of the season as you drive through our campus. A dinner treat will be provided along with hot chocolate and other yummy goodies. Students will receive a holiday stocking to fill with items as they visit each of our stations. This is sure to be an event to remember.



CRSD Child Nutrition Meal Pick up

Meals are provided at W. Reily Brown every Monday and Thursday from 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. and 4:30 – 5:50 p.m. You can find information on additional meal pick up locations on the Caesar Rodney School District's webpage.

The Leader in Me®

great happens here



Habit 3: Put First Things First

Put First Things First is at the heart of effective self-management. It's the ability to organize our time around the most important things.

To Put First Things First:

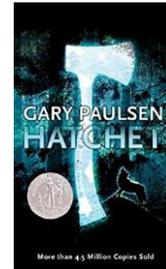
1. Focus on your highest priorities, things are not urgent but are important.
 - a. Important goals, creative thinking, planning and prevention, relationship building, learning and renewal
2. Eliminate the unimportant.
 - a. Irrelevant meetings, unimportant emails, phone calls, social media, excessive television, video games, gossip
3. Plan every week.
 - a. Connect to your mission and goals. Schedule your most important things first then organize other tasks, and appointments. This will help you keep sight of what is important in your life
4. Stay true in the moment of choice.
 - a. Effective people align their choices with their missions, roles, and goals and do not give into the pressures of the moment.

Literature Corner



The Paper Boy
by: Dav Pilkey

One young boy shows great discipline and puts first things first as he gets up early on a cold and dark morning in order to complete his paper route.



Charlotte's Web by:
E. B. White

Charlotte uses her spider web to build an emotional bank account with Wilbur the pig, who simply wants to be friends, and Fern who saved Wilbur's life when he was born the runt of the litter.



Be Proactive
You're in Charge



Begin with the End in Mind
Have a Plan



Put First Things First
Work First, Then Play



Think Win-Win
Everyone Can Win



Seek First to Understand, Then to Be Understood
Listen Before You Talk



Synergize
Together Is Better



Sharpen the Saw
Balance Feels Best



School – Home Connections



There is ongoing transmission of novel coronavirus within the [United States](#) and in [destinations](#) throughout the world.

You may have been exposed to COVID-19 on your travels (domestic and/or international). You may feel well and not have any symptoms, but you can be contagious without symptoms and spread the virus to others. You and your travel companions (including [children](#)) pose a risk to your family, friends, and community for 14 days after you were exposed to the virus. Regardless of where you traveled or what you did during your trip, take these actions to protect others from getting sick:

When around others, [stay at least 6 feet](#) (about 2 arms' length) from other people who are not from your household. It is important to do this everywhere, both indoors and outdoors.

Wear a [mask](#) to keep your nose and mouth covered when you are outside of your home, and including when using [public transportation](#).

[Wash your hands](#) often or use hand sanitizer.

Watch your health and look for [symptoms of COVID-19](#). Take your temperature if you feel sick.

Follow [state](#), [territorial](#), [tribal](#) and local recommendations or requirements after travel.

GLOBAL HEALTH ALERT: COVID-19

You may have been exposed to COVID-19 while traveling. Watch your health for symptoms. Even with no symptoms, you can spread the virus to others.

PROTECT OTHERS FROM GETTING SICK:

- Keep 6 ft/2 m apart from others.
- Wear a mask.
- Wash your hands often.

Close contact activities put you at risk for exposure to COVID-19. If you think you may have been exposed while you traveled, take extra care for 14 days after travel:

- Stay home as much as possible.
- Avoid being around people, especially those at higher risk for severe illness from COVID-19.
- Consider getting tested for COVID-19.

For more information: www.cdc.gov/COVIDtravel