

# W.R. Brown Elementary School



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Caesar Rodney School District

May/June 2021



## Upcoming Dates

Tuesday, May 4<sup>th</sup>

Teacher Appreciation Day

Tuesday, May 18<sup>th</sup>

Caesar Rodney  
School Board Meeting  
7:00 p.m.

Thursday, May 20<sup>th</sup>

WRB Celebrates the  
Great Outdoors  
Drive-thru Family Event  
6:00 – 7:30 p.m.

Monday, May 31<sup>st</sup>

No School  
Memorial Day

Tuesday and Wednesday

June 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup>

Half Days – Remote Instruction

Thursday, June 10<sup>th</sup>

Last Day of School – Remote  
Instruction

Tuesday, June 15<sup>th</sup>

Caesar Rodney  
School Board Meeting  
7:00 p.m.

Dear W. R. Brown Families,

It's hard to believe that the 2020 – 2021 school year is coming to a close! We continue to look forward to the day when we can have all our students back in our building full time! We thank you for your continued support of our W. Reily Brown community.

Our final family event will be held on Thursday, May 20<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. at W. Reily Brown Elementary. We hope you are able to join us and drive-thru our campus as WRB Celebrates the Great Outdoors with you.



## Staff Appreciation Week

The week of May 3<sup>rd</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> is Staff Appreciation Week. We would like to take this opportunity to thank all of our staff for their commitment to our students and community. During this unprecedented time in education, our staff has risen to meet every challenge laid before them. “A good teacher can inspire hope, ignite the imagination, and instill a love of learning.” ~ Brad Henry Love

# The Leader in Me<sup>®</sup>

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## Habit 8: Finding Your Voice

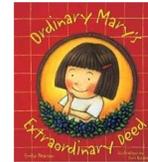
The 8<sup>th</sup> Habit: Find Your Voice and Inspire Others to Find Theirs. We can make a contribution by using our voice in service to others. How do we find our voice? We do that by engaging in work that taps our talents and fuels our passion and rises out of a need in the world that we feel drawn by conscience to meet. Especially in the middle of COVID – 19 stress, let's seek opportunities to find our voice and serve others.

Find your voice is using what you do well to help others. It is part of the 8<sup>th</sup> Habit. Leaders find their voice by using their talents, strengths, and passions to reach their leadership potential.

Choose an activity that matches your talents and passions.

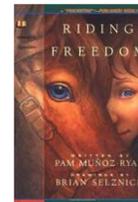
1. Become pen-pals with residents of a local senior center, create a thoughtful card to send them.
2. Help save energy by going green. Ensure unused lights, electronics, and appliances are unplugged.
3. Fight hunger in your community by gathering used nonperishable goods and donate them to a local food bank.
4. Contact your local animal shelter or rescue group to volunteer or donate supplies.
5. Make cards for a sick child in the hospital.

## Literature Corner



Ordinary Mary's  
Extraordinary Deed  
by: Emily Pearson

Ordinary Mary decides to pick blueberries for her neighbor, Mrs. Bishop. Her small gesture starts a chain reaction that multiplies around the world.



Riding Freedom by:  
Pam Munoz Ryan

Raised in an orphanage for boys, Charlotte Parkhurst loves working in the stables and hopes to spend her life training and riding horses on a ranch of her very own. Though Charlotte is expected to live a very different life, she finds a way to live out her dreams with a clever plan.



**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



### COVID-19 Vaccine Comparison

Retrieved from: <u><a href="#">Astho. "Covid-19 Comparison"</a></u> , March 2021.	<b>Pfizer/BioNTech Vaccine</b>	<b>Moderna Vaccine</b>	<b>Janssen Vaccine</b>
Target Population	16 years and older	18 years and older	18 years and older
Vaccine efficacy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 95% effective at preventing symptomatic COVID-19 infection occurring at least seven days after administration of the second dose.</li> <li>• Vaccine is 100% effective against hospitalizations and deaths from COVID-19.</li> <li>• Efficacy rates did not vary based on demographic factors like age, race, or ethnicity.</li> <li>• Insufficient data to determine if asymptomatic infection or infection transmission is prevented.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 94.1% effective at preventing symptomatic COVID-19 infection occurring at least 14 days after administration of the second dose.</li> <li>• Vaccine is 89% effective against hospitalizations and 100% effective against deaths from COVID-19.</li> <li>• No difference in efficacy based on race or ethnicity.</li> <li>• Insufficient data to determine if asymptomatic infection or infection transmission is prevented.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 66.9% effective at preventing moderate to severe COVID-19 infection occurring at least 14 days after vaccine administration globally.</li> <li>• 76.7% effective at preventing severe/critical COVID-19 infection occurring at least 14 days after vaccine administration in the United States.</li> <li>• 85.4% effective at preventing severe/critical COVID-19 infection occurring at least 28 days after vaccine administration in the United States.</li> <li>• Vaccine is 100% effective against hospitalizations and deaths from COVID-19.</li> <li>• Vaccine efficacy was similar across both age groups (18- 59 and ≥60).</li> </ul>
Possible Side Effects	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Injection site pain, fatigue, headache, muscle pain, joint pain, and fever.</li> <li>• Side effects are more common after the second dose and are reported more by younger adults.</li> <li>• Rarer side effects: severe allergic reactions.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Injection site pain, fatigue, headache, muscle pain, joint pain, and fever.</li> <li>• Side effects are more common after the second dose and are reported more by younger adults.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Most common side effects: injection site reactions, headache, fatigue, myalgia, nausea, and fever.</li> <li>• Reactions were less commonly reported among participants 60 years of age and older.</li> <li>• Rarer side effects: post vaccination syndrome and radiculitis brachial.</li> </ul>