

Huntley Hills Tiger News

Dear Families,

Thank you for a wonderful and smooth first semester of school. Our students participated in many educational field trips, STEM days, Perfect attendance celebrations, special projects, and clubs. Our winter holiday break is a few weeks away and the building will be closed Dec. 22nd-Jan. 4th. I would like to take this opportunity to wish each one of you a restful, relaxing and safe holiday.

Thank you for your continued support and the part that you play in making Huntley Hills a great school.

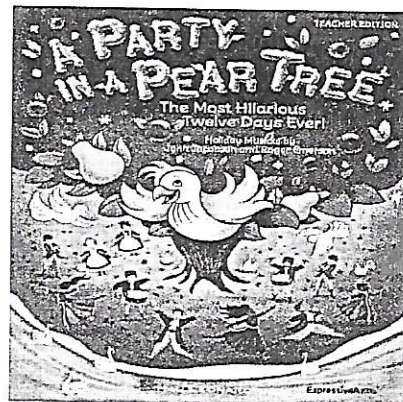
Dr. Mia Ford, Principal

Holiday Program-Party in a Pear Tree!

Join 2nd and 3rd Grade Students as they perform the most hilarious twelve days ever!

Thursday,
December 15th at
6:00PM-7:00PM

Party the Partridge is stuck up in the pear tree! It will take 12 drummers drumming, 11 pipers piping, 10 lords-a-leaping, 9 ladies dancing, and all of the rest of the famous characters from the classic holiday song to get him down.



CCRPI

Every year, each school in Georgia receives a CCRPI score from 0 to 100, with a possibility of 10 additional challenge points.

The 100 points are earned from various indicators that look at assessment scores, graduation rates, and other data measuring students' readiness for the next level of education and progress towards graduation.

Our CCRPI score is 72! The score is down from last year due to losing our "challenge points". The data shows our subgroups did not meet state standards. We are working to improve subgroup performance through tutorial and increasing rigor in the classroom!

Lucy Calkins and Grade 2-5 Writing Assessment (WriteScore)

Teachers continue to use Lucy Calkins for writing instruction. To monitor student progress, students in grades 2-5 took a writing assessment, WriteScore. Score reports will be sent home once received at the school!

Lucy Calkins website

<http://www.heinemann.com/unitsofstudy/writing/>

Social Studies Fair, 1st Lego League, & HH Chorus goes to Six Flags

Congratulations to Huntley Hills' students for participating in the S.S. Fair, 1st Lego League, and



Chorus at Six Flags this past Saturday. I am so proud of the hard work demonstrated by our students in preparation for these events.

MAP Testing-Jan. 5-Feb. 3

Students take their second MAP test in January. A detailed schedule will be available to parents after the break.

<p align="center">Toy Drive at Huntley Hills</p> <p>There is a collection box in the front hallway of Huntley Hill's where those interested can leave donations of new unwrapped toys or gift wrap to benefit the children who are in need, especially at this joyous time of year. Donations will support Malachi's Storehouse, an outreach ministry at St. Patrick's Episcopal Church in Dunwoody, which distributes over 300,000 pounds of food annually to needy families of all denominations. 500 children are registered to receive toys on Saturday, December 17 at Malachi's Annual Toy Party.</p> <div data-bbox="418 451 734 661" data-label="Image"> </div> <p>If your family is in need of Malachi's services or would like to learn more, please visit http://malachisstorehouse.org.</p>	<p align="center">Farewells</p> <p>Nurse Lutz's and Paraprofessional Mr. Stinson are leaving us this semester. Please extend warm wishes and farewells.</p> <p align="center">Remind101</p> <p>During the tornado warning last week messages were sent via Remind to keep parents in the loop. Don't miss out on real time information from the school, directly from Dr. Ford. Text 81010 message @huntleyhil Spanish version Text 81010 message@3ga34. Follow us on Twitter Dr. Mia Ford@HuntleyHills</p> <p align="center">Support our School</p> <p>You can support Huntley Hills each time you shop! Now is a great time to select Huntley Hills as your charity of choice for your favorite store's rewards programs.</p> <p>Sign up today! Amazon Smile: https://org.amazon.com Kroger Community Rewards: https://www.kroger.com/account/enrollCommunityRewardsNow</p>	
<p align="center">Box Tops</p> <p>Please keep clipping for our next submission in January and spread the word to cousins, grandparents, friends and ask them to clip also and give to our school. Don't forget, Box Tops expire so don't hold onto them until you have a lot. We have placed a Box Tops box in the Media Center for easy drop off.</p> <div data-bbox="467 1234 722 1360" data-label="Image"> </div>	<p align="center">Staff Gift Wrapping</p> <p>PTA is hosting gift wrapping for staff Tuesdays and Thursdays from 8am-10am. Please email sheilagillispie@bellsouth.net if you would like to assist or donate wrapping paper.</p>	<p align="center">STEM/Coding</p> <p>All students are participating in coding this month!</p> <p align="center">https://code.org</p>
<p align="center">Upcoming Dates</p> <p align="center">Grades 3-5 Holiday Luncheon-Dec. 14th</p> <p align="center">Holiday Program Dec. 15th</p> <p align="center">Class Parties @ 1pm-Dec. 20th</p> <p align="center">Last day of first semester-Dec. 21st</p> <p align="center">Students return to school-Jan 5th</p>	<p align="center">Happy Holidays from the Huntley Hills' family!</p> <div data-bbox="906 1822 1052 1984" data-label="Image"> </div>	
		<p align="center">Lost & Found</p> <p>Looking for a missing coat or hat? Lost items are in the cafeteria!!</p>