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April 2024 Newsletter

Dear Families,

Good-bye Winter and Hello Spring!

In PE we move from YOGA to the team sports of Kickball. Get ready for outdoor fun! The weather is getting warmer and we are all excited to be outside a little more. Don't forget to send in your child with a water bottle to stay hydrated. Apply sunscreen ahead of time, if needed.

Our students will complete a survey this month in school. Parents (families) you can share your experience as well in our annual survey. Results will be shared at the May PTO meeting. Here is the link to the survey. <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/3QPVPBQ>

With only two months left, attendance is important! In May our final state testing will occur. Attached is an article to help your child with stress and anxiety due to these types of assessments.

We have a whole week dedicated to appreciation of staff, teachers, and families. We are re-registering using the NEW Focus portal as we plan for next year. You will receive information on how to complete this



Our School Yearbook is at the publisher and will be ready for delivery in May. If you would like one, you can go online to order at Pictavo School# 717142 or send in \$25.00 to the office - while supplies last. The theme to the book is Space and Exploration. This will also be the theme for our EOY program and 6th Grade Graduation on May 23rd. Memories are priceless!



Field Trip!!! Grades 1 & 2 will visit the Brevard Zoo on April 2nd. A great way to extend the classroom. They will be treated to an educational program, a train ride, and lots of animals to view. Maria Montessori said, "When children come in contact with nature, they reveal their strength."

PTO News!! Join us Tuesday, April 9th @ 6:30 for our monthly meeting. Come see how you can get involved and support your school. We will talk about the events and activities scheduled for the remainder of the year. Many hands will be needed to complete these tasks. Our week of appreciation begins on April 15th. Teachers are Totally Terrific is the theme which will be carried throughout the week. Attached is a flier to help you plan the week. On Thursday, April 18th is our Family Appreciation and Talent show. Please RSVP so we can have enough food. If your child wants to entertain us, fill out that portion of the flier. We are looking for nominations for our Volunteer of the Year. Send in nominations to Mrs. Turner or pto@educationalhorizns.net The award is not for the most hours, but for an individual who has given ten hours with a good heart and be a good representative for the entire school body.



April 22nd, both schools and offices will be closed for a teacher and student holiday.

Spirit Day is Friday, April 5th @ 9:00. Join us as Kindergarten leads us for the day. Jog-a-thon awards will be given at this time. Please check in the office and have your ID ready for a visitor's badge.



STATE TESTING! Writing Grades 4-6 – Wednesday, April 3rd. Please be on time. VPK, Kindergarten, and grades 1 and 2 will have their final PM#3 beginning on April 16th.

Earth Day – April 22nd. This is a time to reflect on our planet and how we take care of her.

PROTECTING OUR PLANET STARTS WITH YOU

<p>BIKE MORE DRIVE LESS</p>	<p>reduce REUSE recycle</p> <p>Cut down on what you throw away. Follow the three "R's" to conserve natural resources and landfill space.</p>	<p>choose sustainable</p> <p>seafood</p> <p>Learn how to make smart seafood choices at www.FishWatch.gov.</p>	<p>Trees provide food and oxygen. They help save energy, clean the air, and help combat climate change.</p> <p>PLANT A TREE</p>
<p>EDUCATE</p> <p>When you further your own education, you can help others understand the importance and value of our natural resources.</p>	<p>CONSERVE WATER</p> <p>The less water you use, the less runoff and wastewater that eventually end up in the ocean.</p>	<p>-SHOP-WISELY</p> <p>Buy less plastic and bring a reusable shopping bag.</p>	<p>Don't send chemicals into our waterways.</p> <p>Choose nontoxic chemicals in the home and office.</p>
<p>Volunteer!</p> <p>Volunteer for cleanups in your community. You can get involved in protecting your watershed too!</p>	<p>Long-lasting light bulbs - ARE A - BRIGHT IDEA</p> <p>Energy efficient light bulbs reduce greenhouse gas emissions. Also flip the light switch off when you leave the room!</p>	<p> oceanservice.noaa.gov</p>	