



Inspiring World-Class Academic Achievement

November 1, 2024

Parkview Elementary Family Newsletter

Principal's Message

Dear Parkview Families,

I can't believe October is coming to a close already! I would like to say thank you to our PTO and everyone that helped make our Fall Festival a huge success! Looking ahead to November, we have several other exciting and important dates to keep on your calendars! Please see the list for the following dates and activities.

- Book fair
- Parent/teacher conferences
- 4th grade music concert

Thank you,

Sincerely,

Mr. Furlong, Principal



Thank you to PTO, Volunteers, staff and community members for making our Fall Festival a successful event for our students.

PTO: Our next meeting is Tuesday, November 19th @ 4:30pm

Upcoming Events

November 11 & 13

Parent Teacher conferences 4:30-7:30

November 11-14 Book Fair

November 14 Last day of first trimester

November 15

NO SCHOOL-Release day for PTC

November 19 PTO meeting @ 4:30 pm

November 21 4th grade music concert @ PAC

November 23- 25

NO SCHOOL Thanksgiving Break

December 5 2nd & 3rd grade music concert

December 9-11- Holiday Shop

December 17 PTO meeting 2 4:30 pm

December 20 Winter parties

December 23-Jan 3 Winter Break

January 6 School Resumes

Leader In Me

[Leader In Me reading suggestions for Habit 2](#)

Book Fair

Parkview Fall Book Fair is coming soon! Students can shop November 11-14 during school hours in the Parkview Library. The book Fair will also be open during conferences from 4:30-7 on Monday and Wednesday. Online shopping and E-Wallet set up are available on our school's book fair site:

[Scholastic Book Fair Information](#)

[Sign up to work Book Fair](#)



Music Concert

The **4th grade** Music concert will be **November 20th**. The theme is **Veterans Day at Parkview Elementary**. They will start at 7pm. Please have your child at the school at 6:45 pm. **2nd & 3rd grade** Winter concert will be **December 5th** at WHS in the PAC starting at 7 pm, please arrive at 6:45 pm.

Fall Parent Teacher Conferences - IN PERSON

An essential part of a sound educational program is communication between home and school. The exchanging of ideas and sharing of information helps improve the education of our students. **Parent-Teacher conferences will be held Monday and Thursday, November 11th & 13th from 4:30-7:30 p.m, at Parkview Elementary.**

Conferences are scheduled in fifteen-minute segments. If your child works with an Intervention Specialist, that teacher may try to schedule a block before or after the homeroom teacher. This will be a time to discuss areas of mutual concern and for the teacher to show students' progress toward grade level indicators and goals.

Why are Parent-Teacher Conferences so important?

A conference provides an opportunity for you and your child's teacher to become acquainted, to discuss your child's progress, to share information about your child, to plan together for the further growth of your child, and to discuss the school program. Students are also encouraged to be in attendance. The following tips will help make your conference a success:

1. Make a list of questions before the conference.
2. Use the conference to exchange information about your child.
3. Ask for a clearer explanation of any terms, forms, or ideas you do not understand.
4. Share information about your child that may help the teacher.
5. Seek information about your child's social, emotional, and physical progress at school.
6. At the end of the conference, make plans for what you and the school can do to help further your child's progress.

Communication is a key in having a successful educational experience for your child. We look forward to this opportunity to meet with you.

About School Closings

As soon as a decision is made about school closings or delays, the information will appear almost immediately on the district website,

www.woostercityschools.org.

Additionally, local television and radio stations will broadcast any school delays and cancellations, and the school district will call/text parents using the district's emergency and parent notification system.

Winter Temperatures

As the cold weather approaches, Parkview students will continue to go outside for recess, including when it is snowing. Please remind students to be prepared for the winter weather by wearing warm coats, hats, gloves, and boots to school. A few students continue to come to school unprepared to go outside. Students are more alert and make greater gains in learning after the exercise and fresh air which outside recess affords them. Thank you for your help to make sure they are properly dressed and prepared for outdoor weather!

Please label coats, etc.

As noted in the Parkview Handbook, please do not send your student to school with toys, cards, electronics, etc.