

GOLDEN HILLS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Message from the Principal

We have already completed one trimester of school this year! **The teachers at Golden Hills are looking forward to parent conferences 11/14 through 11/18.**

Parent/Teacher Conferences are a chance for you to find out how your child is doing in school and to find ways to better meet your child's educational needs. Please work with your child's teacher to find a good time to meet! This is very important in your child's education! We're hoping for 100% parental attendance!

Please Note: During Parent Conference Week, students will be dismissed early every day at 1:15.



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Attendance Matters!

Parents and students need to understand the importance of attendance, starting in the early grades and continuing through high school.

- ❖ **Your student can suffer academically** if they miss 10% of school days or about 18 days. (School year equals 180 days.)
- ❖ **It doesn't matter if these absences are excused or unexcused.** They all represent lost time in the classroom and a lost opportunity to learn.
- ❖ **Attendance matters as early as kindergarten.** Studies show many children who miss too many days in kindergarten and first grade can struggle academically in later years. They often have trouble mastering reading by the end of the third grade.
- ❖ **By middle and high school, chronic absence is a leading warning sign** that a student will drop out.
- ❖ **Too many absent students can affect the whole classroom** and slow down instruction.



JOG-A-THON

Golden Hills Students will be having their annual Jog-A-Thon fundraiser on **Tuesday, November 1st**. Your donations will go towards student fieldtrips and supplemental classroom materials. Thank you for your support!



Thanksgiving Luncheon

Please join us for a Thanksgiving Lunch on November 18th, beginning at 11:45 and ending at 12:45. If you arrive between 11:45 and 12:10, please collect your child at his/her classroom and let your child escort you to the cafeteria. ENJOY!

Prices: Adult Lunch \$3.50
Child Lunch \$2.35



- **Nov. 1: Make-up Picture Day... Crazy Sock Day...Fitness Day and Jog- a-thon**
- **Nov. 3: ELAC/DELAC Meeting... 9:30 at Helen Wilcox School**
- **Nov. 4: End of 1st Trimester**
- **Nov. 9: School Site Council Meeting @ 3:00 in the GH Conference Room**
- **Nov. 11: NO SCHOOL... Veterans' Day**
- **Nov. 14 thru 18: Parent Conference Week-School ends at 1:15 each day.**
- **Nov. 18: Thanksgiving Lunch at 11:45 in Golden Hills Cafeteria**
- **Nov. 21 – 25: NO SCHOOL (Intersession and Thanksgiving Holidays)**
- **Dec. 19 thru Jan. 2: NO SCHOOL (Christmas Break, New Year Holiday)**

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