



CHARLESTON ELEMENTARY

OCTOBER NEWS

Our **Flu Shot Clinic** is scheduled for **Wednesday morning, Oct 14th** in our Elementary Safe Room starting at 8:00 AM. Flu shots will be available to Charleston School District students and are at no cost. Don't forget to return the flu form if you would like for your child to receive a flu shot. **All forms must be FULLY COMPLETED in order for the student to receive the flu vaccination.**

Picture Retakes for students who were absent on picture day are scheduled for **Friday morning, Oct. 16th**. There will be a \$2.00 fee (must have on retake day) if you want a retake just because you didn't like your first picture.

NO SCHOOL on Monday, Oct. 19th as we enjoy our FALL BREAK!

Red Ribbon Week is scheduled for the week of October 26th. Students can show support for a drug-free lifestyle by participating in Red Ribbon Week activities. Join our fight against drugs!!

Monday	RED-Y to say NO to Drugs	Wear Red
Tuesday	It's CRAZY to do Drugs	Wear anything CRAZY (hair, hat, or clothes)
Wednesday	My future is Drug Free	Dress for your Dream Job
Thursday	Wake up Drug Free	Wear your pajamas
Friday	Drug Free is NO SWEAT	Wear Athletic gear

Nurse LeeAnn wants to remind parents/guardians:

- Be reminded that your child needs to wear a fresh/clean face mask every day to school and also to bring a water bottle. The use of our water fountains are not permitted due to COVID-19.
- A student that has had a temperature must be **fever free for at least 48 hours** before returning to school.
- Consider healthy snacks when sending snacks for your child's classroom. Also, they must be **pre-packaged** snacks with NO peanuts or peanut butter ingredients due to allergies.
- Be aware of the age-old problem of head lice, talk to your child about not sharing brushes, hats, headbands, etc.

Parent/Teacher Conferences will be conducted different this school year due to Covid-19 guidelines. On November 2nd (or during the week prior to Nov.2nd) teachers will contact parents/guardians by **phone or email** to discuss their student's academic progress and to address any other concerns or issues they might have. These conferences will give you an excellent opportunity to be involved in the progress of your child's education. As a parent, you play a key role in this process. A child who knows that his/her family is interested and involved in their education will usually have fewer problems in school and will enjoy greater success.

Attendance Reminder: Call the Elementary School office at 965-2460 or communicate with your child's teacher if your child is absent or tardy.

Check out Charleston School District on **Facebook!** Stay in touch with school district news, various activities, view photos, and much more!! **#wearecharleston**