

Madison Highlights and Happenings

“Everybody learning, every day!”

January 20, 2018

Report Cards

First Semester report cards will be sent home with students on Friday, January 26. Conferences are on February 15 and 20.

Focus on Attendance

Each day during announcements students learn which classrooms across the school had perfect attendance by 8:55 the previous day. Classes earn a ticket for each perfect attendance day and the tickets are posted on the wall in the café. Students are proud of their class each time they get a perfect attendance ticket! Please help by ensuring your child is at school on time each day!

The chart below shows the number of days each class had perfect attendance each month since October when we began this challenge.

Teacher	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.
Mrs. Engelbrecht	6	5	3	3
Ms. Yanda	4	0	2	0
Mrs. McCusker	5	4	3	3
Miss Wright	10	7	8	3
Miss Kamhawy	6	4	3	3
Mrs. Mueller	0	1	0	0
Mrs. Everhart	12	7	3	0
Mr. Casey	7	3	5	2
Mrs. Hand	9	1	2	0
Miss Gerst	1	0	1	1
Mrs. Locke	7	4	3	0
Mr. Fred	3	3	2	0
Mrs. Duthler	4	1	7	4
Total	74	40	42	19

During the month of January we have challenged students with a new attendance goal. “By January 31, 2018, Madison Elementary will average 95% of greater of daily attendance by all K – 5 students.

2018 – 2019 Kindergarten Registration

Kindergarten Registration for the 2018 – 2019 school year will be open on February 26, 2018. There are two methods of registration available to families.

- 1) Online registration
 - a. Will go live on February 26, 2018
- 2) In-person registration
 - a. 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM at Madison School

Teacher Hiring Event

- January 29, 2018
- 5:00 – 8:00 PM
- Educational Leadership and Support Center
 - 2500 Edgewood Rd NW
 - (319)558-2747
- PreSchool – 12th grade positions
- Special Education positions
- Apply Online at www.cr.k12.ia.is/employment
- December and Spring grads welcome!

Alternative Kindergarten Informational Nights

Two Sessions

Thursday, January 25, 2018

Thursday, March 8, 2018

From 6:00 - 7:00PM

Where: The ELSC

2500 Edgewood Rd NW

Cedar Rapids, IA 52405

For questions, please call 319-558-2247

Your child must be turning 5 by September 15, 2018

Support Staff Hiring Event

- February 5, 2018
- 5:00 – 8:00 PM
- Educational Leadership and Support Center
 - 2500 Edgewood Rd NW
 - (319) 558 – 2747
- Positions available
 - Food and Nutrition
 - Para Professionals
 - Custodians
 - Transportation
- Apply Online at www.cr.k12.ia.us/employment

Counselor's Corner

Here is a link to Mrs. Druschel's newsletter.

<https://www.smore.com/jcm3b-counselor-s-corner>

Included:

*Counselor lessons:

-Nobody Has the Power to Ruin Your Day

-What Should Danny Do?

-Bucketfilling

*Upcoming Important Dates

Stay Connected with Madison

Madison's Website: <http://madison.cr.k12.ia.us/>

Follow us on Twitter: Madison Mustangs @MadiMustangs

Madison PTA is on Facebook!

Madison Elementary PTA @madisonmustangpta

Madison PTA email: pta_madison@yahoo.com

Upcoming PTA Events ~

- **January 25 – PTA Meeting – Library – 6:00 pm**

The Madison PTA needs you!!! Join the PTA and support the work at Madison School!!

Membership to Madison's PTA is \$7.00. Forms are available in the office and by sending an email to pta_madison@yahoo.com

January Calendar Reminders~

- **January 26 – First Semester Report Cards go home**
- **January 26 – Early Dismissal at 2:20**
- **Every Friday is Early Dismissal at 2:20!**

Check out the CRCSD Virtual Backpack for information and opportunities for families. Go to the link below to access information on the events/opportunities listed below.

<http://webapps.cr.k12.ia.us/virtualbackpack/FlyerLinks.aspx?school=Madison>

Virtual Backpack items for Madison.

[Take Action! Energy, Water, & Waste Reduction - Event Date: \(1/29/2018 - 1/29/2018\) -](#)

[Healthy You, Healthy Family event - Event Date: \(1/27/2018 - 1/27/2018\) -](#)

[MYFA Spring Flag Football and Passing League - Event Date: \(1/1/2018 - 3/25/2018\) -](#)

[Try Out Music Lessons Today! Free Trial Lesson! - Event Date: \(1/16/2018 - 6/11/2018\) -](#)

[Cub Scout Summer Camp - Event Date: \(6/4/2018 - 8/5/2018\) -](#)