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*Excellent With Distinction*

**Congratulations to our  
students and staff!**

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## **Progress Reports**

Students will be bringing home their 2nd nine-week progress report on December 4.

The progress report for your child is computer generated directly from the teachers grade book. Please look over the report carefully. The teacher who is responsible for your child's grade in that particular subject is listed at the far right of that subject line (darker shaded line). Your child's actual grade is listed in the second shaded line just below the subject name and teacher name shaded line. An explanation of marks you may find in that line are:

A—100%-92%

B—91%-83%

C—82%-74%

D—73%-65%

F—64%-0%

E—Excellent

S—Satisfactory

MP—Moderate Progress

HD—Having Difficulty

U—Unsatisfactory

The information below the actual grade is specific information regarding what assignment types make up that particular grade. Please be sure to check the front and back of your child's progress report as most students have information on both sides of their report. The beige copy is for you to keep for your records. Please sign and return the white copy to your child's teacher.

If you have any questions regarding your child's progress report—contact your child's teacher.

## **Celebration Assembly**

Our first Celebration Assembly will take place on Wednesday, December 9. The assembly for Kindergarten and First Grade students will begin at 8:30 until 9:15 a.m. in the MPR. The assembly for Grades 2-4 will begin at 9:30 until 10:15 a.m. Parents are welcome at these assemblies. More information will be coming home soon.

## **Santa's Secret Shoppe**

Santa's Secret Shoppe will be held on Tuesday, December 8 and Thursday, December 10 in the Library.



## **Christmas Program**

Our Trenton Avenue students will be performing in the Christmas program at the high school this year. The program will take place on Friday, December 11 at 7:00. Mark your calendars for this special day!



## Polar Express Day

Trenton Avenue will be having our first annual Polar Express Day on Wednesday, December 16 at 9:00 a.m. Students are encouraged to wear their pajamas to school on this day (no slippers please). Our principal, Mrs. Davis will be reading the Polar Express story to the students and each student will receive a bell to mark this special day. They will then return to their classrooms to watch the Polar Express movie and enjoy cookies and milk.



## Bus Reminders

Just a reminder that students are not permitted to ride a different bus from their established routine in the morning or afternoon. This means that a bus student has only one route (bus) that they can be picked up on in the morning and only one route (bus) they will be on in the evening for the entire year. Students may not change that morning or evening bus now that it has been established unless the child moves.



## Dropping Off and Picking Up Students

The drop-off and pick-up location for students is the Trenton Avenue parking lot. Do **not** use the bus canopy entrance before or after school for dropping off or picking up your child. It is also very important that students are not dropped off on

Trenton Avenue (the street). It is extremely dangerous for students to be let out on Trenton Avenue and then walk across the parking lot to enter the building. This is for your child's safety as well as the safety of all students. Students should not be dropped off or arrive at school before 7:25 a.m. as the doors are locked until then. If you are planning on walking your child to the door after dropping them off, do not park/leave your vehicle in the flow of traffic. Park your vehicle in a parking space. This will allow those behind you to continue the traffic flow, helping to eliminate the build-up of cars on Trenton Avenue.

## School Fees

Student fees for the 2009-2010 school year are \$25.00. Checks may be made payable to Claymont City Schools. Payment can be made by stopping in the school office during the school day or by sending payment with your child to school. Your child's school fees must be paid in full or a payment plan established in order to receive your child's 2nd nine-week report card. If you feel your child is eligible for a student waiver, you may request an application from the office.

## Health Update

The cold and flu season is now upon us. Trenton Avenue has had no cases of H1N1 influenza that have been confirmed by the Ohio State Department of Health. We have received reports of presumed cases and flu-like symptoms.

Please keep your children

home from school if they are ill, and do not send them back until they have had no fever for at least 24 hours without the use of fever reducing medication. Also, encourage them to wash their hands frequently and to cover their mouths when they cough or sneeze. We at Trenton Avenue are taking all necessary precautions to prevent the spread of germs. It is important to us that our students remain safe and healthy.

## Christmas Break

The last day for students will be Friday, December 18. Our Christmas break is December 21 until January 1. Classes will resume on Monday, January 4. Happy Holidays from the Trenton Avenue Staff!



## Trenton Avenue Elementary

*named a  
School of Promise  
for the  
2008-2009  
school year*

*Happy Holidays!*

