

Summer

Bobcat Bits

Hemingford Public Schools

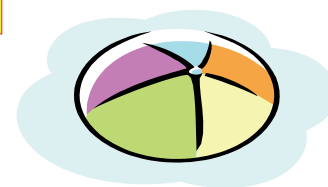
Report Cards



Wow! Another school year has come and gone seems like it started yesterday! Just a quick note to let you know that you can pick up Elementary report cards starting on Wednesday, May 30, 2012. The office hours are from 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. if they are not picked up by June 8th

we will mail them. Please try and stop by and pick them up so we can save on postage.

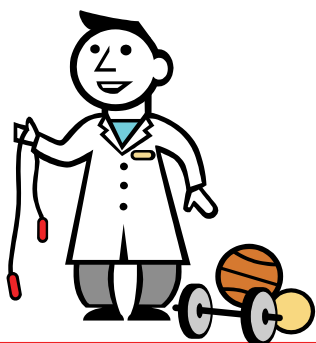
Elementary class lists are posted on the front door of the Elementary building.



Special points of interest:

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- ☺ 7th Grade Orientation
- ☺ Honor Roll- 4th Quarter and 2nd Semester
- ☺ 5th -6th Track meet Results
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Sports Physicals



Physicals for next year 7-12th grade girls and boys will be:

Wednesday: June 13, 2012 &
Wednesday: July 11, 2012

From: 9 a.m.—12:00 p.m. various locations in





Have your son/daughter unplug for a day or two so they can work on their verbal communication skills. Email, facebook or text messaging does not allow face to face interaction or learning how to read body language (an important skill when interacting with any age group.)



During the summer, the school suspends all gaggle accounts, since they are not monitored during this time.

To keep reading skills developing, have your child read the newspaper, magazine, or head for the library to check out a good book. Internet news sources like CNN or US News and World Report are great free places to read and keep up on what is happening (plus we know they like to sit at a computer).

Summer is supposed to be the time for relaxing, but the activities continue to happen at school. Summer School, weightlifting and open gym, as well as sports camps are just a few events taking place this summer.



Report Cards

Going Students!! Look for the honor roll that will be posted in the Ledger.

Student Schedules

The scheduling process for the 2012-2013 classes is almost complete. The schedules should be mailed by mid June or with report cards.

Summer School

- **High School—HS Nova Net** (for credit recovery of one semester) with Mrs. Horn
 - **June 11-22 Letters will be sent to individual students as needed.**
- **Junior High**
 - **July 16-27 1-3 pm**

7th Grade and New Student Orientation

Mark your Calendar--The evening is set aside for 7th grade students as well as any new student to become more familiar with the school and their class schedule. This is an opportunity to walk the halls and ask questions. A parent or guardian should plan on accompanying the student. The date has been set for **Tuesday, August 14, 2012 beginning at 7:00 pm in the High School Band Room.** A letter will be sent out the first part of August as a reminder.



**Sport Physicals—June 13 & July 11
9:00 am to Noon**

Students in grades 7-12 must have prior to competing this fall.

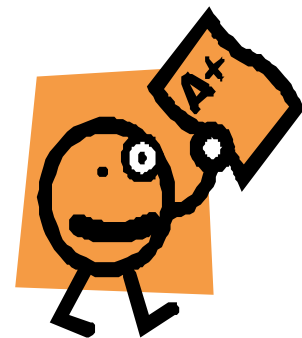


JUNE IS HERE AND SCHOOL IS OUT

It is hard to believe that school has ended for this year. I'm sure there is excitement among the kids at this point, but eventually they will miss not being in school. Personally, I will miss seeing the kids and their smiles each day. I will miss the conversations, and yes even some of the trying moments this year brought. I want to thank my teachers and para educators for all of their hard work and dedication they brought each and every day. You truly do make a difference for kids! I want to wish my 6th graders leaving going on to 7th grade the best. Please continue to share your talents with everyone and show your new teachers what we already know. **You are a wonderful group that has much to offer!**

REPORT CARDS

Report cards may be picked up from the elementary office starting Wednesday, May 30th. If you owe any money for lunch or any other money for items it must be paid before your report card will be given to you. **Please stop and pick them up.**
We'd love to see you!!!!



STUDENTS' CLASS ASSIGNMENTS FOR NEXT YEAR

Students were informed by their past teacher whose class they were assigned to for next school year. These class assignments will also be posted on the front window of the elementary all summer long as well.

BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION

Please remember to save the box tops that are found on many different food items. They allow us to earn money for our school. This is another great way to help our school. **THANK YOU FOR SAVING YOUR BOX TOPS!**

COMMUNICATION

Together we can make a difference for kids 😊

Call us with any questions at 487-3330.

High School Honor Roll 2011-2012 Quarter 4



Student Name	Grade	Level	Student Name	Grade	Level
Casey, Kaitlin C	12	Distinguished List	Benge, Trevor M	10	Honors List
Hansen, Hans C	12	Distinguished List	Bergfield, Kaitlyn N	10	Honors List
Heitz, Kaitlyn A	12	Distinguished List	Irish, Isabella L	10	Honors List
Kaman, Rachel A	12	Distinguished List	Kaman, Kyle N	10	Honors List
Koerbl, Lena	12	Distinguished List	Manning, Daniel J	10	Honors List
Mendiola, Sandra Y	12	Distinguished List	Mracek, Sarah N	10	Honors List
Carlson, Caralina J	11	Distinguished List	Olson, Alexis N	10	Honors List
Wood, Kelsy J	11	Distinguished List	Rohrbouck, Cali G	10	Honors List
Hansen, Blake T	10	Distinguished List	Fessler, Hannah L	9	Honors List
Phillips, Paige E	10	Distinguished List	Galles, Ashleigh M	9	Honors List
Foster, Colt W	9	Distinguished List	Grumbles, MaKayla A	9	Honors List
Rozmiarek, Joseph M	9	Distinguished List	Huss, Layne R	9	Honors List
Wood, Matthew J	9	Distinguished List	Nelson, Kaelia S	9	Honors List
Bright, Abigail F	8	Distinguished List	Rozmiarek, Christian E	9	Honors List
Hiemstra, Madison A	8	Distinguished List	Swanson, Hanna N	9	Honors List
Laursen, Cody R	8	Distinguished List	Horstman, Jacob D	8	Honors List
Cullan, Carli A	7	Distinguished List	Jespersen, Lee C	8	Honors List
Gasseling, Natalie M	7	Distinguished List	Klaes, Kelsey J	8	Honors List
Hansen, Emily M	7	Distinguished List	Randolph, Jason B	8	Honors List
Mekolon, Allison M	7	Distinguished List	Thomas, Brittany D	8	Honors List
Rohrbouck, Faith C	7	Distinguished List	Agler, Ashley R	7	Honors List
Adamson, Tiffany B	12	Honors List	Huddle, Austin A	7	Honors List
Boone, Kayleen N	12	Honors List	Kumpf, Kaitlyn N	7	Honors List
Brakensiek, Christian M	12	Honors List	Neefe, Taylee M	7	Honors List
Carlson, Violette N	12	Honors List	Randolph, Mikayla B	7	Honors List
Starman, Taylor J	12	Honors List	Riggs, Sydney M	7	Honors List
Sutphen, Morgan R	12	Honors List	Sutphen, Peyton J	7	Honors List
Adam, Delaney R	11	Honors List	Turek, Brooke E	7	Honors List
Christianson, Kayla A	11	Honors List			
Elder, Casandra B	11	Honors List			
Forgey, Jayleen J	11	Honors List			
Horstman, Brady W	11	Honors List			
Hughart, Anna L	11	Honors List			
Huss, Samantha C	11	Honors List			
Jespersen, Kaitlyn S	11	Honors List			
Kramer, Kristina R	11	Honors List			
Kumpf, Kyle T	11	Honors List			
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High School Honor Roll 2011-2012 Semester 2



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Wood, Matthew J	9	Distinguished List	Swanson, Hanna N	9	Honors List
Bright, Abigail F	8	Distinguished List	Turek, Brady E	9	Honors List
Horstman, Jacob D	8	Distinguished List	Ansley, Taeller N	8	Honors List
Laursen, Cody R	8	Distinguished List	Hiemstra, Madison A	8	Honors List
Cullan, Carli A	7	Distinguished List	Jespersen, Lee C	8	Honors List
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Good Job!!

Elementary Honor Roll 2011-2012 Quarter 4



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Mathews, Julia Mae	6	Distinguished List
Coryell, Kobe J	5	Distinguished List
Cullan, Luke C	5	Distinguished List
Gasseling, Lauren J	5	Distinguished List
Hanson, Rebecca J	4	Distinguished List
Jespersen, Storm J	4	Distinguished List
Davis, Madison M	6	Honors List
Horstman, Kelli M	6	Honors List
Raben, Paul W	6	Honors List
Wobig, Riley J	6	Honors List
Mazanec, Joe New	5	Honors List
Mazanec, Mercedes Kia	5	Honors List
Mutchie, Ashley R	5	Honors List
Stewart, Josie Joylene	5	Honors List
Anglesey, Melissa A	4	Honors List
Bryner, Isaiah T	4	Honors List
Buchheit, Carter S	4	Honors List
Jenkins, Ashley J	4	Honors List
Knote, Emily R	4	Honors List
Lawhorn, Ariel M	4	Honors List
Mathews, Andrew James	4	Honors List
Neeffe, Rashell S	4	Honors List
Plog, Alexander M	4	Honors List
Robb, Xavier Z	4	Honors List
Sellman, Jake M	4	Honors List
Walker, Jaydon A	4	Honors List
Walters, Elijah J	4	Honors List
Weaver, Shanna Jo	4	Honors List
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Neefe, Rashell S	4	Honors List
Randolph, Gregory D	4	Honors List
Robb, Xavier Z	4	Honors List
Sellman, Jake M	4	Honors List
Stumpff, Jace R.R.	4	Honors List
Walker, Jaydon A	4	Honors List
Weaver, Shanna Jo	4	Honors List
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Congratulations!!



5th - 6th Grade Track Meet Results -Top 3 Finishers:

Results in bold italics are new records.

40			100			200			
1	Cullan	Luke	6.06	Campbell	Korby	14.61	Campbell	Korby	29.25
2	Campbell	Korby	6.07	Cullan	Luke	15.74	Jespersen	Kage	33.79
3	Hiemstra	Mason	6.10	Connell	Mason	15.81	Davis	Miles	34.16
1	Horstman	Kelli	6.67	Stewart	Josie	17.30	Horstman	Kelli	35.83
2	Stewart	Josie	6.70	Horstman	Kelli	17.57	Manning	Anna	37.75
3	Carlson	Lilyanne	6.88	Manning	Anna	17.93	Stewart	Josie	38.49
400			800			1 Mile			
1	<i>Campbell</i>	<i>Korby</i>	<i>1:10.56</i>	Campbell	Korby	3:07	Campbell	Korby	6:45
2	Davis	Miles	1:20.23	Hiemstra	Mason	3:09	Hiemstra	Mason	6:47
3	Davis	Justin	1:21.03	Davis	Justin	3:09	Davis	Justin	6:59
1	Horstman	Kelli	1:27.94	Stewart	Josie	3:58	Horstman	Kelli	8:06
2	Stewart	Josie	1:32.11	Gasseling	Lauren	3:58	Mathews	Julia	9:12
3	Manning	Anna	1:34.89	Manning	Anna	4:05	Stewart	Josie	9:34
Cross Country			Broad Jump			Long Jump			
1	<i>Davis</i>	<i>Justin</i>	<i>11:00</i>	Campbell	Korby	7'6"	Campbell	Korby	13'2"
2	Hiemstra	Mason	11:31	Connell	Dylan	6'1"	Hiemstra	Mason	12'1"
3	Davis	Miles	11:32	Davis	Miles	5'11"	Lashley	Casey	11'8"
1	Horstman	Kelli	15:55	Horstman	Kelli	5'2"	Horstman	Kelli	10'7"
2	Manning	Anna	16:17	Manning	Anna	4'11"	Stewart	Josie	10'1"
3	Stewart	Josie	16:22	Winner	Kelsey	4'8"	Winner	Kelsey	9'11"
				Carlson	Lilyanne	4'8"			
Shot Put			Shuttle Run			Vertical Jump			
1	Campbell	Korby	28'1"	Campbell	Korby	9.66	Campbell	Korby	23.1
2	Jespersen	Kage	26'1"	Hiemstra	Mason	10.25	Connell	Mason	20.7
3	Chancellor	Brandon	25'1"	Swanson	Conner	10.93	Davis	Miles	20.1
1	Manning	Anna	17'5"	Horstman	Kelli	11.33	Horstman	Kelli	17.6
2	Horstman	Kelli	17'0"	Manning	Anna	11.59	Carlson	Lilyanne	16.9
3	Stanley	Kati	15'2"	Gasseling	Lauren	11.99	Mutchie	Ashley	16.1

Have a wonderful, active summer! Remember to use good sportsmanship in everything you do and to eat healthy!

Mrs. G



Open Gym Schedule



OPEN GYM SCHEDULE SUMMER 2012

Monday: Volleyball 6 P.M.-9:00 P.M.

Tuesday: Girls' Basketball 6 P.M.-9:00 P.M.

Wednesday: Boys' Basketball 6 P.M.-9:00 P.M.

Thursday: Boys' Basketball 6 P.M.-9:00 P.M.

Boys' Basketball-Grades 6-8 (2012-2013 School Year) 6:00-7:00 P.M.

Older players will play from 7:00-9:00 P.M.

This schedule will tentatively follow from June 4 thru July 19. The gym will be closed July 4th - July 8th to celebrate Independence Day activities with families.





C O U N S E L O R ' S

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Juniors – Summer is the time for serious college planning.

Scholarship warning...

As a junior or senior, you'll receive offers for scholarship and financial aid services. If they charge a fee, investigate them thoroughly. Education Quest is a tool that you can use that will help you complete financial aid forms for free and will guide you to free scholarship search resources. Go to EducationQuest.org and look under Scholarship Quest. Scholarship Quest is on the left hand side of the page.

Talk to colleges about specific scholarships they offer. You'll also want to check out tuition assistance programs like the University of Nebraska's Collegebound program, and the Advantage Program offered by the Nebraska State College System. These programs will cover the cost of your tuition if you meet certain income and academic criteria.

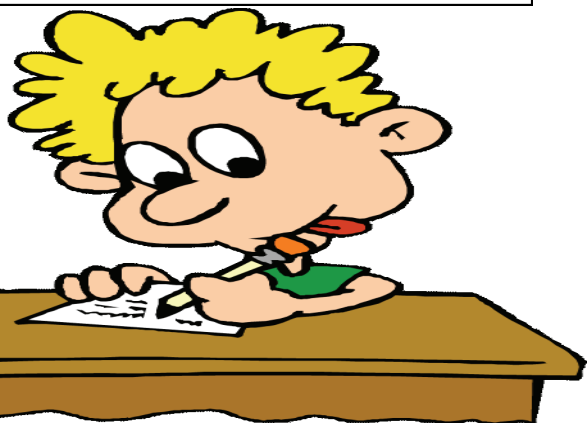
Summer test date for the ACT is **June 9, 2012.**

This year has been a great year with the students. I have enjoyed working with each and every one of them. When ever I have the opportunity to take the students on an outing, we always receive the best compliments on their behavior. Thank you for allowing me to work with your children.

By giving our children a chance to make responsible choices and by letting them learn how to solve their problems, we can provide them with tickets to success. – Jim Fay

I need your help!

Would you tutor me a couple hours a week through the summer and maybe even during the school year? If you are interested, please call the school for more information. 487-3330



There are parents in our school system that are looking for one-on-one tutoring for their school age children. If this is something that you would be interested in, please call Deb in the elementary office. Materials can be made available and location if needed. Services will be worked out between tutor and parent.

Someone needs your help now!

Dyslexia Information



Dyslexia is a learning problem characterized by difficulties with reading, spelling, writing, speaking, or listening. In many cases, dyslexia appears to be inherited. Some people believe that dyslexia is when a person reverses letters or words or reads letters backwards. Those can be symptoms of dyslexia, but it is much more complex than that.

When a person has dyslexia, there is often an unexpected difference between achievement and aptitude. However, each person with dyslexia is unique. Many students with dyslexia have talents in art, athletics, drama, or music. These special talents are often in areas that require the ability to integrate sight, spatial skills, and coordination. Often, a person with dyslexia has a problem turning language into thought (listening, reading), or turning thought into language (writing, speaking).

Students with dyslexia can be diagnosed clinically by a combination of medical history, observation and psychological testing. There is no one test that can give a definitive diagnosis. The diagnosis is made based on the results of all the data. Schools do not administer tests to diagnose dyslexia. Schools do administer academic and ability testing to see if students verify for special education services, but this is different from specific dyslexia testing.

Susan Barton, a nationally recognized dyslexia expert, gave a free, three hour long, dyslexia presentation at the Alliance Library Learning Center in September 2008. She presented this information again in Bayard this school year. She discussed the classic warning signs of dyslexia, the latest brain and genetic research on dyslexia, and techniques to improve reading, writing, and spelling skills. Included in this newsletter is a handout from her presentation. Many parents have asked recently about dyslexia and how it might apply to their child in the public school setting.

If you are concerned about your child's development or progress in school, please contact your child's teacher. The classroom teacher is knowledgeable about the Nebraska state standards and how your child is progressing towards meeting those standards. If a child is having difficulty in school, a parent or teacher can refer a student to the Student Assistance Team. The SAT is a problem solving team made up of teachers and faculty. They observe in the child's classroom, identify strategies the teacher can use to better meet the child's needs, and follow-up to see which strategies have been most successful. The SAT team will also review the cumulative academic file.

If the SAT decides that a more thorough assessment of the child's strengths and weaknesses is needed, they may recommend individual testing. Written parent permission is required before this testing is begun. If you live within the Hemingford School District and have or know of a child who may benefit from special education or related services, please contact Mandy Plog, Hemingford Special Education Director, at 487-3330 for details on the referral process.



Warning Signs of Dyslexia

If a child has 3 or more of the following warning signs, encourage that child's parents and teachers to learn more about dyslexia.

In Preschool

- delayed speech
- mixing up the sounds and syllables in long words
- chronic ear infections
- severe reactions to childhood illnesses
- constant confusion of left versus right
- late establishing a dominant hand
- difficulty learning to tie shoes
- trouble memorizing their address, phone number, or the alphabet
- can't create words that rhyme
- a close relative with dyslexia

In Elementary School

- dysgraphia (slow, non-automatic handwriting that is difficult to read)
- letter or number reversals continuing past the end of first grade
- extreme difficulty learning cursive
- slow, choppy, inaccurate reading:
 - guesses based on shape or context
 - skips or misreads prepositions (at, to, of)
 - ignores suffixes
 - can't sound out unknown words
- terrible spelling
- often can't remember sight words (they, were, does) or homonyms (their, they're, and there)
- difficulty telling time with a clock with hands
- trouble with math
 - memorizing multiplication tables
 - memorizing a sequence of steps
 - directionality
- when speaking, difficulty finding the correct word
 - lots of "whatyamacallits" and "thingies"
 - common sayings come out slightly twisted
- extremely messy bedroom, backpack, and desk
- dreads going to school
 - complains of stomach aches or headaches
 - may have nightmares about school

In High School

All of the above symptoms plus:

- limited vocabulary
- extremely poor written expression
 - large discrepancy between verbal skills and written compositions
- unable to master a foreign language
- difficulty reading printed music
- poor grades in many classes
- may drop out of high school

In Adults

Education history similar to above, plus:

- slow reader
- may have to read a page 2 or 3 times to understand it
- terrible speller
- difficulty putting thoughts onto paper
 - dreads writing memos or letters
- still has difficulty with right versus left
- often gets lost, even in a familiar city
- sometimes confuses b and d, especially when tired or sick

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Summer Time

Congratulations to our student/athletes for another successful year in Bobcat athletics. As we eagerly jump into a summer away from the rigors of the classroom we will take the week of May 28 through June 1st to recharge our batteries and receive some well deserved rest and recovery. Beginning Monday, June 4 we will start our summer conditioning and open gym schedule. Below is an overview of our summer offerings to help us become better athletes and players.

** Weight room: 6-8 am Monday - Friday
6-8 pm Monday - Thursday

The weight room will be open starting June 4th and will remain open until approximately July 20th when the coaches will be gone to their annual clinic. It will then reopen around August 1st until the start of fall practices. Signs will be posted in the locker rooms with further information.

** Open Gyms: To Be Announced

Due to summer construction projects scheduled for upgrades to our facilities we will announce Open Gym times as they are available to our athletes. We will make sure times are posted in the Hemingford Ledger.

** Physicals: Wednesday, June 13th
Wednesday, July 11th

Physicals for all students grade 7-11 will be given on these two days. They will run from 9 am - 12:00 pm. Cost will be \$20.

Sincerely,

Coach Hiemstra
PE/Strength & Conditioning/Boy's Basketball/Co-Head Football



THIS SUMMER AT THE CAT SHACK

Spanish Culture Program - Kids of all ages can learn more about Spanish culture and explore the language through the Spanish Culture Program at the Cat Shack. Possible activities include learning and understanding conversational Spanish, making traditional Mexican dishes, constructing piñatas, playing Mexican games, and much, much more! All supplies will be included.

Instructors - Sandra and Karina Mendiola

Cost of Program - \$10

Art Workshop - Explore the basics of art at the Art Workshop. Through this program, students of all ages will learn colors, composition, dimension, shading, and many techniques in order to better understand and appreciate art. Observation will also be incorporated. All supplies provided.

Instructor - Hans Hansen

Cost of Program - \$10

Boys and Girls Basketball Clinic - Refresh drills and learn the fundamentals of basketball through the Basketball Clinic for kids in grades 3-7. The program will focus on skill-building as well as teamwork and will take advantage of the Hemingford Youth Center's new basketball court. Boys and Girls camps will be separate.

Cost of Program - \$20

Dancing Workshop - Discover the moves and grooves of jazz dancing during the Dancing Workshop. Kids in grades K-6 will be able to learn the basics of dance, how to recognize and use the rhythm, and the steps to become a better dancer.

Instructor – Katee Folkerts

Cost of Program - \$25

Game Nights- A monthly game night will be offered at the Cat Shack beginning in May. Attendees can play games ranging from classic board games to bunco free of charge with snacks and prizes provided.

Host - Violette Carlson

Parties - The Cat Shack is open for birthday parties and other events of all sizes. Use of the venue is free of charge and donations are welcome. Staffing is provided upon request. Reserve the Youth Center for your next event!

If you are interested in any of the programs at the Cat Shack, contact Rebecca Thompson at rthompson@bbc.net. Program dates are pending but will be scheduled soon.

Hemingford Public Schools

2012- 2013 School Year

Adopted 2-13-12

August 2012						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

First Semester

Aug 13 Fall Sports Practice Begins

Aug 20-21 Beginning of School Teacher Work Days

Aug 22 *First Day for Students 8:20 AM - 1:00PM*

Aug 23-24 Regular Classes

Sept 3 **NO SCHOOL - Labor Day Weekend**

January 2013						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1	2	3	4	5
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27	28	29	30	31		

Oct 23 *End of First Quarter -44 Days*

Oct 24 *Beginning of 2nd Quarter*

Oct 30 **Dismiss for Conferences 1:00 PM**

Oct 30 Parent/Teacher Conferences 2:00-8:00PM

Oct 31 **NO SCHOOL-Assessment Day- 8:00-Noon**

September 2012						
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Nov 1-2 **NO SCHOOL - Fall Break**

Nov 21-23 **NO SCHOOL-Thanksgiving Break**

February 2013						
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24	25	26	27	28		

Dec 21 **Dismiss for Christmas 1:00 PM**

Dec 22-Jan 1 **NO SCHOOL-Christmas Break**

Jan 2 *School Resumes*

October 2012						
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21	22	23	24	25	26	27
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JAN 1 *End of 2Q -45 Days & 1Sem-89 Days*
First Semester = 89 Student Days & 92 Teacher Days

March 2013						
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17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

Second Semester

Jan 14 *Begin Second Semester/3rd Q*

Feb 15 **No School -- Mid Winter Break**

Feb 18 Teacher Inservice -- All Day

November 2012						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

Mar 18 *End of 3rd Q - 44 Days*

Mar 19 *Beginning of 4th Quarter*

Mar 26 **Dismiss for Conferences 1:00 PM**

Mar 26 Parent/Teacher Conferences 2:00-8:00PM

Mar 27 **NO SCHOOL-Assessment Day- 8:00-Noon**

April 2013						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

Mar 28 - Apr 1 **NO SCHOOL - Easter Break**

December 2012						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

May 19 **Graduation 2:00 PM**

May 24 Last day of school-Ddismiss 11:30 AM

May 24 **Teacher Work Day 11:30 - 3:00 PM**

May 24 *End of 4Q - 45 Days & 2Sem - 89 Days*

May 2013						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

2nd Semester = 89 Student Days & 91 Teacher Days

178 Total Student Days 183 Scheduled Teacher Days

Graduation	Teacher Inservice	Begin Quarter
Early Dismiss	Parent Teacher Conferences	End Quarter
NO SCHOOL		

LET US TAKE THE KIDS!

Parents—respite providers will be on site to care for your kids and any needs they might have, so that you might spend the day shopping, relaxing, or attending **parent mini-sessions** offered by Planning Region 13 & 14. This is a **free respite day**.

SIBLINGS ARE WELCOME.

Transportation or mileage reimbursement is available for those traveling from out of the area.

TO REGISTER: Please contact

Sherti Blome at 866-737-7483

or

Stacey Ferguson or Brittain Trave

at 308-635-3427

or

Nici Johnson at 308-254-4677

Space is limited so don't wait too long to register.

REGISTRATION

FAMILY LAST NAME: _____

CHILDREN WITH AGES AND SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS (SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS SHOULD INCLUDE TOILETING DIRECTIONS, FOOD ALLERGIES, SPECIAL FOOD INCLUDED IN BAG, ETC. ITEMS BROUGHT WITH CHILD SUCH AS SPECIAL BLANKET OR PACIFIER, COLOR DESCRIPTION) :

NAME: _____ AGE: _____ SHIFT SIZE: _____

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS: _____

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SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS: _____

NAME: _____ AGE: _____ SHIFT SIZE: _____

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS: _____

PARENT'S CONTACT INFORMATION:

NAME: _____

PHONE NUMBER DURING EVENT: _____

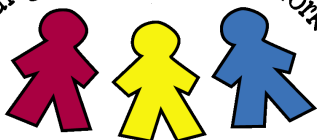
IN CASE OF EMERGENCY AND PARENT CAN'T BE REACHED CALL: _____ #: _____

ARE YOU CURRENTLY A RESPITE USER: YES NO



NEBRASKA RESPITE NETWORK
1-866-RESPITE

Early Development Network



Babies Can't Wait

PRT #13

Scottsbluff & Banner
Counties

PRT #14

Cheyenne, Deuel, Gar-
den & Kimball Co.



FAMILY FUN DAY IS SPONSORED BY
THE ORGANIZATIONS LISTED ABOVE.

a BIG THANK YOU TO **HEAD START** FOR
PROVIDING THE ROOMS FOR PARENT
SESSIONS!

PARENT MINI-SESSIONS

MINI-SESSIONS FOR PARENTS WILL BE OFFERED
THROUGHOUT THE DAY. PLEASE TAKE A LOOK
AT WHAT'S OFFERED AND PLAN TO ATTEND
WHILE YOUR KIDS ARE IN SOMEONE ELSE'S HAIR
FOR AWHILE!

- TYPICAL CHILDHOOD CHALLENGES: DISCIPLINE THAT WORKS. (AN OVERVIEW OF PRAISE, PREVENTION, AND ACCOUNTABILITY)
- COMMUNICATION BIRTH TO FIVE
- ROLES AND BOUNDARIES: WHERE KIDS ARE KIDS AND ADULTS ARE ADULTS!
- KID'S DO BETTER WITH VISUALS: MAKE AND TAKE VISUAL SCHEDULES.
- PARENTING MAGIC!
- SENSORY INPUT: WE ALL HAVE OUR PREFERENCES, WHAT ARE YOURS?
- PTI NEBRASKA—WHAT EVERY PARENT WANTS TO KNOW ABOUT SPECIAL EDUCATION AND THEIR RIGHTS.

PARENT MINI-SESSIONS WILL TAKE PLACE NEXT
DOOR TO "THE PLAYHOUSE" AT THE CAPWN AND
HFTC BUILDINGS. DETAILS WILL FOLLOW!



2012

FAMILY

FUN DAY!

COME BRING YOUR KIDS FOR A
DAY OF FUN AT

"THE PLAYHOUSE"

ON

JUNE 16TH FROM 9:30-2:30

COMMUNICATION SOURCES

HEMINGFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Our mission at Hemingford Public Schools is to cooperatively work with the community to provide our youth a safe and healthy learning environment for all students. Our school district and staff are committed to provide and promote opportunities for high academic achievement, capitalizing on student career interests and aptitudes, with a purpose to encourage student involvement and accomplishments in order to prepare accountable, responsible, self-disciplined, successful citizens in an ever-changing, global society.

Casper Ningen, Superintendent
Mrs. Peggy Foster, High School Principal
Mr. Ron Foster, Elementary Principal
Mrs. Mandy Plog, Special Education Director

PO Box 217
911 Niobrara Avenue
Hemingford NE 69348

Phone: 308-487-3328 High School
Phone: 308-487-3330 Elementary
Phone: 308-487-5252 Distance Learning
Fax: 308-487-5215



In an effort to maintain all possible communication links, Hemingford Public Schools will offer numerous ways for parents, students, community members and all other interested citizens to stay abreast of happenings at the schools. Some ways to communicate are: Hemingford Public Schools Website

<http://www.hemingfordschools.org>

Hemingford Ledger - Important information is posted in the Briefs. Sports info and other needed school info can be found here as well.

Monthly newsletter - Mailed to every patron in the district each month. Also can be found on the webpage.

Notices sent home with students
Information sent home with reports cards.

Phone calls to students' homes when necessary.

PowerSchool for attendance, grades and other notes to students and parents found on the Hemingford Schools webpage.



EQUAL OPPORTUNITY

Hemingford Public School District #10 will not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, disability, or marital status in admission or access to, or treatment or employment in its programs and activities

Web-Email Lunch Account System

Access your current account information online-at www.hemingford schools.org and click the button on the right labeled "What's for Lunch".

INCLEMENT WEATHER

The Superintendent of schools is authorized by the Board of Education to close public schools in case of severe weather. The Superintendent's will notify local news media when inclement weather warrants such action. The **information is broadcast regularly by radio stations, (KCOW AM 1400, KQ 106 & 97.5 FM, KMOR 92.9 FM), our web site (www.hemingfordschools.org), and Mobius web site (www.bbc.net).**

SCHOOL MESSENGER

If you have not been contacted by "School Messenger" our web based calling system to alert parents of school cancellations, late starts or any other events, please contact the school. You may have changed phone numbers, or disconnected numbers the school is unaware of. Also, if you don't want to be contacted please notify us so we can take you off of the calling list. Please call the school of any changes at 487-3330.

HEMINGFORD ELEMENTARY
2012-2013 BACK TO SCHOOL SUPPLY LISTS

Students are encouraged, but not required, to bring classroom supplies and items need to benefit from courses including but not limited to pens, pencils, paper, erasers, etc. Specific class lists for each grade can be found below. If the student/parent chooses not to furnish back to school classroom supplies, these items will be made available by the school district.

PLEASE LABEL ALL SUPPLIES AND SEND WITH YOUR CHILD ON THE FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL

HEMINGFORD ELEMENTARY-PRESCHOOL

MRS. SHARI FROST

1 backpack
1 small plastic pencil box that latches (3.5" x 8" or 5.5" x 8")
1 small box of Crayola Crayons (16 or 24)
1 pencil
One-2 pocket folder
1 box Kleenex, 200 count
2 glue sticks

HEMINGFORD ELEMENTARY – KDG.

MRS. AMMIE FROST –MRS. HEUSMAN

Two pencils (#2 lead) (**No plastic coated ones**)
One Box Ziploc bags (gallon, sandwich or snack size)
One container of sanitizer wipes
Box of 8 crayons (regular size)
One spiral notebook
One Pocket Folder
A beach towel for rest time
One box of 250 count Kleenex
Scissors (Fiskars brand)
6 glue sticks (no gel sticks or colored glue)
Backpack
1 empty frosting container (empty and washed)
Old paint shirt (a big T-shirt works the best)
A box of snacks (crackers, cookies, etc.) for morning snack time.
One bag of disposable cups (**No paper ones**)
NO pencil cases, please!!

HEMINGFORD ELEMENTARY – 1ST GRADE

MRS. BENZEL

1 box of 24 crayons
1 pair of scissors
3 boxes of Kleenex
1 bottle of white glue
2 boxes of Ziploc bags(one sandwich size and one gallon size)

(Mrs. Benzel cont.)

1 pocket folders
1 one subject **Wide ruled** notebook
1 empty frosting (ready to spread) container
2 containers of Clorox Wipes
1 larger eraser
8 -#2 lead pencils
4 glue sticks
3 snack items (cookies, crackers, fruit snacks, etc.)

MRS. GASSELING-1ST GRADE

2 boxes of 24 crayons (one for each semester)
1 pair of scissors
8-#2 pencils
1 box of Ziploc bags
8 glue sticks
1 one subject **Wide ruled** notebook
2 large erasers
1 pocket folder
A paint shirt
1 bottle of white glue
2 boxes of Kleenex
1 container sanitizer wipes (any brand)

HEMINGFORD ELEMENTARY-2ND GRADE

MRS. CULLAN- MRS. HANNAFORD

2 boxes of sharpened #2 pencils (no mechanical pencils please)
2 large erasers
1 box of 24 crayons
1 pair of scissors with metal blades
2-4 oz. Bottle of Elmer's School Glue (white)
8-glue sticks (white only)
1 box of colored pencils (8-12 per box)
1 Hard plastic pencil box
2-80 page wide ruled spiral notebooks
2-large boxes of Kleenex
1-box of Ziploc bags (any size)
1 container of disinfecting wipes

HEMINGFORD ELEMENTARY
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PLEASE LABEL ALL SUPPLIES AND SEND WITH YOUR CHILD ON THE FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL

HEMINGFORD ELEMENTARY-3RD GRADE
MRS. HUDDLE

1- box #2 lead pencils-sharpened
Crayons-1 box of 24 only
Notebook Paper- 1 pkg. of loose leaf wide ruled notebook paper
2-erasers
7- glue sticks
1-box colored pencils
3-boxes of Kleenex (250 ct.)
2-composition books-100 sheets each
1 Container of disinfecting wipes

We **DO NOT** want the students to bring **TRAPPER KEEPERS, MECHANICAL PENCILS, PENCIL SHARPENERS, INK PENS OR PENCIL BOXES.**

HEMINGFORD ELEMENTARY-4TH GRADE
MRS. OSMOTHERLY-MRS. KRESL

7-Spiral notebooks- one of each color: yellow, red, blue, green or teal, purple and two other colors of your choice
3- pocket folders- of your choice
1-box #2 WOODEN pencils- **Extra pencils** may be needed throughout the year
Blue or Black pens (**no other colors please**)
Erasers- (**NO** toys pretending to be erasers)
1-box of Kleenex
2 containers of disinfectant wipes
Pencil bag
Colored Pencils

Suggested to have at home; a good collegiate dictionary and thesaurus, colored pencils for projects.

HEMINGFORD ELEMENTARY
5th & 6th GRADE
*MRS. LANIK – MRS. PROCHAZKA-
MRS. MCCABE*

Trapper Keeper

Spiral notebooks- one of each color: yellow, red, blue, green or teal, and two other colors of your choice
3-pocket folders of your choice
#2 pencils, WOODEN (**extra pencils** should be brought and kept at school for use)
Highlighter (1or2) for highlighting notes
Erasers (**NO** toys pretending to be erasers)
pink pearl or kneaded gum is the best
Colored pencils, for map work, art and color illustration

Pencil bag
1-box of Kleenex
1-Container of Clorox wipes

Suggested to have at home

Good collegiate dictionary and thesaurus