

HES Hippo Happenings- Parent Edition

WEEK OF NOVEMBER 15TH

CAMPUS NEWS

Hello HES Families-

Fall picture retakes are scheduled for this Tuesday, November 16th for anyone who was absent on picture day or would like a retake.

We hope you all have a wonderful Thanksgiving holiday!

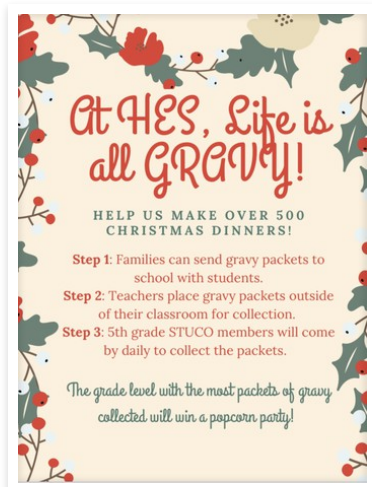
We are so very thankful for our HES families and the opportunity to serve you.

May your Thanksgiving be filled with blessings, family, laughter, and love.

PTA GENERAL MEETING

Our next PTA general meeting is November 16th at 6:00. Please plan to join us and get involved in the PTA. It is such a great group of parents. It is never too late to sign up and join our HES PTA. You can do that [here](#). Our next big PTA event will be Santa Supper on Friday, December 10th. Mark your calendars now for a family evening of holiday fun.





ORANGE SANTA FOOD COLLECTION

The gravy packets have been rolling in this week! Our Student Council officers have been busy picking up and counting the packets each day.

We quickly exceeded the goal of 500 packets and still have this week to go.

Totals as of Friday are below:

Pre-k: 50

Kinder: 362

1st: 381

2nd: 363

3rd: 166

4th: 339

5th: 340

TOTAL: 2001 Packets

A NOTE FROM OUR SPECIALS TEAM

Click [here](#) for our Specials team newsletter.

GT NOMINATION WINDOW OPEN 10/18 TO 11/18

The GT annual nomination window is open from October 18th-November 18th, 5pm.

Parents may refer their students with these forms:

[GT Parent Referral](#)

[GT Parent Referral - Spanish](#)

For more information about giftedness please visit:

NAGC: Traits of Giftedness - <https://www.nagc.org/resources-publications/resources/my-child-gifted/common-characteristics-gifted-individuals/traits>

Buenos Dias,

La ventana de nominación anual de GT está abierta del 18 de octubre al 18 de noviembre a las 5 pm.

Los padres pueden referir a sus estudiantes con estos formularios:

[GT Parent Referral - Espanol](#)

Para obtener más información sobre la superdotación, visite:

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HEALTH REMINDERS

Please contact the campus nurse if your child is experiencing Covid like symptoms after a close contact or if your child tests positive for Covid 19. Please remember, while our district safety plan does not require a 14 day quarantine after a direct exposure, we do ask parents to closely monitor students for symptoms. Those that choose to self quarantine based on an exposure will have absences excused. While we do not have a virtual option for quarantine periods, please contact your child's teacher for assignments they can do while at home.

DON'T FORGET...

- **If you have a transportation change request for your child, we must receive it BEFORE 1:30 PM.** If you call after 1:30, we cannot guarantee the change will occur due to the nature of the end of the day and the time it takes to get messages out. Thank you for your understanding and for following our end of day procedures. All transportation changes should be emailed to hes.receptionist@huttoisd.net by 1:30 each day.

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