

Student Hours:
9:15 a.m. First Bell
Students Admitted to Building
9:25 a.m. Late Bell
Students Marked Tardy If Arriving After Bell
3:55 p.m. Dismissal

Fifth Grade Promotion Ceremony
June 9, 10:00 a.m.
Kindergarten Promotion Ceremony
June 13, 2017 at 9:45 a.m.

Dear Parents and Guardians,
As the school year comes to a close, we look forward to recognizing our Kindergarten and Fifth Grade students at their class promotions. Due to the number of students in each grade and the local Fire Marshall regulations, we are only able to accommodate 2 family members per student at the each of the ceremonies. While we realize that this situation is less than ideal, we know that you will support us and abide by this policy. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.
The Fulton Staff

Environmental Club

The 4th and 5th grade Before School Environmental Club will meet on the following days May 17, May 24, and May 31. We will meet in the Rain Garden, so please dress accordingly. Please have your student meet Mrs. Ciliberti in the front hallway at 8:45 am.

Assessment Schedule Update

PARCC Assessment:

(All testing will take place between 9:30 - 11:30am)

Grade 4: 5/15/17 - 05/18/17

Grade 5: 5/22/17 - 05/25/17

MAP Assessment:

Grade 3: 05/15/17 - 05/16/17 (1:30 - 3:00pm)

Grade 4: 05/23/17 - 05/24/17 (1:30 - 3:00pm)

Dates To Know:

May	16	Instrumental Concert, 7:00 p.m.
	19	Articulation Day, Schools Closed for Students
	23	5th Grade Middle School Visitation, 9:30 a.m.
	25	STEAM Night at the Fulton Finery & Chorus Concert, 6:30 p.m.
		Interim Reports Issued
	29	Memorial Day, Schools Closed
	31	Kindergarten Visitation, 10:00 to 11:00 a.m.
June	1	5th Grade Simulated Congressional Hearings
	2	Field Day
	5-9	Space/STEM Week
	5	5th Grade vs. Staff Kickball Game, 9:30 a.m.
	7	Howard County Library Visit
	8	Field Day Rain Date
	9	5th Grade Promotion Ceremony, 10:00 a.m.
		4th Grade Picnic, 1:30 p.m.
	12	Full School Day
		1st Grade Beach Party, 9:30 a.m.
		3rd Grade End of Year Party, 1:30 p.m.
		2nd Grade Popsicle Party, 1:30 p.m.
	13	Kindergarten Promotion Ceremony, 9:45 a.m.
		Early Dismissal at 12:55 p.m.
	14	Last Day of School
		Early Dismissal at 12:55p.m
		Report Cards Mailed Home

Celebrating Asian Pacific American Heritage Month

The Howard County Public School System has proclaimed May to be Asian Pacific American Heritage month.

To celebrate and educate the students about the contributions of Asian Pacific Americans, we have a school wide trivia quiz throughout the month spotlighting the accomplishments and contributions of Asian Pacific culture and people to our country. Here are a few of the many activities going on in our school:

Media has created a display of pictures and books highlighting Asian Pacific culture. First grade students completed a research project on China in media.

Second grade students have received their passports and are traveling through Asian Pacific countries collecting information to complete their passports.

First grade students are engaged in discussing books about Asian Pacific topics. They will also learn to make origami and will then write about it for the unit on "How To".

On Monday, Mr. Floyd Mori addressed the 5th grade. Mr. Mori is a former mayor and legislator from California as well as a well-respected leader of the Asian Pacific American community nationwide.

Lego Challenge

Thank you to all the students who have turned in slips to participate in the Lego Challenge. Lego displays should be brought to school on Monday, May 22nd. Due to lack of storage space, projects will not be accepted before this date. On the 22nd, Mrs. Ciliberti will be in the Media Center at 9:15 to collect and display the projects. We look forward to seeing what the students created.

Community News and Programs

Please follow this link to see what's going on in your neighborhood. Visit the HCPSS website for announcements of upcoming events and programs sponsored by non-profit organizations or follow this link <http://www.hcpss.org/community-news-and-programs/>



Parents and guardians, please make sure students are wearing appropriate shoes for P.E. If they aren't wearing the proper shoes, they are not able to participate in all the fun in P.E.!

Have you relocated within the Fulton School District?

If you have changed your residence within the Fulton School district, you must bring a copy of your new lease or deed and a current utility bill to the front office for your child's records to be current.

Animals On School System Property

Animals in schools or offices, leashed or not, present a safety, environmental, and liability issues. Students and staff may be exposed to potential physical hazards, such as bites, and/or allergy related health problems. As a result, animals are prohibited within HCPSS buildings. Animals are also prohibited on school system property during arrival, dismissal, recess or other HCPSS sponsored outdoor activities. Service animals or service animals in training per MD Annotated Code Section 7-705 (Service Animals) and the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) as well as animals approved for instructional purposes are exempt from this prohibition.

Reservoir High School Sports Camp

Come out to Reservoir High School for sports camp the week of July 17-21. Current Lime Kiln teachers Phil Ranker (PE), Erika Swan (PE) and Tom Dougherty (Math) run the camp. The camp is designed for rising 2nd-9th graders and features different sports everyday. Last year we played: flag football, soccer, capture the football, basketball, volleyball, floor hockey, tennis, modified softball, team handball, scooter games and many, many others. The camp is designed so that each sport/activity lasts roughly 1 hour, so campers will have the opportunity to play many different sports each day. Phil, Erika and Tom have coached multiple sports at the high school level (soccer, softball, lacrosse, volleyball and basketball collectively). Please visit <http://rankerssportscamp.weebly.com/> or email phillip_ranker@hcpss.org for any questions.

Keep those Box Tops coming!



Please continue to collect and send in Box Tops for Education. It's an easy way to raise funds we use for educational supplies.

Field Day Is Coming!

The PE Department is excited to host our 20th annual Field Day on **Thursday, June 2nd**!

The focus of Field Day is to have FUN and get FIT. Each student should wear a shirt matching the color of their grade:

- 5th = Purple
- 4th = Orange
- 3rd = Green
- 2nd = Red
- 1st = Blue
- K. = Yellow

Every student must wear sneakers or athletic shoes for Field Day. This is a safety concern; if a student does not have sneakers they will not be able to do the activities. Each student will be given a Fulton Field Day water bottle to use throughout the day.

Students who normally buy lunch can either bring in a lunch for that day or they can buy a bag lunch, which includes a chicken sandwich, apples or oranges, juice or milk and a cookie. **If your student(s) will be buying a bag lunch, please click [here](#), to take a 3 question poll.** This will give us an accurate count of lunches to order. Thank you for your help!

Finally, if you want your child to have sunscreen protection, please apply the sunscreen in the morning AT HOME. Sunscreen may NOT be sent to school for application here. Thank you!

Field Day 2017 Schedule

Time	K	Grade 1	Grade 2	Grade 3	Grade 4	Grade 5
9:55am - 10:25am	Super Skills	Monster Run	Target Toss	Radical Relay	Tug of Fun	Zumba
10:30am - 11:00am	Monster Run	<i>Break</i>	Radical Relay	<i>Break</i>	Zumba	Tug of Fun
11:05am - 11:35pm	<i>Break</i>	Target Toss	<i>Break</i>	Monster Run	Super Skills	Radical Relay
11:40am - 12:10pm	Target Toss	Radical Relay	Monster Run	Super Skill	<i>Break/Lunch</i>	<i>Break/Lunch</i>
12:15pm - 1:00pm	<i>LUNCH</i>	<i>LUNCH</i>	<i>LUNCH</i>	<i>LUNCH</i>	<i>LUNCH</i>	<i>LUNCH</i>
1:05pm - 1:35pm	Radical Relay	Tug of Fun	Super Skills	Zumba	Monster Run	Target Toss
1:40pm - 2:10pm	Tug of Fun	<i>Break</i>	Zumba	<i>Break</i>	Target Toss	Monster Run
2:15pm - 2:45pm	<i>Break</i>	Zumba	<i>Break</i>	Tug of Fun	Radical Relay	Super Skill
2:50pm - 3:20pm	Zumba	Super Skills	Tug of Fun	Target Toss	<i>Break</i>	<i>Break</i>

Volunteers are needed!!

If you are interested in volunteering for the day or part of the day, please sign-up using Fulton's Sign-Up Genius page: www.SignUpGenius.com/go/10C0E4AA9AB2BA6FD0-field1

Equipment needed!! We are looking for 2-4 sunshades. If you have one we can borrow, please email Sandy Lentz sandralentz@yahoo.com

If you have any questions please contact our volunteer coordinators, Sandy Lentz sandralentz@yahoo.com or Rita Park rita_park@hcpss.org

Please note: Rain Date is Thursday, June 8th

Preparations for Next Year

As we prepare for the ending of this school year and the beginning of the next school year, many things will take place. Teachers will prepare summer ideas for you and your families to enjoy. School personnel will meet to plan for the organization and placement of all students in classes for next year. Supply lists will be formulated for next year and dates will be set for activities involving the opening of school in August 2017.

On the last day of school, children will bring home a supply list for next year and dates for next August. Report cards will be mailed home during the week of June 14th.

Please let us know on or before June 1, 2017, if you know your child will **NOT** attend Fulton Elementary School next year. This would be a great help to us in planning class assignments for the fall.

TO: FULTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

FROM: _____

MY CHILD, _____, who is presently enrolled in Fulton Elementary in grade _____, in _____ (teacher) class, will NOT be returning for the 2017-2018 school year.

*(Please return this form to the front office on or before **June 1, 2017**.)*

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PTA Website: www.fespta.org