

Ridge View News

Calendar Events

- Jan. 25-Feb. 5 - Hoops for Heart
- Feb. 1 - ISTEP+ Boost for Grades 3-5 and Study Tables 3:30-4:30 and Bricks 4 Kidz 3:35-4:35
- Feb. 2 - Young Rembrandts 3:35-4:35
- Feb. 3 - ICU Homework Club and Study Tables 3:30-4:30
- Feb. 4 - Team LEAD and Moravec's Karate 3:30-4:30
- Feb. 5 - Minions movie at HHS 6:30 PM Call for reservations!
- Feb. 8 - ISTEP+ Boost for Grades 3-5 and Study Tables 3:30-4:30 and Bricks 4 Kidz 3:35-4:35
- Feb. 9 - Young Rembrandts 3:35-4:35
- Feb. 10 - ICU Homework Club and Study Tables 3:30-4:30
- Feb. 11 - Friends of Rachel and Moravec's Karate 3:30-4:30
- Feb. 12-15 - No school due to President's Day!
- Feb. 16 - Young Rembrandts 3:35-4:35 and PTO Meeting 4:00 PM
- Feb. 17 - ICU Homework Club and Study Tables 3:30-4:30
- Feb. 18 - 3rd Grade Lunch with LifeSavers and Moravec's Karate 3:30-4:30
- Feb. 19 - Popcorn and Water Day
- Feb. 22 - ISTEP+ Boost for Grades 3-5 and Study Tables 3:30-4:30 and Bricks 4 Kidz 3:35-4:35
- Feb. 23 - Breakfast with the Technology Director, Chris King 9:00, Helping Hands 3:30-4:30, and Young Rembrandts 3:35-4:35
- Feb. 24 - ICU Homework Club, Study Tables, and Helping Hands 3:30-4:30
- Feb. 25 - Moravec's Karate, Team LEAD, and Student Council 3:30-4:30
- Feb. 26 - Progress Reports Go Home
- Feb. 29 - ISTEP + Begins, ISTEP+ Boost for Grades 3-5 and Study Tables 3:30-4:30, and Bricks 4 Kidz 3:35-4:35



ISTEP+ PREPARATION

ISTEP+ DATES

ISTEP+ Part I Paper (Gr. 3-5)	Feb. 29-March 11, 2016
IREAD-3 (Gr. 3)	March 14-18, 2016
ISTEP+ Part 2 Online (Gr. 3-5)	April 18-May 6, 2016

BE SURE TO VISIT THE TEST PREP AND GOAL

PLANNING COOL TOOL AND THESE WEBSITES:

<http://www.doe.in.gov/assessment/istep-grades-3-8>

Scroll down to Item Samplers and click links to see test items!

<http://www.doe.in.gov/assessment/istep-performance-level-descriptors>

Click on specific grade levels for performance level indicators!

<http://www.xtramath.org>

Sign up for a free account and let your child practice!

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Even a well-prepared student can feel pre-test anxiety. Encourage your child to relax and to view the test as a chance to show what they have learned. Reassure them that it's natural to feel a little nervous and that the important thing is to try their best. A good night's sleep and a good breakfast before the test are crucial. Rest and nutrients help to stimulate the brain.

Hoops for Heart

Ridge View Elementary is participating in Hoops for Heart under the direction of Mrs. Chavez. Hoops for Heart is a National education and fundraising event sponsored by the American Heart Association and the American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreations, and Dance (AAHPERD). Students learn the value of community service, while they develop heart-healthy habits by being physically active.

Ridge View Elementary is collecting money from January 25-February 5, 2016, and our goal is \$1,500.00 this year.



Promise Indiana

The Promise (www.promiseindiana.org) is an initiative of comprehensive activities for youth and families to build hope for their future and create community college-going culture. The goals of the Promise are to leverage the entire community to make it easy for families to begin saving for post-secondary education, to incentivize savings behavior with community matching funds

from diverse funding streams into 529s, and to build college-bound identity for youth through exposing them to college in the classroom and on campus. The Promise will realize success when all youth in Indiana have savings and champions from the community in their lives who support their dreams for the future.

You are invited to a Cash for College Workshop. All parents are encouraged

to attend!

Tuesday, March 1, 2016

6:00-7:30 PM

HHS Board Room

Learn about ways to fund your student's higher education with 529 Plans, Upromise, Raise.Me, and Early College/Dual Credit! Come early for assistance filling out the FAFSA if you have older students! Cookies and Coffee provided!

GOT GRIT?

Give it your all
Redo if necessary
Ignore giving up
Take time to do it right

Ridge View Elementary has students that are “gritty.” GRIT is the passion and perseverance needed to accomplish long term goals. GRIT is determination and resilience to stick with something, regardless of the difficulty level. GRIT is the struggle as you strive to reach your goals and dreams! As early as the elementary level, we are teaching students to have GRIT. In teaching this, our students learn that it is okay to make a mistake, as long as they learn from it and continue to strive and reach their ultimate goals.

PORTRAIT
 OF A HOBART HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE 

BELIEVE AND ACHIEVE
 We believe that we can reach our potential and achieve excellence.

RESPECT
 We respect ourselves and others by our words and actions.

INVOLVEMENT
 We take advantage of school opportunities to grow both academically and socially.

COLLEGE/CAREER READY
 I am ready! We value and pursue post-secondary education training. We develop and practice professional ethics, attitudes, and skills.

KEEP WORKING
 All my life I want to be a Brickie. Work! Work! Work!

SERVICE
 We are involved in making our school and community a better place.

School City of Hobart
Report it! FOR EMERGENCIES, PLEASE CALL 911!


Safeschools Alert is our district's reporting service. If you have information about a threat to our safety, do your part and report it! And remember, you can remain anonymous.

4 EASY WAYS

- 219-942-TIPS
- Text your tip to 219-942-TIPS
- 1-800-999-9111
- http://190.alert.us

REPORT TIPS ON:

- Bullying
- Intimidation
- Harassment
- Weapons
- Drugs
- Dating Violence
- Other





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 You can access our page by using this QR Code:



BREAKFAST with TECHNOLOGY DIRECTORY

Please plan to join us for breakfast with the Technology Director, Chris King, here at Ridge View Elementary!

Tuesday, February 23
 9:00 AM

Enjoy breakfast and some helpful tips on keeping your child safe on the computer as well as other electronic devices!

NURSE'S TIPS



#1 - Make sure you wash your hands with soap and water several times a day for 15 seconds. Sing Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star to yourself while washing them. This will take about 15 seconds! This is the #1

way to stop the spread of germs.

#2 - When coughing or sneezing, turn your face into your elbow/sleeve. This keeps germs off our hands better.



The Brickie Community Health Clinic (BCHC)

The School City of Hobart and St. Mary Medical Center offer the Brickie Community Health Clinic (BCHC), an ONSITE school based clinic located at Hobart High School (Door #11), for ALL School City of Hobart STUDENTS and their FAMILIES.

Healthy students are more successful in school!

Visit <http://hobart.schoolwires.com/clinic> for more information.

Easy access for wellness is available as follows:

Monday and Wednesday
 9a.m. -5 p.m.

Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday
 8 a.m.-4 p.m.

Walk-ins and appointments are honored by calling 219-945-9383.

Be respectful!
Be responsible!
Be safe!