


2016- 2017 (Quarter 1)
TSES FAMILY EVENTS

~Transportation, interpreters and child care are always available upon request~

<p>***BY INVITATION ONLY (GR. 2-5)*** READING SERIES: FOR AT HOME LEARNING OCTOBER 19TH & NOVEMBER 2ND, 30TH 6:30-7:30 PM</p> <p>We hope you will join us for this 3 session reading series! All families are invited to learn how Non-Fiction Stances (10/19) and Fiction Signposts (11/2) can increase discussion and thinking while reading. At these sessions you will learn how these Signposts are being used in the classroom with books and how you can use them with TV shows, movies and plays at home. After a few weeks break, where you will be reading the new books with your children, we will come back together (11/30), to talk about how practice at home is going. You will have an opportunity to participate in a book club discussion with other families in order to discuss your books. Staff members will be on hand to help facilitate these conversations, should questions arise.</p> <p><i>For the best experience, mark your calendar for all 3 nights. Books will be given to families on 10/19 & 11/2. It will be difficult to participate (though you are welcome to observe) on 11/30 if you do not attend Nights 1 and 2.</i></p>	<p>HOMEWORK CREW, MATH & BRAIN GAMES PARENTS AND CHILDREN WORKING TOGETHER OCTOBER 5TH ♦ 6:00–7:30 PM</p> <p>This 3-part event will cover 3 different "at home learning" opportunities.</p> <p>☞ From 6:00-6:30, a selected group of students* will learn about the Homework Crew. The presentation will include homework expectations and the role the parent play. Families will then be invited to join the Homework Crew Club for 2 weeks on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons (3:20-4:20 pm). During these sessions, parents will be with their child as they complete their homework. Teachers will be available to support the parents as they in turn, assist their children.</p> <p>☞ From 6:30-7:30, families will meet in 2 rotations:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Math: computerize programs and apps which all students can access at home in order to sharpen math skills. 2. Brain Games: TSES received a "Bright Minds" Grant to buy games that promote a GROWTH MINDSET. Come learn about how the games will rotate in the classroom and how you can play them with your child. <p><i>*If you do not receive an invitation to this part of the event but would like to be included, please email or call Mrs. Glassband at 410-313-6915</i></p>	<p>IMPORTANT DATES </p> <p>9/5 Labor Day-School Closed 9/5 PTA Meeting 7 p.m. 9/12 Professional Development-School Closed for Students 9/16 PTA Movie Night Under the Stars (10/7 raindate) 7 p.m. 9/19 Back to School Night (3-5) 6:30 p.m. 9/20 Back to School Night (1-2) 6:30 p.m. 9/24 Green Apple Day of Service 10/6 Interim Progress Reports Issued 10/3 Rosh Hashanah-School Closed 10/12 Yom Kippur-School Closed 10/16 HCPSS Community 5K & Fun Run 11/7 End of 1st marking period-School Closed 11/8 General Election Day-School Closed 11/15 Report Cards Issued</p>
<p>***BY INVITATION ONLY*** BRIDGES ORIENTATION OCTOBER 11TH ♦ 4:45-5:45 PM</p> <p>This is a before and after school program that focuses on Reading. Students are involved in academic support from 7:20-8:20 am and hands on, enrichment activities from 3:40 pm -4:40 pm (Homework Club will be from dismissal until 3:40 pm). At this orientation, parents will learn about the expectations, policies and procedures of this program.</p> <p>There will be 3 Bridges Sessions this year: 10/10/16-12/16/16 1/31/17-3/8/17 3/20/17-5/18/17</p>	<p>TROT FOR TALBOTT OCTOBER 29TH 8:00–10:30 AM</p> <p>This fun-filled morning is to encourage families, students and our community to become physically active, be more health conscious and to ultimately build healthy life styles. Families will run/walk the mile-long course, watch and participate in demonstrations in yoga and karate, play games, win prizes and more.</p>	<p>***BY INVITATION ONLY*** WHAT'S IN YOUR CHILD'S BACKPACK SEPTEMBER 21ST 3:15–4:00 PM</p> <p>Selected students will be invited to this afterschool family event. The kindergarten team will elaborate on the information shared at Back to School Night. Kindergarten families will hear about reading logs, reading homework, sight words and family projects.</p> <p><i>*If you do not receive an invitation to this event but would like to be included, please email or call Mrs. Glassband at 410-313-6915</i></p>

You are the most important teacher your children have! Be sure to read with them and to talk to them each day about what they are doing and what they are learning.