

It's the small habits.

How you spend your mornings.

How you talk to yourself.

What you read and what you watch.

Who you share your energy with.

Who has access to you.

That will change your life.

Michael Tonge



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Dear WISD families:

Today marks the end of the 7th week of the school year. We have moved through nearly all of the first quarter of this semester. We are thankful for your continued support, and wish you all continued good health.

There is no PM bus run today (10/9/20). Mr. Wielbaker is going to Green Bay to retrieve a bus that has been off island. He will resume his regular bus runs on Monday. We are most appreciative and thankful for his time and service to our district. He works diligently to make certain that our students arrive at school, and return to home safely each day. He is a great addition to our school district. Kudos, Rick!

The WISD students have gone through their first round of FastBridge universal screenings for Math and English Language Arts [ELA] this week. The data gleaned from the first (of three) testings, assists the staff in setting educational goals for the maintenance and/or acceleration of individual student growth in reaching benchmark status. We appreciate the time and effort students put into their individual tests. I also appreciate the time, effort and training the staff has put into learning to utilize this new assessment tool. This partnership is a win-win for us all.

The Fall Flu Shot Clinic was completed by the Door County Health Department staff on Thursday (10-8-2020). We appreciate their service and commitment to our school district, especially during this challenging health care time. You will also see the latest **ACT to STOP the SPREAD** public health informational message from Ms. Powers, of the DCHD added to this email correspondence. Please take a moment to open the attachment, and read through this important information that is being shared with all Door County school districts and communities.

Next week's ***Student-Parent-Teacher Conferences*** are being scheduled through the office. Ms. Zuzka has been contacting the families of our student to coordinate these virtual meetings. Please make sure that you secure a slot to talk to your child's teachers on these **October 15 and 16th** dates. Conference times run from **4:00 pm – 7:00 pm nightly**. This is an excellent opportunity to ask questions, share information and envelope your child into a conversation about their school year to date, and their educational goals for this year.

I have also attached a **HOME and SCHOOL CONNECTION newsletter**. It contains thoughtful information, tips and teachable moment information that can be used to elicit conversations with children of all ages. Please look this over, and utilize it as you see fit.

October 12-16th is Fall SPIRIT WEEK! Mark your calendar, and share the information with your children, so that they can prepare for each DRESS UP DAY. This is always a fun event for both the staff and students. Prizes are being awarded to the class and/or grade with the most participation. A photo of the schedule is attached below. **Go Bucks!!**

Take care and stay well.

Thank you for your support of the WISD. "We are in this together".



