

November 18, 2021

Greetings Hogan Cedars Families,

Thanksgiving break will take place on November 24th through November 28th; a time for rest, reflection, connection, and appreciation for all our blessings. I am so grateful to be part of the Hogan Cedars community, working alongside our students, families, teachers, and staff. I couldn't have asked for a better place to serve as principal. Everyday is a new exciting adventure with lots of opportunities for learning and growth.

Parent/Teacher Conferences are scheduled for Monday, November 22nd from 4:00pm to 8:00pm and Tuesday, November 23rd from 8:00AM to 8:00pm. It is very important that you take part in this conversation with your child's teacher because the work we do together is a partnership. Kids must see us both as stewards of their learning. These conference times are great opportunities for dialogue between you and your child's teacher, emphasizing their outstanding growth, and also some targeted areas for improvement. Conference times go extremely fast, so if you have further questions following these conferences, I encourage you to reach out to your child's teacher. Also, please feel free to send in questions ahead of time so that our teachers can be best-prepared for their time with you. At Hogan Cedars, we value our open communication as together, we will continue to positively impact the learning of our children.

Have a wonderful Thanksgiving!

Heidi Blakley
Hogan Cedars, Principal

Remind App: Remind is a communication tool that connects teachers, students, and parents instantly, no matter where they are. Remind is a communication platform that helps educators reach students and parents where they are. Please sign up for the Remind App if you haven't already done so. Reference the link below for support or reach out to your child's teacher. Remind has created a [parent video in English](#) and a [parent video in Spanish](#).

ParentVue: Parents, please be sure that you have an active ParentVue account so that you are able to view your child's report card. If you have questions or need to sign up for ParentVue, please call the office at 503-261-4500. We are happy to help.

Picture Retakes: Picture retakes are Tuesday, November 30th. If your student was absent during Picture Day or you would like a retake of your child, this is the opportunity to get his/her picture taken. If you have not filled out a picture packet, please check in with the office and we will get one to you.

Vaccine Finder: This Multnomah County managed site is updated weekly. Families can go here to find locations to receive the COVID vaccine. Follow this link:
<https://govstatus.egov.com/find-covid-19-vaccine>

Multnomah County Health Centers are offering vaccine clinics in November. [Click here \(English\)](#) or [click here \(Spanish\)](#) for weekly vaccination times and locations.