Crespo Elementary



The heart of Houston

STAAR Parent Meeting

JANUARY 26, 2023 EVERY STUDENT. EVERY DAY. #WHATEVERITTAKES

Thank you, parents!



Thank you for all your support this school year!

Agenda

- Welcome & Introductions
- Vision and Mission
- What is STAAR?
- STAAR 2.0
- Important Testing Dates
- How can you support us?
- Staying Focused (Cell Phone Policy)
- Parent Communication
- Check in on Progress How is your child doing? & Goal-Setting
- School Support, Plus Tips & Help at Home
- Attendance
- Homework Expectations
- Strategies & Specific Content Area Tips
- Title 1 Agreements/Requirements



Welcome & Introductions

3rd Grade:

Ms. Zamora-Grade Level Representative

- Mr. Sanchez (Reading English)
- Ms. Yawn (Bilingual)

4th Grade:

Mrs. Gutierrez- Grade Level Representative

- Ms. Serna (Bilingual Math)
- Ms. Soto (Math English)
- Ms. Samano (Reading English)

5th Grade:

Mr. Garcia -Grade Level Representative

- Mrs. Briceno (Reading)
- Mr. Ruiz (Math)



LEADERSHIP TEAM MEMBERS



Laura A. Gonzalez Principal



Nora De Leon Magnet Coordinator



Lourdes Gaona Teacher Specialist



Angela Villarreal Teacher Specialist





Ecclesia Gattu Special Ed Chair



Jessica Tamez Admin Assistant



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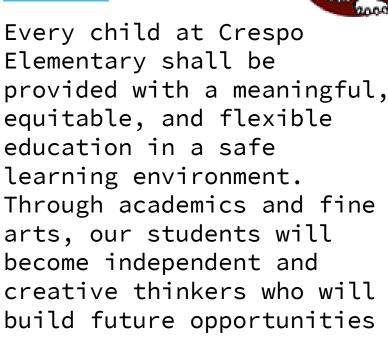


We, the educators of Crespo Elementary, are dedicated to providing a meaningful learning environment, with respect and fairness, where students can achieve their highest potential through academics and Fine Arts.

Todos los niños de la Escuela Primaria Crespo recibirán una educación significativa, equitativa y flexible en un entorno de aprendizaje seguro. A través de lo académico y las bellas artes, nuestros estudiantes se convertirán en pensadores independientes y creativos que construirán futuras oportunidades para el éxito.

VISION

for success.



Nosotros, los educadores de la Escuela Primaria Crespo, estamos dedicados a brindar un entorno de aprendizaje significativo, con respeto y equidad, donde los estudiantes puedan alcanzar su máximo potencial a través de lo académico y las Bellas Artes.

WHAT IS STAAR?

STAAR stands for <u>State of Texas Assessments of Academic</u>

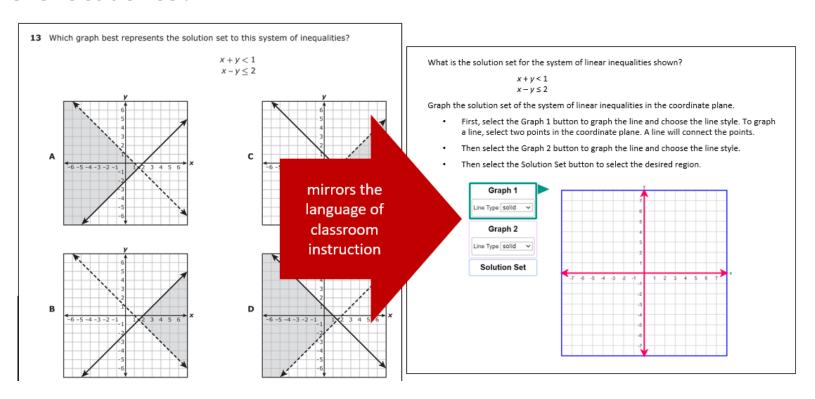
<u>Readiness</u>. It is created by the State of Texas and based on the content our scholars in 3rd-5th grade have learned throughout the year.

The topics on each test cover the standards (content) taught during the year that the state deems as essential to be prepared for the next grade level, and it is designed to measure the extent to which students have learned and are able to apply the knowledge and skills defined in the statemandated curriculum standards (TEKS).

http://tea.texas.gov/student.assessment/staar/

WHAT IS STAAR 2.0?

The state of Texas in moving to an online platform to assess the students.



STAAR Testing Dates

	STAAR School Interim Assessment	STAAR District Interim Assessment	STAAR State Assessment
Reading	February 7	March 7	April 25
Math	February 8	March 28	May 9
Science	February 9	March 21	May 2

How can you support our scholars?



Attendance matters



- Students are expected to be present on campus daily for the entire duration of the instructional day.
- Students are tardy after 7:35 AM.

DID YOU KNOW?

- YOUR CHILD CAN SUFFER ACADEMICALLY if they miss 10 percent (about 17 days) of school. That can be just two days a month, and that can happen before you know it.
- IT DOESN'T MATTER IF THESE ABSENCES ARE EXCUSED OR UNEXCUSED. They all represent lost time in the classroom and a lost opportunity for your child to learn.
- ATTENDANCE MATTERS AS EARLY AS KINDERGARTEN.

Studies show that children who miss too many days in kindergarten and first grade have trouble mastering reading.

- BY 6TH GRADE, CHRONIC ABSENCE is a leading warning sign that a student will drop out.
- ABSENCES CAN AFFECT THE WHOLE CLASSROOM if the teacher has to slow down learning to help children catch up.
- ATTENDANCE IS AN IMPORTANT SKILL THAT WILL HELP YOUR CHILD GRADUATE and do well in college and at work.

WHAT CAN YOU DO?

- FOR YOUNGER CHILDREN, SET A REGULAR BEDTIME AND MORNING ROUTINE. Lay out clothes and pack backpacks the night before.
- FOR OLDER CHILDREN, YOU CAN SET UP HOMEWORK AND BEDTIME ROUTINES.

Make sure that when the lights go out, so do the cell phones, video games and computers.

- TRY NOT TO SCHEDULE MEDICAL AND DENTAL APPOINTMENTS DURING THE SCHOOL DAY. If absolutely necessary, schedule appointments for after 10 a.m.
- DON'T LET YOUR CHILD STAY HOME UNLESS THEY ARE TRULY SICK. Keep in mind complaints of a stomach ache or headache can be a sign of anxiety and not a reason to stay home.
- STAY ON TOP OF YOUR CHILD'S SOCIAL CONTACTS. Peer pressure can lead to skipping, while students without many friends can feel isolated.
- SET AN EXAMPLE FOR YOUR CHILD. Show him or her that attendance matters to you and that you won't allow an absence unless someone is truly sick.
- YOU CAN TURN TO YOUR SCHOOL FOR HELP. If your child or family is having challenges with transportation, housing or health issues, reach out to your school for support.



Additional Support

In school Interventions:

Our intervention specialist, Mr. M and Ms. Perez, provide pull out interventions during the instructional day.

Weekly Tutorials

Offered as Needed Mondays-Thursdays from 3:15-4:15 p.m.

Saturday Tutorials

8 a.m. - 12 p.m. - Starting on February 11



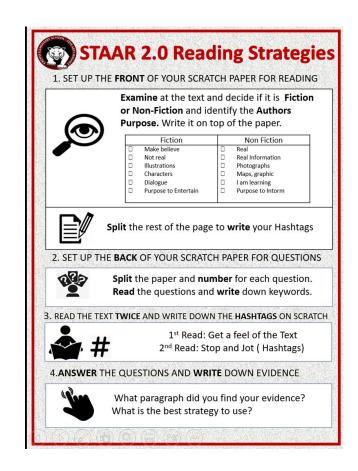
GOAL-SETTING & VICTORY NUMBER

- With their teachers, each student has set an individualized goal for these important assessments that we call Victory Number.
- Ask your child what their reading, math, and science (5th grade) victory numbers are and what they are doing each day to work toward meeting their goals!
- We celebrate when students meet their
 Voctory Number with an incentive party!!!



What can I do at Home for reading? –Gutierrez

- Read for 30 minutes or more on MyON This will help with stamina.
- Students talk about what makes text fiction and Non Fiction.
- Practice typing (Learning.com)
- Practice the strategies
- Log into Imagine Language, Freckle, Istation en Espanol
- Real World connections to apply to what they read.



WHAT CAN I DO AT HOME FOR MATH? -ZAMORA

- Complete homework daily
- Practice addition and subtraction with carry on.
- Practice multiplication facts daily
- Log into Imagine Math
- Math Test Taking Strategies
- Real World applications purchasing items at grocery store (estimating, adding, multiplying, money), and cooking (using measurement)



WHAT CAN I DO AT HOME FOR SCIENCE ?-GARCIA

- Study vocabulary guides.
- Study interactive notebooks/journals.
- Summit k12 Science login
- STEMscopes login
- Youtube links shared via ClassDojo





DIGITAL RESOURCES

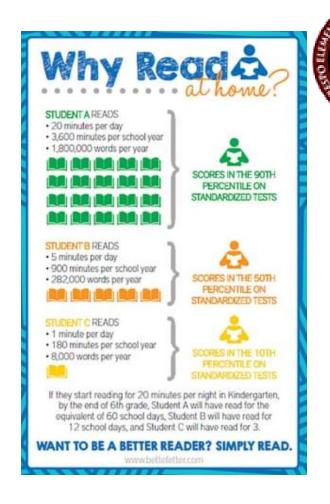




Imagine Math



Imagine Language & Literacy



WHAT CAN I DO AT HOME FOR READING?

- Ensure your child is reading each night!
- Complete homework daily
- UNWRAP strategies
- Visit myOn & Imagine Learning



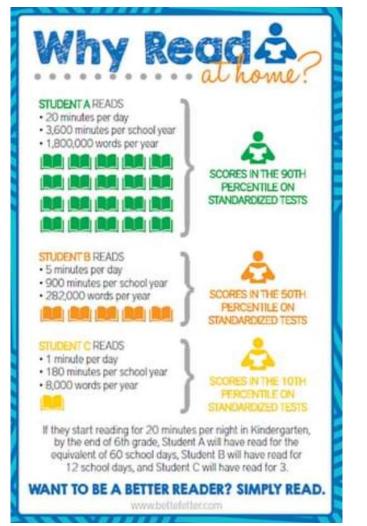




HOMEWORK EXPECTATIONS

Check with your child's teacher regarding daily/weekly homework

30 minutes of Reading (Book, MyOn,) or Language/Literacy AND 30 minutes of Imagine Math





HOW TO HELP YOUR CHILD PREPARE FOR ASSESSMENTS

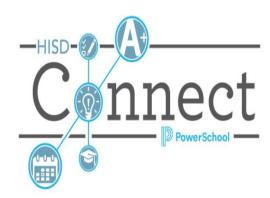
- Have realistic expectations & encourage him/her to do his best
- Encourage your child to do his/her homework daily in a well-lit, quiet area
- Examine test results and help your child improve
- Request conference (phone, Teams, in-person) with teacher(s)
 - Have open communication with teachers! Be active on Class Dojo!

HISD CONNECT PARENT PORTAL

Parents have a unique code, or access ID, for each of their students and will be able to use those codes to set up an account to access their students' profiles through a new parent portal.

http://HoustonISD.org/ParentPortal

Please call the front office if need





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