

Gackle-Streeter School District

**November 2021
Newsletter**

PRINCIPAL'S NOTE

FROM THE DESK OF MRS. BUCKEYE



Be the Best That You Can Be

Sometimes in life we get to feeling stressed and overwhelmed with all the hustle and bustle in our daily lives. It's easy to fall into the habit of sweating the small stuff and taking it out on the ones we care about the most. Remember when times are tough, and the chips are down this is when we need to put our best practices into action and absolutely be the best versions of ourselves. Be kind and smile- you never know what the other person is struggling with that day. Be the best that you can be, lend a hand, and go out of your way to make this world a better place. Give those you love a hug and let them know how very important they are to you. I am so grateful to be a part of such an amazing community. Thank you for giving me the opportunity to grow with our students.

Do you. Just focus on being the best version of yourself that you can be every day, and don't compare yourself to anyone else or worry about what they're doing.

Angie Martinez

WHAT'S COMING UP

ONE ACT PLAY

Presentation to school on 11/2 at 2:40

Competition in Wishek on 11/4

EARLY OUT

Students will be excused at 12:30 on 11/5 for teacher professional development

NO SCHOOL

November 11th and 12th -
Veteran's Day

November 25th and 26th -
Thanksgiving

CONGRATS STUDENT COUNCIL

The GSPS Student Council and the community came together once again and did a fantastic job of putting on another successful Blood Drive. Students had the roster filled and completed 2 days ahead of schedule. Thank you to all the community members who so generously donated to such an amazing cause. What role models and heroes we have in this town!

CONGRATS FFA

Mrs. Hattlewick took 12 FFA members to Tappen to compete at the District Competition. The students worked hard preparing for the competition working through lunches, before and after school. Each team that competed was able to bring home a BRONZE ribbon. Congrats and thanks for your hard work kids.

Congrats to the Community Development Class

What a fun HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL! Thanks to the Community Development Class for all the hard work and dedication to a fun filled school and community event. Your leadership skills, time, and organization to this event did not go unnoticed. Great work class!

Weather is Changing

- With the weather changing, please be sure your child is coming to school with warm clothing-hats, gloves, boots, snow pants, and a warm coat. Elementary kids will be going out for morning recess before school and noon recess after lunch. Teachers will be having the kids take everything home on the weekends to get washed.
- DOORS TO THE SCHOOL WILL NOT BE UNLOCKED UNTIL 8:10- Please **plan accordingly** when sending your kids to school. With the weather getting cold, we have kids arriving at 7:55 and standing outside the doors. For the safety of our students and lack of supervision before 8:10 we ask that the kids arrive after 8:10.
- **REMINDER PARENTS**....if your child is not going to be in school please contact the office. With the roads getting icy and snow compacted your child's safety is our top priority.

MONTHLY SHOUT OUTS

The following students have been recognized this month for going out of their way to being EXTRA AMAZING. Thanks students and keep up the great work.

Deziray, Emmett, Bridger, Richie, Gentry, Luke, Cooper, Cash, Brenden, Eli, Abby, Lorelie, Ali, Cheyenne, Eastyn, Alaina, Charlee, and Karly

Greetings from the Superintendent's Desk

October was the month of conferences. The state teachers' conference, administrators' conference, school board convention, and NDSBA Law Seminar all took place during the last two weeks of October. There are many topics of interest at these meetings including information on school improvement, social emotional learning (SEL) and cybersecurity just to name a few.

We strive to develop positive attitudes and a strong work ethic in our students. Through extracurricular activities, social events, and class electives. We try to do this while maintaining balance and hopefully achieving the high standards set forth by the state and federal governments. It is not an easy task for our students, parents, teachers, and administrators so we applaud all those people involved.

The school year is going by fast and we have successes both in and out of the classroom. Whether it is our students, parents, and staff, we all need positive encouragement and support to reach our full potential.

If you have any questions, please contact the Gackle-Streeter School District Office at 485-3692.

Sincerely,
Supt. Mark Berg

Novem-brrrrrrrr

Cold weather is coming! Please be sure your child has caps, gloves, coats and other warm gear before getting on the bus. Please keep your bus driver in mind when doing snow removal as well as communicating when roads are impassable or your child won't be riding the bus. As winter time approaches, we would like to have a few things on hand for elementary students that forget or don't have appropriate outdoor gear for recess. If you have any gently used mittens, hats, or scarves that you would like to donate to the school, it would be much appreciated. Thank you!



Make sure your child attends school daily!



Research shows that missing school regularly can hurt both the students who miss class— *and* their classmates. When students miss school, they miss out on learning. When they return, they have to work harder to catch up. After a while, it gets more difficult to catch up, and then kids are even more likely to miss school. As a result, kids who miss school have lower levels of achievement throughout their school careers. By sixth grade, research shows that students who miss an average of just one day a week are more likely to drop out of high school. The students

who do come to class also miss out. When teachers have to repeat material or pay extra attention to kids who have been absent, everyone suffers.

Education is not the filling of a bucket, but the lighting of a fire. -- W. B. Yeats

TIPS FOR STUDENT SUCCESS

Besides attending school regularly, encouraging your child to read is the single most important thing you can do to help your child succeed in school. Reading helps with all other subjects and reading is easier with practice. Monitor homework, but encourage your child to be responsible and to work independently. Listen to your child's ideas and respond so that he/she is more likely to participate and be interested in school.

Sleep affects school functioning

Are your children getting enough sleep? Sleep is often overlooked as an important factor in the healthy functioning and development of children. However, in our fast-paced society, it is easy for families to start earlier and stay up later trying to meet the demands of very busy lifestyles. Sleep is necessary for good health and brain functioning. It affects mood, behavior, and learning. It is critical that parents make sure that children get enough rest. As with other habits, it is much easier to instill good sleep patterns than to correct bad ones. Experts agree that school-age children need from 10 to 11 hours of sleep daily.

Tips to Help Your Child Sleep

- Avoid including caffeine drinks in a child's diet since it can interfere with sleep.
- Establish a regular bedtime schedule
- Avoid serving your child a big meal close to bedtime
- Keep TVs, computers, and game stations out of your child's bedroom
- Encourage calm and relaxing recreation close to bedtime
- Create a dark, quiet bedroom environment

Dear Families,

As the COVID-19 pandemic continues, we are seeing nationwide disruptions to manufacturing, supply and distribution channels. You may have experienced this yourself when you've tried to order something online or buy something in the store and what you're looking for isn't available right now.

What does this mean for school meals? In short, it means that we're having trouble getting certain foods and supplies. Your student(s) may notice that we're serving different items than we've served in the past or different items than were listed on the menu.

This situation is out of our control and something that school districts all across the country are experiencing. We are doing our best every day to come up with solutions to these challenges.

We will continue serving our students a variety of nutritious foods. While there may be some menu changes, please know that everything we serve will continue to meet nutrition guidelines set by the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA). All schools that operate the National School Lunch Program and the School Breakfast Program must follow these guidelines. We will also continue to accommodate students with special diets and allergies.

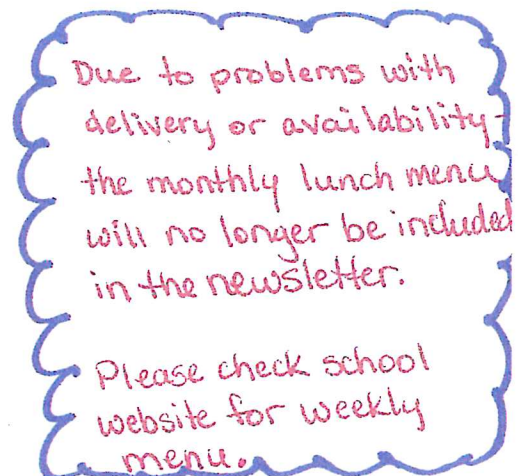
We remain committed to providing our students with the nutritious meals they need to grow and learn. We appreciate your patience and understanding.

As a reminder, school meals are free for ALL students again this school year!

If you have questions, please contact the school.

Sincerely,

The Gackle-Streeter District Office



Due to problems with delivery or availability - the monthly lunch menu will no longer be included in the newsletter.

Please check school website for weekly menu.

2021 Activities November

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5	6
Pictures: PreK & Retakes VB: V @ Linton	VB: V @ Linton		EBB: 4:30p @ NGS Community Center	1/2 Day-Professional Development-dismiss @ 12:30 EBB: 4:30p @ NHS	FB: V @ 7:00p
8	9	10	NO SCHOOL	NO SCHOOL	13
VB: V @ Carrington Wrestling: V @ TBD	Bookmobile VB: V @ Carrington		VB: V @ Carrington	FB: V @ 7:00p-Fargo Dome: NDSU	
15	16	17	18	19	20
GBB-V: 3:30p @ NHS gym GBB-JH: 4:30p @ NHS			YEARBOOK MEETING-8:00a VB: V @ Bismarck Civic Ctr	VB: V @ Bismarck Civic Ctr	VB: V @ Bismarck Civic Ctr
22	23	24	25	26	27
GBB-JH: 4:30p @ Tappen	GBB-JH: 4:30p @ Wishek		NO SCHOOL	NO SCHOOL	
29	30				
GBB-JH: TBD @ NHS	GBB-JV: 6:00p @ Ellendale GBB-V: 7:30p @ Ellendale				

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"providing a quality education using available resources and abilities that will empower all students to be life-long learners"

Mark Berg, Superintendent
Myla Buckeye, Principal
Lisa Zenker, Business Manager



Jeff Williams, Board President
Christina Zenker, Vice President
Jon Metz, Director
Lindi Heflin, Director
Connie Rivinius, Director

Oct 12th, 2021

To: Parents, students & staff of Gackle-Streeter School district

Gackle-Streeter and Napoleon are part of a sports COOP that benefits students in both districts and provides competitive athletic programs with enough players to have a full team.

Due to the miles traveled every day and the logistics of two schedules to be considered, sometimes concerns come up. In-an -effort to provide effective communication for the athletic directors in both schools and to clear up confusion for coaches and players, it is important that proper protocol is followed.

All questions and concerns must follow the chain of command. The chain of command for this COOP starts with the athletic director at our school. That is Mr. Berg. If you have a question or concern the step you need to follow is to call our school and ask for Mr. Berg, he will work to resolve any issues. He can be reached at 485-3692.

Thank you,

Jeff Williams
Gackle-Streeter School Board President

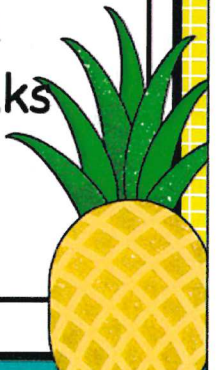
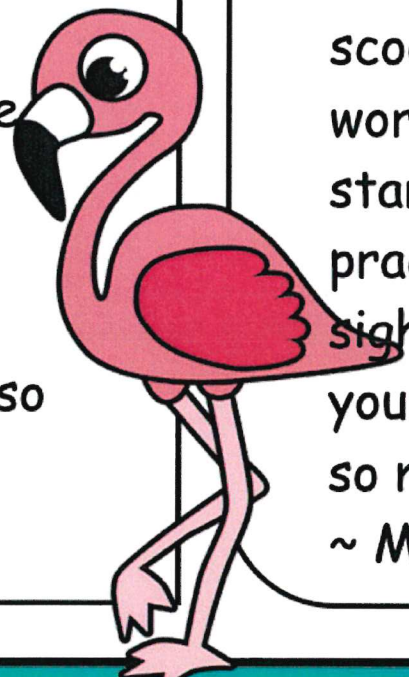
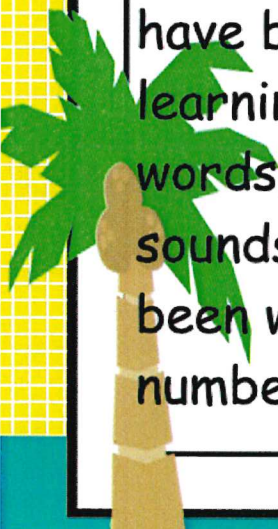


Kindergarten News

October was a busy month in Kindergarten! We learned about what plants and animals need and how they change the environment. We learned about how different life was long ago. We started learning about our community and the helpers we have. We have been busy learning our sight words, letters, and sounds! We have also been working with numbers from 1-10.



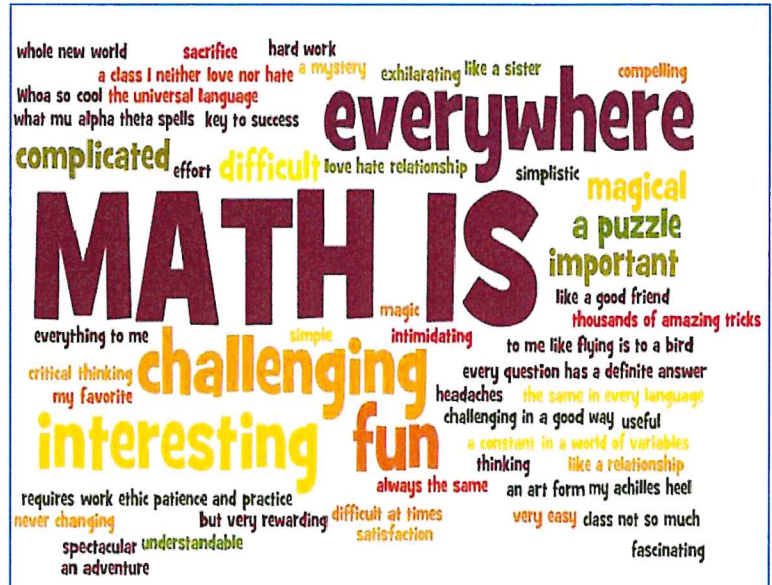
Reminder: Our scooping up sight words activity has started! Please be practicing those sight words with your child! Thanks so much!
~ Mrs. Sealey



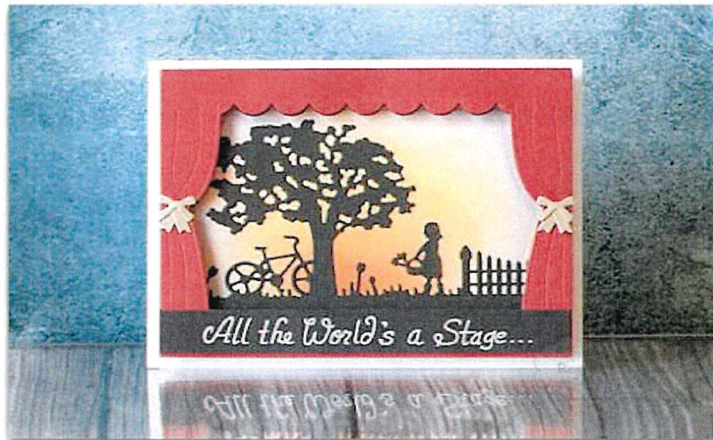
3 ft. of trash is called what?

A YARD of junk!

How are we in November already?! It seems that another school year is surely coming and going by quickly. As the weeks continue to go on, so does our learning. If you ask any of the Algebra 2 students about how transformations are going, I am sure they would tell you how much they love them. Or the geometry students about writing proofs. Math might not always be enjoyable but in the long run it does help students increase their ability to make sense of problems and persevere in solving them.



Miss Mairs



Gackle-Streeter One-Act

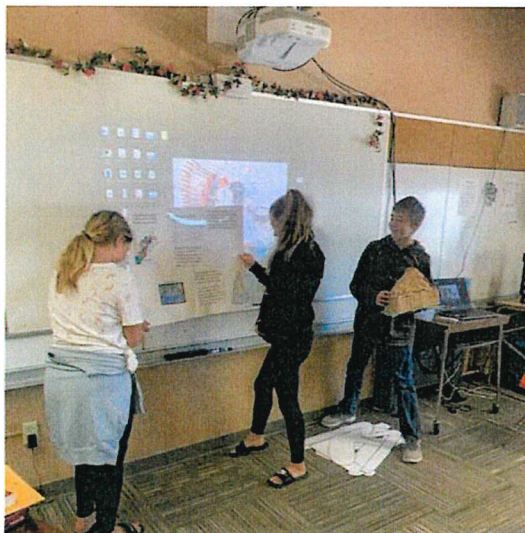
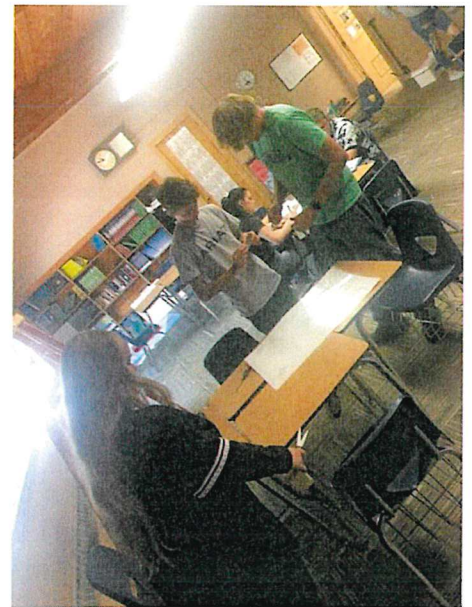
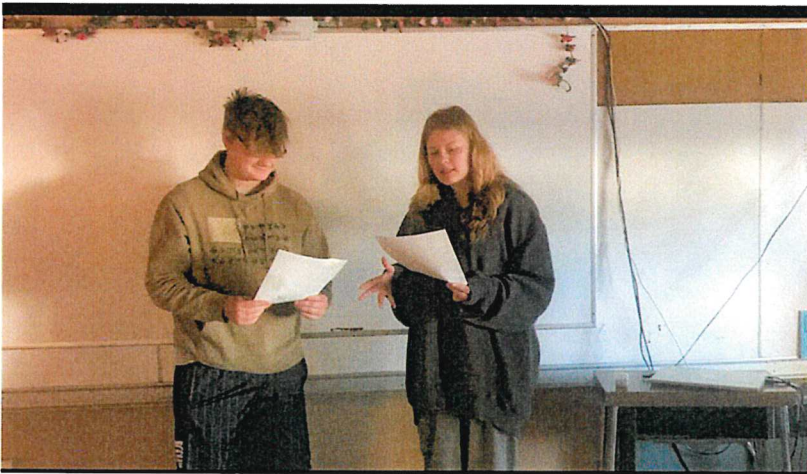
We are off to a strong start with our play this year. We have a great cast who are working hard in and out of practice. There are a few new faces to drama this year which is just wonderful! We have our regional meet, November 4th, in Wishek to compete against our regional schools. We will be having a dress rehearsal for the school on November

2nd. This will provide us with practice and a better chance to feel what it is like to perform for an audience. I cannot wait to see how it goes!

Miss Mairs

Hi, it's me-Ms. Haak from the Social Studies Room!

I am so excited to be back in the classroom from my maternity leave. I want to thank my students and my sub-Addie Hanson for working so hard while I was gone. With that being said, I wanted to update you on the projects that happened while I was out. Can't wait to see what they create for the remainder of the year. 😊





Agriculture Education

We will be starting our Annual Fruit and Pizza fundraiser on November 1 ending on November 13. Delivery will be around December 15. Fruit will be the same company as in the past and Badlands Pizza is the pizza of choice again this year. We will also be selling Badlands Jerky. Be watching for chapter members selling pizza. We will have e-funds available to use as a payment this year also.

We had several students attend District 6 Leadership in Tappen on October 7. All participants received a bronze rating. Those attending were Cheyenne Babineau Owen, Abby Rivinius, Ali Gross, Lorelie Storbeck, Richie Nenow, Bridger Rivinius, Gentry Nenow, Cooper Rivinius, Cash Rivinius, Luke Graber, Brenden Zenker, and Eli Carlson. I am proud of your efforts and dedication to FFA.

Be on the look out for our activities on the school website.

Mrs. Hatlewick



ARCHERY

Watch for details in the coming months for the new year in Archery. Those in 4-12th grades may participate in the NASP program. We hope to hold face to face contests this year but there may also be some virtual ones held. The season starts in January and we will begin practices on Mondays and Wednesdays after school. We will also schedule some 3D practices once bullseye practices start.

Plans are being made for a face to face state tournament in March at the ND State Fair grounds in Minot.

Remember to keep your sights on the **BULLS EYE!** Not only in archery but academically and personally. Our success in life depends on your goals you strive to achieve.

Coach Hatlewick

Thank You! Thank You! Thank You! Thank You!

Thank you to all who helped with the carnival. Especially Becky Rivinius, Erin Storbeck and Corinne Muller for your expertise in the kitchen. Thanks to all the FFA Members and Community Development class for your work in putting it on. Mrs. Buckeye and Mr. Berg for staying to help.

Thank you to all the bakers for the cake walk donations and the bars for the meal.

Thank you to Wright Insurance, Kyle Graber Family, Jon Metz Family, National FFA, Thrivent/Ralph Rivinius Family, Seigman Family, Jeremy Nelson and Mrs. Hatlewick for donations.

Thank you to all those that attended and supported the Community Development class community service event for the Gackle Park Board Fundraiser.

A final total will be announced when the Grant money is received from National FFA but in calculating it was a huge success of very close to our \$1500 goal. Be watching for the announcement soon.





Happy Fall! Looking ahead towards our Christmas concerts, we are planning the High School concert for December 6th at 7:00 p.m. and the Elementary concert Tuesday, December 14th at 6:30 p.m. For HS Pep band, put the dates of January 3rd and 11th for the games here in Gackle on your calendar. We are also planning to have our 15th annual soup/chili cook-off prior to the varsity boys basketball game on January 11th.

Thank you to everyone who purchased burritos from our fundraiser. We sold 1200 burritos this year which is awesome and the most we have ever taken orders for. Looking ahead at what we are planning for fundraisers.... For sure we will have a new shirt design coming out shortly. We will be taking orders for puffins and butterbraids the end of January/beginning of February. Also, during that time will be the Valentine's Day flower bouquets.



Until December, enjoy the beautiful Fall days! Mrs. Muller

Thanksgiving Fun Facts

The first ever Thanksgiving was a three day affair

In November 1621, the settlers first harvested the corn which proved so successful and Governor William Bradford reportedly invited the Plymouth Colonists Native Americans allies to enjoy the fruits of their labor. This all lasts up to 3 days, however, nowadays Thanksgiving takes place over one whole day.

Native Americans and Colonists might not have turkey at their meal

Most of us enjoy turkey at the centerpiece of our table, however, no one is sure if it's included at the very first Thanksgiving celebration in 1621. The guests indulged in other foods such as lobster, seal and swan. The Wampanoag brought five deer to the celebration.

The first parade of Macy's Thanksgiving didn't feature any balloons

If you can't imagine the Macy's Thanksgiving Day parade without giant floats featuring the favorite character. You would barely recognize the first parade in the early 1920s. It had puppets to ride the iconic floats as well as singers, Santa Claus and celebrities.

In 1939, Thanksgiving was celebrated on the third Thursday in November, not the fourth

The holiday was celebrated on the fourth day since Lincoln officially recognized the federal holiday decades before, Roosevelt bumped it up a week, thereby adding seven more shopping days to the holiday season to boost the economy.

Americans prepare 46 million turkeys for Thanksgiving every year

Thanksgiving without turkey is just like Christmas without a tree and most of the American families would not dream of foregoing the almighty bird. However, it's not popular the rest of the year. Turkey is famous for holidays probably because it helps with large gatherings.

Only male turkey can gobble

If you thought a turkey went "gobble, gobble" in preschool, you were only half right. Only male turkeys, dubbed gobblers, are capable of making the sound. Female turkeys, on the other hand, cackle. So, if you want to know if a turkey is male or female, just wait till their beaks open.

Americans eat estimated 50 million pumpkin pies each Thanksgiving

Some of us think of pumpkin pie as a vehicle for whipped cream and could do without it. You're not alone if you'd rather save your pumpkins until Halloween and eat another Thanksgiving dessert. According to The American Pie Council, apple pie is preferred by the majority of Americans, with pumpkin pie coming in second.

Macy's Thanksgiving day parade is the world's largest parade

Despite the fact that the initial Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade did not feature any balloons, it is now the

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Foster self-respect to help your child behave respectfully to others

In order to interact in positive ways with others in school, students need to have a sense of self-respect. When children don't value themselves, they find it hard to value other people and treat them with respect.

Several factors contribute to your child's sense of self-respect. Here are some ways to bolster:

- **Competence.** It feels great to be able to do things well. Give your child lots of chances to learn and practice skills—everything from reading to playing sports to doing chores.
- **Accomplishments.** Notice your child's progress and successes. "You worked hard to make your report great. That should make you feel proud."
- **Confidence.** Encourage your child to stay positive in challenging situations. Help him see mistakes as opportunities to learn, and show your confidence in him by displaying a "you can do it" attitude.
- **Independence.** Allow your child to make age-appropriate choices. For example, "Would you rather organize your binder now or this evening?"
- **Support.** Show your child that you accept, appreciate and love him for who he is. Ask about his day and listen attentively to his answers.
- **Imitation.** If you have self-respect, your child is more likely to have it, too. Stick to your principles. Take care of yourself and believe in your worth.



Avoid activity overload

Concerns about what your child missed during the pandemic may make it tempting to sign her up for every enrichment activity available. Keep in mind that your child also needs time—not in the car—to concentrate on her schoolwork, as well as some time to relax and avoid stress. If too many activities have her overwhelmed, ask her to choose one or two that she truly enjoys.

Asking questions improves reading comprehension

Your child will get more out of reading if he asks and answers some questions along the way. Help him consider questions such as:

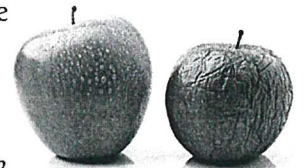
- **Does the title** of the book, chapter or unit offer clues to the content?
- **Are there words** he doesn't know? He can jot them down to look up later.
- **Is this topic** similar to anything else he knows? What ideas are familiar? What new things did he learn?



Promote scientific discovery

An understanding of science is vital in today's world. To encourage your child to learn and enjoy the subject:

- **Investigate nature.** Observe the moon and stars together. Compare the weights of cups of snow, ice and water.
- **Ask questions.** "Why do you think ... ?" "What might happen if ... ?" "How could we find out ... ?"
- **Discuss** science happening in your home. Why do old apples shrink and get wrinkly?
- **Give your child** something to take apart to figure out how it works. Try a ballpoint pen, a candle or an old toy.



Post a problem-solving guide to math

There is usually more than one way to solve a problem. This is definitely true when students are struggling with a math assignment.

To help your child remember the strategies to use if she gets confused while doing math, have her create a visual reminder to hang in her work area. Give her some posterboard, and help her list everything she can try to get herself back on track. Her list might include:

- **Reread the instructions.**
- **Restate the problem** in my own words.
- **Draw a diagram.**

- **Look for a similar sample** problem in my book or handout.
- **Think about how I solved** other problems like this one.
- **Estimate an answer** and then check it out.

The next time your child is stuck on a math problem, she can refer to her poster to find several ways to approach it.

Source: D. Ronis, *Brain-Compatible Mathematics*, Skyhorse Publishing.

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ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Q&A My child loves screens and hates rules. What can I do?

Q: Mornings at our house are hectic. In order to get everyone ready on time, I've established a rule: No screen time before school. My nine-year-old constantly tries to break it. Aside from taking away her games and videos forever, what can I do?

A: All kids break the rules once in a while. When your child does, calmly enforce the consequence you have established (banning screen time for a few days, for example). Then remind her that she's responsible for her choices. To help her avoid making the same poor choice again:



1. **Have your child name the problem.** "I want to watch videos and play games after breakfast, but Mom says that slows me down and I'm not ready when it's time to get going."
2. **Help her brainstorm solutions.** "If I do my math and reading right after school, I'll have time to watch a video after dinner." Or "If I put my game device away before bed, I won't see it lying out and be tempted to play with it in the morning."
3. **Discuss her options** and help her decide which to try first.
4. **Try her solution.**
5. **Evaluate the outcome.** Did it work? Fantastic. Did it fail? Help her choose one of her other ideas to try or brainstorm some more.

Parent Quiz

Do you use these read-aloud strategies?

Daily read-alouds with your child develop his reading skills and help him associate reading with enjoyable times with you. Are you using read-aloud strategies that make the most of this time? Answer *yes* or *no* below:

- ___ 1. **Do you set aside** at least 20 minutes a day to get cozy and read with your child?
- ___ 2. **Do you take** turns being the one to read aloud?
- ___ 3. **Do you let** your child choose where and what you'll read sometimes?
- ___ 4. **Do you pause** from time to time to discuss what you've read so far?
- ___ 5. **Do you stop** reading at an exciting place in the story so your child will want to continue the next day?

How well are you doing?

More yes answers mean you are helping your child become a better reader. For each no, try that idea.

*"Reading should not be presented to children as a chore or duty. It should be offered to them as a precious gift."
—Kate DiCamillo*

Supporting homework helps you stay in the know

Homework is a link between home and school. When you supervise your child's efforts, you find out what she is learning. Completing assignments is your child's responsibility, but it helps if you:

1. **Make sure your child understands** the task. Have her explain it to you. If she's confused, read the instructions together. Display a positive attitude.
2. **Review completed work.** This tells your child that schoolwork matters.
3. **Let the teacher know** if your child repeatedly struggles with assignments. Ask how you can help.

Should you pay for grades?

As a form of motivation, paying students for excellent grades shows inconsistent benefits and some serious drawbacks: It misses a lot of effort and progress. Your child is less likely to enjoy the satisfaction of learning for its own sake. And he may lose motivation to do anything he isn't being paid for.

Instead, help your child focus on what he's learning. Help him recognize his new skills. And praise him for working hard and doing his best.

Jump-start writing ideas

If your child can't think what to write about, brainstorming is a good way to get her creative juices flowing. Encourage her to:

- **Try a new point of view.** What would a picnic look like to an ant?
- **Use visuals.** Have her look at a picture and write down everything it brings to mind.
- **Add actions** to her ideas. What will happen next? How quickly?



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Want amazing and engaging Thanksgiving trivia questions to play during the holiday? Then here you go! Here is a list of Thanksgiving trivia questions which you can try with your family and friends.

1. Who was the first President of Turkey who pardoned turkey?
2. Which president has made the pardoning of Turkey an annual event?
3. How many women participated at the very first Thanksgiving celebration?
4. Which one of the presidents made Thanksgiving a permanent national holiday?
5. Which one of the presidents had refused to celebrate Thanksgiving as a national holiday?
6. Which president has received a Thanksgiving present in the form of a live raccoon?
7. Which native American tribe celebrated the first Thanksgiving function with pilgrims?
8. Which native American friend to the settlers and acted as an interpreter?
9. In which month did the very first Thanksgiving celebration likely take place?
10. How many turkeys are prepared for Thanksgiving in America every single day?
11. Do most Americans eat apple pie or pumpkin pie?
12. Which turkey gobbles the most on Thanksgiving feast?
13. When was the green bean casserole included in the Thanksgiving dinners?
14. During which revolutionary war battle had the troops gone through a day of Thanksgiving?
15. Which city conducted the oldest Thanksgiving parade of the day?
16. In which year did Adam Sandler release "The Thanksgiving song"?
17. In which year did the Macy's Thanksgiving Day parade first have balloons?
18. On an average basis, how many people did attend the Macy's Thanksgiving Day parade each year?
19. How many people usually participate in the Macy's Thanksgiving Day parade every year?
20. Other than Black Friday holiday, what is another holiday of the day after Thanksgiving?
21. According to Guinness Book of World records, how much does a heaviest turkey on record weigh?
22. How much does an average Thanksgiving turkey weigh?
23. Which state has the record of consuming most of the turkey every Thanksgiving?
24. When did the first canned cranberries come about?
25. Which meat is the most popular alternative to turkey on Thanksgiving Day?
26. According to stats, which is the most favorite Thanksgiving side dish of Americans?
27. In which country do people love to travel the most on Thanksgiving?
28. Is it true or false that America has a special stamp for Thanksgiving?
29. What is the day after Thanksgiving which is quite popular among the people?
30. What was the first balloon that was flown at Thanksgiving?
31. Which comic character has made the most appearance at the Thanksgiving parades?
32. In 2019, Green Giant set a Guinness World Record for the largest green bean casserole. How much did it weigh?
33. What year was the coldest Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade?
34. "What if we were grateful for everyone today?" stated who?
35. Farmers used to put booties on their turkeys for a reason. Why?
36. Which well-known Christmas carol was originally intended to be a Thanksgiving carol?
37. What is the name of the dangling skin under a turkey's neck?
38. What is the average number of feathers on a fully grown turkey?
39. What is the fastest a turkey can run?
40. Which is the best place to put the meat thermometer in the turkey?

Thanksgiving Trivia Questions

ANSWERS ON FOLLOWING PAGE

41. Macy's was the first department store to organize a Thanksgiving parade. True or false?
42. Is the Thanksgiving feast served with female or male turkeys?
43. What is a turducken, exactly?
44. What do Americans adore even more than the main course?
45. When was the first Thanksgiving parade broadcast nationally?
46. Which character from 'Friends' despises Thanksgiving?
47. True or false? The purpose of Black Friday was to discourage people from shopping.
48. How many volunteers march in the Macy's Thanksgiving Parade each year?
49. What is the lifespan of turkey?
50. What is the slaughter age of turkey?



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HAPPY THANKSGIVING WORD SEARCH

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See how many of these words you can find in the puzzle. The words can be forward, backward or diagonal.

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| 1. THANKSGIVING | 5. THANKFUL | 9. STUFFING | 13. PUMPKIN |
| 2. HOLIDAY | 6. FOOD | 10. SALAD | 14. PIE |
| 3. FAMILY | 7. TURKEY | 11. BREAD | 15. VEGETABLES |
| 4. FRIENDS | 8. POTATOES | 12. YAM | 16. HAM |

Thanksgiving Trivia ANSWERS

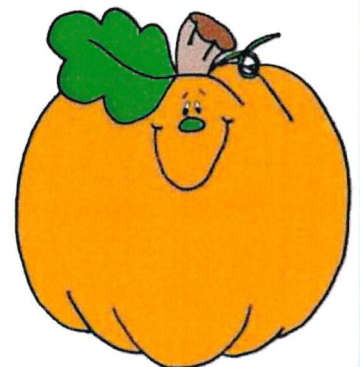
Want amazing and engaging Thanksgiving trivia questions to play during the holiday? Then here you go! Here is a list of Thanksgiving trivia questions which you can try with your family and friends.

1. John F. Kennedy
2. George H.W. Bush
3. Five
4. Abraham Lincoln
5. Thomas Jefferson
6. Calvin Coolidge
7. The Wampanoag
8. Squanto
9. September
10. 46 million
11. Apple pie
12. Male turkey
13. 1955
14. The battle of Saratoga
15. Philadelphia
16. 1992
17. 1928
18. About 3.5 million
19. About 8,000
20. Native American Heritage Day
21. 86 pounds
22. About 15 pounds
23. California
24. 1912
25. Ham
26. Stuffing
27. USA
28. True
29. Black Friday
30. Felix the cat
31. Snoopy
32. 1009 lbs.
33. 2018
34. Charlie brown
35. To protect their feet when walking to market
36. Jingle bells
37. Wattle
38. 3500
39. 25 mph
40. The thigh
41. False. It was Gimbels
42. Both
43. Chicken inserted inside a duck, which is then inserted inside a turkey
44. Thanksgiving leftovers
45. 1947
46. Chandler
47. It's true
48. 4500
49. Up to 15 years
50. 4-5 months

Thanksgiving Word Search

N N R O C T N C G A
S T U F F I N G R C
N I K P M U P D A J
S Q U A S H H J V L
H T U R K E Y Y Y D

corn
gravy
pumpkin
squash
stuffing
turkey





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