

Homedale Elementary School Memo



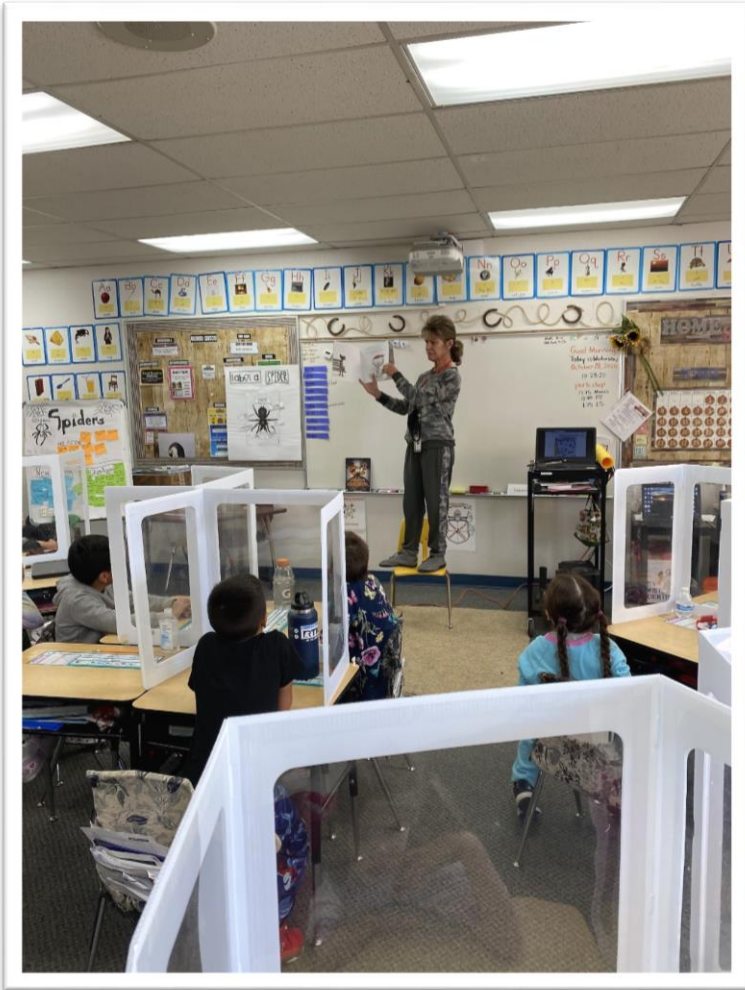
To: Homedale Board of Trustees, Superintendent Rob Sauer
From: Tate Castleton, Principal
Date: November 3, 2020
Re: Report to Board of Trustees

OCTOBER WAS A FUN MONTH AT HES: Our students and teachers had a fun month working hard and creating masterpieces in the classroom and at home! On Wednesday, October 28th we held a Pumpkin Walk down the halls of our building. 2nd and 3rd Grade students were asked to create a pumpkin based upon a book – and the results were OUTSTANDING! Below are some of the fun creations:





RED RIBBON WEEK AND THE AMAZING MRS. GARRETT: October 26-28 was Red Ribbon Week at HES. Mrs. Garrett, our AMAZING school counselor, did an amazing job all week teaching our students about how important it is to be DRUG FREE! She spent time in every classroom teaching an engaging lesson and doing a fun activity with all of our students.





PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES: October's conferences overall were a success! Teachers offered conferences via Google Meets, email, phone, or in-person (by appointment only). A large majority of conferences were held over the phone, but as a result of this new approach teachers were able to contact and visit with a high number of parents. In an effort to give parents a glimpse of what their children are doing here at school, we also posted dozens of pictures of student work (see below) on our social media pages – something we know our parents really appreciate. We hope the day will come when we can welcome them back into our building on a regular basis – until then, we'll keep sharing the fun, creative, and unique work their children create each day frequently!



PARENT / TEACHER CONFERENCES





UPCOMING EVENTS:

November 6	Staff In-service
November 23-27	NO SCHOOL – Thanksgiving Break
December 4	Student Support & Enrichment / Staff In-service
December 17	End of 2 nd Quarter – 1:30 p.m. release