



HYLEN SOUDERS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Upcoming Important Dates

December 22:

Last day before break. Report cards sent home with students.

January 5:

Students return from winter break

January 13:

PTO Meeting-Time TBD

January 18:

No School

* Due to the pandemic, in-person events (concerts, PTO meetings, STEM/Literacy night, etc.) are postponed through spring break. We will continue to reassess and post updates.

Dear Souders Families and Friends:

Report cards, will go home with students Tuesday. Report cards will also be available on the parent portal in Powerschool. We use standards based report cards. At this point in the year, the report will have many "P's." A P indicates your child is progressing toward mastering end of year grade level standards. Since the report cards are based on end of the year standards, we do not expect students have mastered those standards at this point. So do not be alarmed. If you have questions about your child's progress reach out to the classroom teacher.

Thanks,
Mr. Cox



Mr. Wilson's math classes have been working hard on their multiplication and division skills. In the photo below, students are working in the co-taught classroom with Mrs. Keep. With both Mr. Wilson and Mrs. Keep in the room, students are able to benefit from having two teachers to help them work on either extending their knowledge or practicing concepts they are working on in math.

A few parent reminders...

1.) Report cards will be sent home on December 22. Many items will be marked "P." This means your child is progressing toward mastery of grade level standards. If you have questions, please reach out.

2.) Our bus routes may change for 2nd semester. Students may ride a different bus and pick up and drop off times may change. We will share information prior to January 5

Our students collected **22** large boxes of food for the food drive. What an incredible effort! Thank you! Also, thanks to our student council and Mrs. Keep for organizing.



Quote of the Week:

"It is impossible to live without failing at something, unless you live so cautiously that you might as well not have lived at all - in which case, you fail by default."

— J.K. Rowling



At left: Our 2nd grade team wearing their ugly sweaters.

Our next newsletter will be shared January 8, 2021.