



Cape Cod Lighthouse Charter School

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Notes to Home the Week of February 28, 2022

Covid Vaccine - If your child has recently received the Covid vaccine, please send a copy of the vaccine's card to our school nurse. You may send a hard copy into school or email to us at ksmith@cclcs.info.

REMINDER: We are in a new month so please remember to order your school breakfast and lunches! We will open breakfast and lunches through March 18th. Please note some of our Grab & Go lunch choices have changed.

Donations Needed - We are in need of some tissues and paper towels. If you are in the supermarket this week kindly pick up an extra box for us! Thank you.

March CCLCS Rock Night at Charles Moore Arena. Join us Saturday, March 12 from 6:30-8 p.m. at Charles Moore Arena in Orleans for a St Patrick's Day themed Rock Night for CCLCS students ONLY! Rental skates available, \$10 admissions.

Clubs and Activities

MODEL UN will meet tomorrow morning in Ms. Kast's room at 8 a.m. See you there!

Music

Strings! Hope that you had a great vacation week. The schedule this week will be as follows, Wednesday will be for NM and OM at 7:45 a.m. On Friday we have Ensemble for all at 7:45 a.m., first period sectional will be for NG, and second period sectional is canceled. See you all very soon! Mrs. Schultze

Choral Music - Regular schedule this week: Tuesday 7:45-8:30 a.m. - Thursday 7:45-8:30 a.m. - Friday 3:00-4:00 a.m.

6th Grade

Week-at-a-Glance: https://docs.google.com/document/d/1QlmhTST2fin3WEaUC_AvDs3TEinvORYFvQ63-C4lx14/edit?usp=sharing

8th Grade

8th Grade Virtual Parent Meeting - Day: Tuesday, March 8 - **Time:** 6:30pm.

Subject: Join the 8th grade teachers as we review upcoming field trips information (ski trip, White Mountains) and outline end of the year traditions. Zoom link to be shared when is closer to the night.

8 ELA - *Lord of the Flies* "Graphic Novels" are due on Wednesday. Instructions are on Google Classroom. We will be starting an essay on Wednesday/Thursday of this week that will be due the following Wednesday. Students **MUST** complete this essay to be eligible for the ski trip on the 19th. Extra help sessions will be available before school next Monday & Wednesday.

Calendar

March 8. 8th grade Virtual Parent Mtg., 6:30 PM

March 10 8th grade Ski Trip

March 18. Term 2 ends

March 29 SEPAC Meeting, 6 p.m.

Teacher Spotlight - Susy Remillard - 6th Grade ELA



Susannah Remillard is the 6th grade ELA teacher at CCLCS. She also teaches seminar classes on restorative agriculture, including developing and managing the three sisters garden and the Roots and Shoots Club at our school.

In 2019, she completed a Fulbright Distinguished Award in Teaching at Victoria University in Wellington, New Zealand, including a capstone on the importance of teaching difficult history and indigenous narratives, especially in our foundational stories, and a TEDx on the same topic. She is currently engaged as a consultant to the National Museum of the American Indian to revise lessons around the first Thanksgiving. Publications include “Toss Out the Tall Hats and Headdresses: Reconsidering the Teaching of the First Thanksgiving in Our Schools” for the Cape and Islands Historical Association and “Teachers as Change Agents: Returning Hard History to a Colonized World” published in *Teachers on Fulbright: Reflections on Global Pedagogy and Practice*. Her work on ABAR teaching and decolonizing schools has been featured at national conferences and in instructional videos from First Book and the Massachusetts Department of Elementary and Secondary Education, including lessons focused on indigenous history, immigration, and civil rights. Her work has also been shared through The Atlantic Black Box Project, First Book, NCSS, NCTE, and National Geographic Educator Forums.

Additionally, Susannah works as a lead teacher and instructional coach for Campus Without Walls, ThinkerAnalytix, and the Qatar Foundation, and she serves on the Daniels Fund Ethics Initiative Middle School Advisory Board. Her work revolves around giving students the tools to examine the human journey, breaking down bias and revising difficult history with the next generation of engaged thinkers and citizens.

In March, Mrs. Remillard heads out to Minneapolis for a week as a Fulbright alumna to participate in American Identity: Exploring Our Collective Memory, Heritages, and Histories, sponsored by the U.S. Department of State's Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs.

We wish Mrs. Remillard good luck in Minneapolis! We can't wait to hear about her next adventure!