



HUDLOW TALEFEATHERS

November Newsletter

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Important Dates:
Testing dates:
November 23—December 17
Grading Day December
Fall Break October 12-15

Principal's Corner—Eva Almonte

Hawks, we miss you all so much hope you have been keeping safe and healthy. As you know by now, our plans of opening the school and coming Hybrid has now changed. We will continue our learning via Zooms and all online learning a had a great beginning of the month. Fall is here and the weather is beginning to show her face. Our first quarter is almost over and Fall Break is close by. With that said, please make sure that you have reached out to your child's teacher and touched base on homework and class work that is due. With that said, thank you for supporting your children and our teachers. If you are finding yourself in need of some social emotional help, please reach out to our staff and teachers for some ideas.

Tax Credit information:

Please consider giving Hudlow "Extra Credit" by assigning your tax credit dollars to Hudlow Elementary School. With your help, we can continue offering Music and Art to all Hudlow's students! We appreciate your support! \$200 for single filers, and \$400 for married filing joint!

NO SCHOOL: Friday, October 9th Teacher Grading Day
Monday-Friday, October 12th-16th Fall Break

Return to Hybrid, In-person Learning

Keep posted to TUSD Facebook posts and Dr. Trujillo messages. He will soon inform the community about the decision. Changes happen on a daily, please stay tuned in. Governing Board review to return to a hybrid model in January.

HUDLOW FAMILY ENGAGEMENT ZOOM MEETING

Wednesday, November 25, 2020 - 11am-1pm
Carlos Gomez, School Counselor, will facilitate

"Our goal is to unite our knowledge and experiences so that we can all benefit from one another and continue to foster the social emotional and educational goal of our kids. I would like to make an emphasis on the fact that these meetings are flexible and geared towards understanding the negative influences these current nuances have on our kids' behavior. Some examples of topics we will discuss are establishing independence, positive reinforcement, implementing discipline and accountability, and many more."

We at Hudlow are here to help parents identify strategies and resources to help them have control in their homes. This is an invitation to see how we can continue to support our families.

Join Zoom Meeting
<https://tusd1.zoom.us/j/9118293903>
Meeting ID: 911 829 3903

Principal's Vision:

To ensure that all students acquire high levels of academic achievement through sound leadership focused on quality education, equity in a caring environment.

"Hudlow.....On a learning Expedition!"

Watch our Monday Flagpole videos on Facebook, Hudlow Website or our Hudlow Youtube. We have also posted other fun videos on these links. You children have the youtube links on their clever page.

Parents: Interested in Being a Part of Something...

Our PTA (Parent Teacher Association) is still looking to recruit members. If you are interested in serving as a PTA member, please contact Trish Miller at patricia.miller@tusd1.org

Virtual Choral Festival Registration

we invite ALL students in grades 2-12 who love to sing to participate!

We know you are swamped! We only need one step from you for your students to participate:

Send the **attached flier (2 pages)** and this **registration link** to students who may be interested: <https://form.jotform.com/202536567250050>

More Details:

Open to all students in grades 2-12. Students DO NOT have to be in a choir class to participate.

Part tracks provided for unison (elementary), 3-part mixed (middle school), and SATB (high school)

[Here's a sneak peek of the piece!](#)

This is also open to YOU! We would love to include teachers in this project. No need to register separately. (Teachers are free!)

Registration closes October 26th and video submissions are due Nov 2

An optional virtual rehearsal will be scheduled in October, and a rehearsal recording will be sent to all participants.

I'm also happy to schedule a school visit with participating students!

You will receive the **final video by Nov 30**, to be used in your concert/performance/whatever you're doing for your first-semester showcase

Cost: \$15/singer for non-Title One schools, \$5/singer for Title One schools

This helps to cover the music, licensing fees, and TGC staff time

End of the Quarter

This week is the 6th week of the second quarter, marking the halfway point of the quarter. Remember, the only grades that are officially recorded on a student's final transcript are the semester grades. The quarter grade reflects the student's current, cumulative grade up to October 25th, giving you a strong indication of how your student is progressing. Although these grades will not be officially reflected on a student's final transcript, they will be used to determine eligibility for sports/activity participation and will account for, in most cases, almost half of the final grade. We recommend that all parents/guardians check ParentVUE over the Thanksgiving break to see how your student has been performing for the first half of the semester. If your student is not making the progress you would like to see, it is important that you hold your student accountable to attending conference period tutoring sessions with their teachers and to attending the after school tutoring that is offered via zoom every day led by highly qualified, certified teachers.

Technology Checkouts

We hope that the technology we have disbursed to students has all been working properly for you. Please feel free to call the office if you are having any issues and we will be happy to troubleshoot with you via the phone or set up an appointment to bring the unit in to be checked if needed.

Please be aware that the district has associated fines with several types of damage which families are responsible for if the unit is broken or missing parts. Fees range from \$25-\$649 depending on the missing item or type of damage that has been accessed.