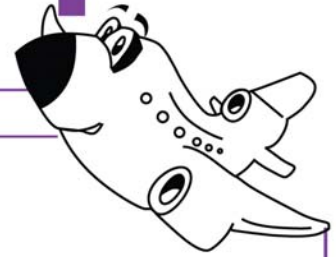


FREMONT

CITY SCHOOLS

CROGHAN ELEMENTARY



Strong Academics

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DISTRICT MISSION

The mission of Fremont City Schools is to develop well-educated life-long learners prepared to be responsible, productive and respectful members of their communities.

The Fremont City School District will not discriminate nor tolerate harassment in its educational programs or activities for any reason, including on the basis of religion, race, color, national origin, sex, disability, age, military status, sexual orientation or ancestry. Additionally, it will not discriminate in its employment policies nor practices.

1. INCREASE STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT
2. CLOSE SOCIO-ECONOMIC, ETHNIC AND DISABILITY GAPS IN STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT
3. BUILD HOPE, TRUST AND RESPECT WITH OUR COMMUNITY

WWW.FREMONTSCHOOLS.NET

IMPORTANT DATES

Sept 5 **LABOR DAY - NO SCHOOL**

Sept 6 Fall Fundraiser begin

Sept 6,19 Board of Education Meeting - 6 PM

Sept 19 PTO Meeting - 6 PM

Sept 23 **Picture Day**

Sept 30 Interim Reports Go Home

The Principal's Corner...

Dear Parents/Guardians,

"Welcome Back" to the 2011-2012 school year. We want to welcome our new staff members joining our Croghan family, Kristin Osborne - Grade 6, Bev Tuckerman-Librarian, Tammy Duncan - Cook, Jackie Lagrou - Cook, Dana Filliater, Student Monitor, Meghan Michaels - Physical Education, and Bradley Scherzer - Art.

We are proud to see our students continuing to improve on the Ohio Achievement Assessments. Croghan was classified as an effective school meeting the Adequate Yearly Progress. We plan to implement additional improvement strategies that will continue to improve our scores.

I look forward to a great year. As always, feel free to call me at (419) 332-1511 with any questions or concerns.

Yours in education,

Shanita Aaron
Principal

STRONG ACADEMICS + STRONG CHARACTER = STRONG COMMUNITY

ABSENCES

Our school hours are 9:15 – 3:45

Please remember to call the school office at **(419) 332-1511** if your child will be absent for any reason. You may call at anytime prior to our school day and leave a message on the voice mail system. If your child will be picked up by someone other than a custodial parent please send a note to the teacher to explain this. We are **NOT** to release children without parental consent. These individuals must sign your child out on a sheet located in the office.

SCHOOL FEES

This year fees will remain **\$35.00** for all students. Fees can be paid in the school office. Please make checks payable to *Fremont City Schools*. If your child qualifies for free lunch the school fees will be waived and you do not need to fill out a waiver form.

LUNCH PRICES

Lunch	\$2.00
Reduced Lunch	\$.40
Breakfast	\$1.25
Reduced Breakfast	\$.30
Milk	\$.35

Free and reduced lunch forms if needed are available in the school office.

ENTERING THE BUILDING

Upon entering the building please stop in the office, Sign in and take a visitor's badge. This is a **VERY IMPORTANT** part of our security plan.

In the event of a school evacuation your child(ren) will be evacuated to:

EAST FREMONT BAPTIST CHURCH
1204 Kentucky Avenue

Parents will be alerted through the Alert Now of the evacuation. Child(ren) will only be released to parents, guardians or authorized adult listed on the Student Emergency Medical Authorization Form. Please notify the individuals designated as the emergency contact for your child(ren) so that they are aware that such authorization has been given and are aware of any .medical needs of the child(ren),

Word of the Month – Respect

The word of the month for September is Respect.

Here are some ways respect is shown:
Courtesy
Politeness
Appreciation of individual differences
Respecting others rights

At home, your whole family can work on being more polite and courteous to one another. Often people “forget their manners” around those with whom they are most familiar. When you raise the standards in this area, you’ll be pleased at the change.

You might also focus on the unique qualities of your family members. Each day during meal time, for example, “Dad is good storyteller. He makes me laugh. I like Dad’s pancakes.” By focusing on what each person does well, you are appreciating that person’s unique qualities. This idea can be carried outside the home, helping children to see that people who are different from you and your family have unique abilities to be admired and respected.

Linda Overstreet
Elementary Counselor
Croghan Elementary School

LEGO Club

Meets on the 2nd Saturday of the month during the school year.

Kindergarten – 6th Grade

10:00 – 11:30 am

Bring your imaginations and we'll supply the LEGOS.

Meeting Dates

Saturday, September 10th

&

Saturday, October 8th

Please call 419-334-7101 ext. 209 to register

or

Register online at:

www.birchard.lib.oh.us

Pizza & Pages Club

5th & 6th Graders

4:00-4:45 p.m.

Pizza & Pages is an after school book club, featuring good books and good eats.

It meets once a month October through April

Monday, October 3rd

Pizza & Pages Starts Again

Join us for our first meeting of pizza and fun!

Books are available upon registration and may be picked up at the children's department.

Please call 419-334-7101 ext. 209 to register

or

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