



TLJATIMES

A newsletter for Timothy L. Johnson Academy parents and families.
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November 2023 Newsletter



We are here to serve you and your family! If you have any questions, please contact the school office at 441-8727.



Breakfast & Lunch

All students attending TLJA will receive free school meals. Timothy L. Johnson Academy has been approved to implement the Community Eligibility Provision for breakfast and lunch. This means that parents will not need to fill out the long meal application.

Dear TLJA Family,

I hope this newsletter finds everyone doing well. As we are approaching the winter season as well as the holidays, things get busy and we are always looking for more time to get everything done. This is also a busy time at school as we try to get everything in that needs to be taught prior to our breaks. We are also preparing for some crucial tests. Busy for all. Despite that, it is important to be sure to take a few minutes with our children and reflect on the importance of our families. Thanksgiving is a great time to express to those we care about that they are important to us. Be sure to set time aside for those we love.



Thanksgiving Blessings to all!!
Dawn Starks, TLJA School Leader

Box Tops

We are in need of your box tops for our school. They will help raise money for equipment and technology for our building. Have your student bring them in to the school office.

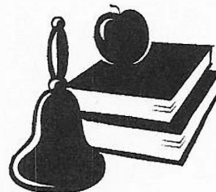
Parent-Teacher Conferences for all scholars

November 3rd
8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

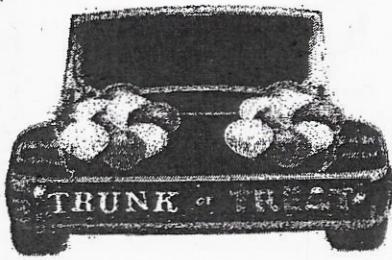
Please be sure to schedule a conference with your child's teacher.

It is crucial that all scholars are at school and participating in class instruction each day. Every day of instruction is crucial to prepare for the next academic year and meet the requirements of the present school year. If you are experiencing any problems, please call us at 260-441-8727. We will be glad to assist you as needed.

Please be sure you are handling all computer devices with extreme care!! Repairs are costly to families.



Please be sure to read with your child at least 20 minutes every night!! Please make sure students are getting eight hours of sleep every night.



TRUNK OR TREAT COMING

On Thursday, October 26th, first grade teachers, Mrs. Orrison, Mrs. Miller and Ms. Robinson will sponsor an all-school Trunk or Treat Night from 5:30 p.m. until 6:30 p.m.

There will be events to participate in, such as coloring tables, cookie decorating tables and a fall tattoo station. All this, plus candy treats. How much fun!

We look forward to seeing lots of scholars here for a fun evening. Please plan to come and bring your scholar to this year's Trunk or Treat Night on Thursday, October 26th, from 5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

IMPORTANT

At the end of the school day, as students are delivered home by their bus, please make sure your student can get safely in the house by having someone there to let them in.

If no one is home, students will be brought back to school, and someone notified their student has been returned to school and need to be picked up).

Thank you so much for allowing us to always help keep your student safe.

2-HOUR DELAY

There will be a 2-hour delay on Tuesday, October 31st.

Buses will pick up students two hours later than normal. If your student is picked up at 8:00 a.m., then the pick-up time will be 10:00 a.m.

School will dismiss and buses will run at regular time.

Important Dates to Remember

October

10/19 Super Shot FluMist

10/19 Last Day for Scholastic

Book Fair

10/26 Trunk or Treat
5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

10/31 2-Hr Delay

Professional Day for Teachers

Buses running 2 hours later than normal

November

11/3 Parent-Teacher Conferences

NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS

11/20 eLearning Day

11/21 eLearning Day

11/22 eLearning Day

11/23-24 Thanksgiving

Holiday

SCHOOL CLOSED

11/28 2-Hr Delay

THANK YOU

A BIG "thank you" goes out to our TLJ parents who came in or completed the survey over the telephone to evaluate our teaching strategies with your children, and or suggest areas in which we might improve.

SCHOLAR OF THE MONTH

On October 20th, there will be a celebration for those students who were named August and September Scholars of the Month.

Those scholars who were nominated as an August or September Scholar of the Month will be honored and receive a certificate as well as a Pizza party.

PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES ON SCHEDULE

Parent-Teacher Conferences for the first quarter at Timothy L. Johnson Academy will take place on Friday, November 3rd. Conference times will be available from 7:30 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. Your student's teacher will be sending home a sheet for you to complete to schedule your appointment. Please return the form as soon as possible to get on the schedule. We look forward to seeing you on November 3rd,

Thank you for taking the time to visit your child's teachers to see what wonderful activities and learning has been accomplished during the first quarter of the 2023-2024 school year.



THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY AND eLearning DAYS COMING UP

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, November 20th, 21st, and 22nd Timothy L. Johnson Academy will have eLearning Days. Students will have on-line assignments to complete and turn in to their teachers when they return from Thanksgiving break. On those days, teachers will be involved in Professional Development meetings.

On Thursday and Friday, November 23rd and 24th, there will be no school in celebration of the Thanksgiving Holiday.

As families gather to celebrate and enjoy the beginning of the holiday season, the staff at Timothy L. Johnson wish for each of our families a safe and enjoyable holiday.