



Cougar Column

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**ONE Team!
ONE Goal!
Success for
ALL!**

Week of May 23, 2022

The Cougar Column is delivered via School Messenger

Monday	5/23	Related Arts Week F and A (PK)
Tuesday	5/24	
Wednesday	5/25	Dismissal 1:45 PAWS Celebration Water Day
Thursday	5/26	Kindergarten Promotion Annie 6:00 p.m.
Friday	5/27	Wear Red, White and Blue for Memorial Day 5 th Grade Promotion/Awards
Monday	5/30	No School - Memorial Day
Tuesday	5/31	5 th Grade Celebration/Clap Out
Wednesday	6/1	5 th Grade trip to Universal
Thursday	6/2	Last Day of School for Students Dismissal 1:45
Friday	6/3	Teacher Planning Day

Reminder!
School starts promptly at 8:25. Please ensure your child arrives on time each day.
If you arrive after 8:25 you must sign your student in at the front office.
Thank you!

Annie!
The Crookshank Drama Club will be performing "Annie" on Thursday May 26th at 6:00 p.m. Please join us.

Pickup Medications
As we near the end of the school year, I would like to remind you that your child's medication should be picked up from the clinic by **THURSDAY, JUNE 2, 2022.** School policy does not allow for medication to remain in the school over the summer. *It will be important for you to make arrangements to pick up your child's medication since medications may **not go home with the student.*** Any medication left in the clinic after **THURSDAY, JUNE 2, 2022,** will be discarded according to policy.

What's Cooking in the Cougar Café?
Tuesday- Hotdogs - Fruits and Vegetables-Milk
Wednesday- Chicken Patty Sandwich - Fruits and Veggies-Milk
Thursday- Cheese Pizza- Fruits and Veggies-Milk
Friday- Hamburger/Cheese Burgers- Fruits and Veggies-Milk



Parent Placement Input Form for 2022-2023
Parents, please take a moment to complete this survey to help us in placing your student for the upcoming school year.
This survey will be live on May 17th and close June 15th.
<https://surveys.stjohns.k12.fl.us/TakeSurvey.aspx?PageNumber=1&SurveyID=76MH958L&Preview=true>

Last Day of School
The last day of school is quickly approaching. The last day is Thursday June 2nd. Dismissal will be at 1:45

Yearbooks are in!
If you pre-ordered a yearbook, it will be delivered to your child's classroom this week on Tuesday, May 24th





Crookshank Cougars PTO



Thank You

As the school year begins to wind down, we'd like to take the next couple of weeks to thank some special people that helped make this year a success!

We'd like to thank Crookshank teachers and staff for all of their support, assistance, and for truly going above and beyond for not only the PTO, but for our students.

Some people in particular we'd like to thank: Mrs. Mitidieri for being a fearless and compassionate leader; Ms. Kling and Ms.

Angelus for your invaluable contributions; Ms. Thomas, Ms. Thane, Ms. Cogar, and Deputy Dobbs for always going out of your way to support and assist us; Ms. Hobbs for being an amazing Teacher Representative for the PTO. Truly, any staff member that we'd ever ask anything of would graciously help us on the spot, every time. We appreciate you!

We've also have had many teachers and staff support the PTO by way of membership, participation, and volunteering. Thank you for the extra time, energy, and love that you put towards our school and students. You're such an asset to the PTO!

Thank you again to our CES staff who all perfectly represented our school motto: "ONE Team. ONE Goal! Success for ALL!"



Visit our Online Store!

<https://my.cheddarup.com/c/crookshank-pto>

We still have spirit items for sale in our online store. Items such as shirts, hoodies, water bottles, magnets, and stickers make great end of the year gifts for students and graduates!

Smencils

Last week for Smencils! Students, come by on either Tuesday or Thursday in the main hall from 8-8:20am. Thursday May 26th will be the last day to get yours!

PTO Volunteers/PTO Board

A lot goes into a successful experience for those who step into Crookshank Elementary.

From funds raised to fun planned (and everything in between), Crookshank PTO plays a special part in that success. However, the PTO can't do all those wonderful things without people like you!

Don't worry, there is a place for everyone--all different types of talent and skill and every level of time commitment.

We encourage everyone to start out by simply filling out our Volunteer Survey. You'll get a sense of the PTO's needs and where you might fit best. Let's work together to make 2022-23 the most successful year yet!

Have questions? Reach out to us anytime at

crookshankpto@gmail.com.

Volunteer

Survey: <https://forms.gle/BwW8sWhKgjfZxqJ39>



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Summer Camp Correction

It has come to our attention that you were notified of a different price for our robotics summer camp June 13-17. We are sorry for the confusion. So we are offering \$10 off our camp for registrations completed before May 31st. Use code CROOKSHANK10 during checkout. Again, we do apologize for the confusion. The price of the camp is \$300. Our themes for this camp are super exciting. We're doing a Mars Expedition with space rovers and an amusement park adventure where kids get to build theme park rides. We'll also be introducing entrepreneurship concepts for a full E-STEAM experience. Each of our themes have exciting robot builds and activities that will keep your camper having fun all week long. Please reach out to us with any questions. We hope to see your children in camp!!

SUMMER CAMP

During our themed camps, students build robots, solve challenges and battle their friends! Themes like Expedition Mars, Amusement Park Tycoons and Battle Robots give students the edge on robotics while they are having fun!



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Mon June 13 - Fri June 17

• 5 days

- Full day - \$300/per student
 - Half day - \$150/per student
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- ✔ Set a goal and challenge a friend or family member to see who can reach the goal first!
- ✔ Log your summer reading each day. For every 6 days or 60 points, you will earn a free book!
- ✔ Our Librarians have created fun reading "Missions" in our R2 app you can complete to earn additional free books!
- ✔ Turn in your paper log or take our ReadSquared online survey through the app to earn an additional free book at the end of the summer!

**Download and track your progress
with our free app, READSquared or
participate using our paper logs.**



Parents, you can create an account first to easily monitor your children's activity for the youth programs.

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St Johns County School District

Next Hiring for Substitute Teachers

Posting June 13th – July 5th

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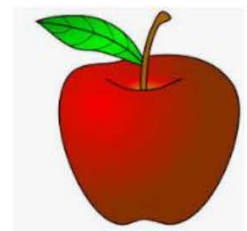
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Applicants who hold a minimum of an Associate degree or equivalent of 60 credits or higher and who are 21 years of age or older are eligible to apply. Preferences given to applicants that have graduated or are graduating from an Education program. All applicants will be reviewed for strong teaching potential, above average references, experience in critical need areas, and/or an education degree.

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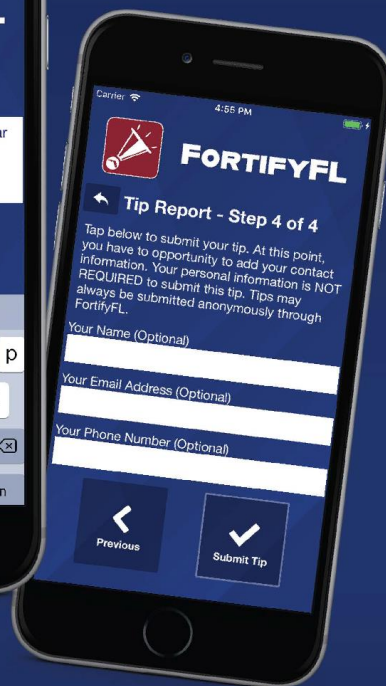
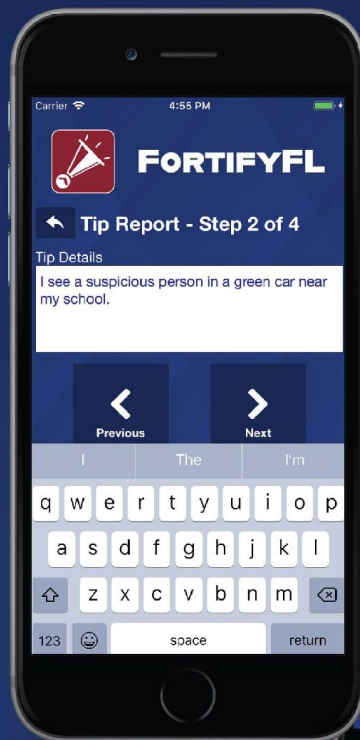




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