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Important Dates

December 2-13

Gr. 4 Horizons Art Residency, in classrooms

Monday, Dec. 2, 9, 16

Big Brothers Big Sisters, CRES Gym, 3:30-4:30pm

Friday, Dec. 6

Gr. 1 Guest Speaker: Chewonki presentations

Tuesday, Dec. 10, 17

Gr. 2 Morning Jump Rope Club, CRES Gym, 7:45-8:35am

Tuesday, Dec. 10

Family Code Night, Cafeteria
5:30-6:00pm Pizza Dinner,
6:00pm-7:00pm Code Activities
(snow date Dec. 17)

Wednesday, Dec. 11

EARLY RELEASE HALF DAY
12:15pm dismissal

Thursday, Dec. 12, 19

Gr. 2 Morning Jump Rope Club, CRES Gym, 7:45-8:35am

Friday, Dec. 13

Progress reports sent home today with your student.

Wednesday, Dec. 18

Camden Rockport Schools Board Meeting, CRES Atrium
Finance Committee Mtg, 5:30pm
School Board Meeting, 7:00pm

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PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

Dear CRES families,

I have a great opportunity to share with you all. I'm excited to announce that we will host our first-ever family coding night at CRES next Tuesday night, December 10th from 5:30 - 7:00 pm. This free event is for CRES students and their parents/guardians.

Coding, or computer programming, is one of our nation's fastest growing jobs and is rapidly becoming an essential skill. Recent CHRHS graduates report that fluency in a programming language is even required for some entry level jobs. Plus coding can be a lot of fun and a great way to develop critical thinking skills. You don't need any prior experience to join our family night; we'll introduce basic concepts using online tutorials from code.org.

We will provide pizza, drinks and cookies and we'll have the devices needed to participate. Look for a sign-up form this week that will include all the details you'll need. Space is limited to 100 people, so get your form in right away.

I look forward to seeing you there!

Best,
Chris



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Friday, Dec. 20

Kindergarten Woodworking
Workshop, CRES Atrium,
9:00am-12:00pm

Monday, December 23 -**Wednesday, January 1****NO SCHOOL, Holiday Break**

School/No School Days in December District-wide

Wednesday, December 11

CRES = 12:15pm Early Release Half Day
CRMS = 11:30 Early Release Half Day
CHRHS = 11:30 Early Release Half Day

Monday - Friday, December 23-27

All Schools = No School, Holiday Break

Monday & Tuesday, December 30-31

CRES = No School, Holiday Break
CRMS = REGULAR SCHOOL DAY
CHRHS = No School, Holiday Break

Wednesday, January 1

All Schools = No School, New Year's Day Holiday

CRES Food Drive: Update

CRES collected 1024 non-
perishable food items for the
Camden Area Christian Food
Pantry! Thank you!



CRES Dories

Checklist for Winter Recess

Here at CRES we go outside as much as we can in the winter cold! Fresh air and daylight provide a good healthy break in our day and a chance for free play with friends. Students are expected to go outside for recess, weather permitting. The 5 items of winter clothing required are pictured here. Please make sure your child arrives to school each day with these 5 items. If you need help providing winter outerwear to your student, let us know. Talk to your teacher, the Main Office, or the Nurse.



Holiday Giving at CRES

Every year we have people ask how they might lend support to local families needing assistance during the holidays. If you would like to support our efforts to provide for families this season, please consider donating gift cards for gas purchases and groceries.

With Appreciation,

Meghan Fitzpatrick, Nurse

Susan Conover, Guidance Counselor

Kate Forand, Social Worker

The Book Trade is on the Move!

The Book Trade will be located outside of 3rd Grade for the month of December. The Book Trade is an opportunity to trade in a gently used book a student owns, for a book off of the shelf.



Did You Know . . . ?

The Emergency Contacts listed on your child's emergency card are not automatically given permission to pick up your child. They are people we call in case we can't reach a parent or legal guardian.

Please send in a note with your child or call the school if someone other than the Parent or Legal Guardian is picking up your child.

SUPPORT



our New Middle School

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Or call: 207-236-3358

FAMILY CODE NIGHT

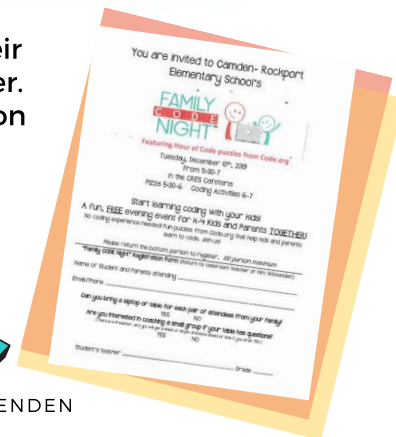


At Family Code Nights, parents pair up with their children to do their first hour of coding, together. The effect is extraordinary: great fun & inspiration

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10, 2019*
5:30-6:00 P.M. PIZZA DINNER
6:00-7:00 P.M. CODE ACTIVITIES
CRES CAFETERIA

REGISTRATION FORMS WILL BE SENT HOME
PLEASE RETURN TO CLASSROOM TEACHERS OR KIM WICKENDEN

*SNOW DATE TUESDAY, DECEMBER 17, 2019





HOLIDAY CONCERT

Friday, December 6, 2019
at 12:00 pm

First Congregational Church
55 Elm Street, Camden

We'll kick off 'Christmas by the Sea' weekend with a fun and festive lunchtime concert of holiday selections for piano, organ, voice, chorus, accordion, and more, lead by Director of Music, Matthew Mainster.

Free-will offering will benefit our Friends of Music program.
For more information, call 236-4821.



2019 THE Nutcracker

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Camden Opera House
Fri. Dec. 6, 7:30 p.m.
Sat. Dec. 7, 3:00 p.m.
Sun. Dec. 8, 3:00 p.m.

Ticket Prices
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Children 12 and under \$15

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