



LEAP Youth Development Program

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It's Fall Y'all! The air is changing. If you thought September was pretty awesome, we have a great month in store for October. Just a reminder to check the Kangarootime App to ensure all information is accurate and current. Have you assigned photos to your child and guardians? Did you know that you can use the app to mark your child absent in advance? Kangarootime is an awesome child care management system with many benefits to offer. Take advantage.



78th Annual Effingham County Fair October 14th - 23rd

LEAP YDP is partnering with the 4-H to sponsor our 4th & 5th Graders as they enter the fair exhibit booth contest. Students will spend afternoons at LEAP completing their projects. We are so excited to share their creativity and passion with the entire county! Information has been sent home with the details. For more exhibit information visit: www.ugaextension.org/effingham and click on 4-H> Youth Development> Effingham Fair.



Congratulations to our Star Students of the Month!

Orange Group- Liliana Meador (5) & Brantley Hutcherson (5)



Liliana's favorite movie is The Little Mermaid, and her favorite colors are gold, red, and blue. She has a dog, a pig, and a horse.

Brantley's favorite game is Mario, his favorite animal is a zebra, and his favorite teacher is Ms. Crosby.



Blue Group- Peyton Eason (2nd) & Cameron Howard (4th)

Peyton loves to draw, eat, and play with friends. She loves to play hide-n-seek and tag. Her favorite colors are red, black, and white.

Cameron really likes trains because they are fast. He loves drawing, Legos, and Minecraft because he loves to build things. His favorite colors are blue and dark colors.



Purple Group- Dakota Ruger (3rd) & Hunter Shaw (4th)

Dakota has 2 dogs and 2 brothers. Her favorite colors are purple and black, and her favorite subject is Math.

Hunter has a dog named Murphy who is a hairless Chinese Crested born from a Chinese Crested and Powder Puff parents. His favorite book is "Diary of a Wimpy Kid," and his favorite TV Show is "Life Below Zero."



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Class Dojo

We have implemented the use of Class Dojo

to encourage positive behavior and choices. The LEAP Afterschool Dojo Points System is used by Group Leaders to award points for positive behavior and choices; however, points are deducted for negative behavior and choices.



October 5th
October 8th

Mrs. Shirley Daniels
Elayna Gonzalez

FALL FESTIVAL

Friday, October 29th
4p-6p

Our LEAP Afterschool Fall Festival at GES is around the corner. The festival for LEAP students will be held during program hours. Don't forget to add this on your calendar when scheduling pick-up. A Donation Form will be posted for sign-ups & more information will follow. Please note, students must have a minimum of 40 Dojo Points to participate.

FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

OCTOBER 3-9, 2021

In a fire, seconds count.

- Practice your home fire drill with all occupants twice a year (visit each room and find two ways out)
- Make sure your home has working smoke alarms
- Teach children how to escape in case you can't help them
- Close doors behind you as you leave — this may slow the spread of smoke and fire
- Once you get outside, stay outside

Source: NFPA



October 6th – Early Dismissal
October 7th & 8th - Student Holiday- NO SCHOOL
October 11th & 12th- Fall Holiday -NO SCHOOL
October 14th-23rd- Effingham County Fair
October 21st - Report Cards Issued
October 29th - Fall Festival



October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month & National Pizza Month



What kind of running means walking?

Running out of gas.



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