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Croton Elementary
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“BPS’s mission is to serve students with excellence as the standard.”

FSA Schedule by Grade Level

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Wednesday, May 8, 2019

As you walk with your child, remember these safety tips:

- Obey all traffic signs and signals.
- Stop at the curb or edge of street.
- Look left, right, left, and behind you and in front of you for traffic.
- Wait until no traffic is coming and begin crossing.
- Keep looking for traffic until you have finished crossing.
- Walk, don’t run across the street.

Helping your child be a safe bicyclist:

Bike Fit: When sitting on the bike with feet on the pedals, there should be a slight bend in the knee when the pedal is closest to the ground.

Bike Visibility: The bike should have reflectors on the front, back, and both wheels. If riding when it’s dark there should be lights on the front and back.

Helmet Fit: Take the helmet fit test (see directions on the left).

Thank you to the families who have returned the pre-registration form back to the school. It is very important that we have 100% of the pre-registration forms returned. Students who have returned their form will have a registration packet sent home. Students who return completed registration packets will earn a Fast Pass for registration day. There will also be an opportunity to provide verification of residence between July 8th - July 19th. This will save you time on registration day, August 5th.

Only those students with a completed registration packet will be assigned to a class.
Harbor City, Longleaf, Meadowlane and Ocean Breeze Elementary will be providing summer camp this year! If you have any questions, you may contact their child care coordinators directly at:

- Harbor City: (321) 254-5534 ext. 4002
- Longleaf: (321) 242-4700 ext. 2202
- Meadowlane Primary: (321) 952-5833
- Ocean Breeze: (321) 779-2153

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We will also have musical performances from Mrs. Jackson's Beginning Strings, Intermediate Strings, and Chorus. The musical performance will begin at 6 p.m. in the cafeteria. We would love to have you join us in celebrating your child's creativity and self-expression at this event.

Sincerely, The Fine Arts Teachers:
Mary Jackson and Chad Hitchcock

Summer is a great time to continue reading and writing in **fun ways**. Here are some fun ideas for the summer!

- **Set aside time each day for reading.** Depending on your family’s schedule, reading time might be in the morning, afternoon or before bed.

- **Read aloud to your child.** By reading more difficult books aloud to your child, you help with learning new vocabulary words, concepts, and ways of telling stories or presenting information.

- **Encourage your child to use MyOn for summer read aloud.** MyOn gives the same advantage as reading aloud. Look for a summer MyOn challenge to come home this month.

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Don’t forget activity teachers, office staff, instructional/media assistants, clinic nurse, custodial team, cafeteria staff and Brevard After School!

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**Kiwanis K-Kids**

K-Kids have been busy this school year. The student members participated in a variety of service projects. Throughout the year the K-Kids have patrolled campus for litter. In November the students helped with the Food 4 Thought Food Drive. In January the students made posters to promote keeping our community clean. In April the students held a collection for our local animal shelter. Also, the students will be refreshing the butterfly garden with new plants and fresh mulch. We are very proud of the hard work and dedication of our K-Kids members. Thank you to Mr. Champagne our K-Kids Advisor from the Eau Gallie Suntree Kiwanis Club!

**PTO Sponsored Mother's Day Plant Sale**

**May 9th and 10th**

**$1 Each**

**Call Croton Elementary for Chuck E. Cheese Day!**

Thursday, May 30th 3:00 p.m.

Join Croton Elementary for Chuck E. Cheese Day! May 30th from 3:00 to Close. When you buy tickets, mention you are from Croton Elementary and your purchase will help support Croton!

**Summer Camp**

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**Please return all library books to the Media Center by Friday, May 10th**