



Respect

Caring

Responsibility

Integrity

December 14-18, 2020

**C**reating the highest-quality learning programs (virtual, hybrid, face-to-face);  
**N**avigating each challenge using our four Core Values as our compass; and  
**G**uaranteeing our commitment to the health and well-being of everyone.

## Elementary School 6-Day Rotation Cycle December 14-18, 2020: Daily Rotation

*Happy New Year 2021!*

14 <sup>th</sup>	15 <sup>th</sup>	16 <sup>th</sup>	17 <sup>th</sup>	18 <sup>th</sup>	19 <sup>th</sup>	20 <sup>th</sup>	21 <sup>st</sup>
M	T	W	Th	F	T	W	Th
4	5	6	1	2	3	4	5

## Word of the Weeks (WOW) – December 7-18 (2-weeks)

### Word of the Week

**Appreciation/noun:** recognition and enjoyment of the good qualities of someone or something.

**Apreciación/sustantivo:** reconocimiento y disfrute de las buenas cualidades de alguien o algo.



## **WOW**

How can you show appreciation for the adults at CNG who support you and your education?

¿Cómo puedes mostrar aprecio por los adultos de CNG que te apoyan a ti y a tu educación?

***Families, please help your students show:***

## ***Appreciation***

***For the supportive adults at CNG Elementary!***

- Write a message/note/letter/poem
- Sing a Song
- Put a private comment in the Zoom comment box (when allowed)
- Make a video/PowerPoint/Flipgrid
- What else can you do?
- Be creative and show appreciation!!!

## **Special Spirit Days!!!**

This Friday the 18<sup>th</sup> we are having Special Spirit Day for Group B on campus just like we did last week for Group A on Friday! It's already Out of Dress Code, so we are going to make the most of it with a special holiday theme. Students on campus and at home should dress in their favorite holiday wear. Special outfit? PJ's? Ugly (or not) sweater? Reindeer Antlers? As long as it's appropriate for school it's OK! Students are asked to donate 3mil for the Hogar to participate in Out of Dress Code. Please send exact change!



## **Andean Selfie Reminder**

**IMPORTANT!**

*A few weeks ago we asked students/families to send in selfies for the Andean Yearbook. We are still missing around 120 students! Classroom teachers provided a format for the students to submit their photos. Those classes still missing photo submissions will re-post their document for next week. Students who do not submit a selfie will have their picture from 2019-2020 in this year's Andean. The 2020-2021 Andean is going to hold a special place for many of us. Education has changed so much and we will have many memories. Please, please make sure your student's selfie is submitted!*

## **Connecting with Our Counselors**

In addition to taking care of our students' wellness, Ms. Adri and Ms. Moni continue to look out for all of our wellness. Following is a timely article that applies to each of us. It is difficult but also so important to model healthy behaviors for our children. Here are some tips:

### **[Tips on Wellness During This Holiday Season](#)**

#### **Ms. Adri**

<https://zoom.us/j/9966123801?pwd=QWhxd0pRc3Y4MGVOWHdudHh4NmE3QT09>

#### **3rd grade**

Karla Sanchez, Carla Marshall,  
Lance McKay

#### **4th grade**

Ashlee Thomas, Devin Beaugureau,  
Richard Hobson

#### **5th grade**

Avon Anderson, Rachel Thies,  
Dave Saranchuk



#### **Ms. Moni**

<https://zoom.us/j/4491217327>

#### **3rd grade**

Katie Cuny, Katie Bucherati,  
Rose Van Grinsven

#### **4th grade**

Molly O'Rourke, Rocio Niño,  
Ben Coleman

#### **5th grade**

Peter Macala, Alyssa LeClaire,  
Luz Angela Puentes



### **Students Who Are Traveling this Week**

If you are traveling with your children, and they are in DL, this week please be sure to take all the necessary supplies with you. Take everything needed for Homeroom, Spanish, and Specialists' (PE, Art, Technology and Music) class success. Attendance and participation this week are absolutely expected!

### **Coffee Chat Notes from Friday the 11<sup>th</sup>**

We are so fortunate to have had Interim Associate Principal, Janice Ellerby, and Michelle (Mich) Vargas, new to our office, join us in the Coffee Chat last Friday. Following are the notes:

- Janice and Mich were introduced and talked a bit about themselves. Many people already know them and all are delighted to have them join our team.
- Reminder about making sure students have supplies if they are traveling and participating via Distance Learning this week.
- Reminder to 5<sup>th</sup> grade families about supporting student attendance/participation in afternoon Band and Music classes, 12:50-1:30 on the 6-day cycle (Band is 2 days in the cycle)
- Reminder of Andean Selfies.
- Dates for Activities and Athletics (see calendar/Upcoming Events).
- Questions about return to school in February (after 2-week DL Quarantine) – the learning model will be determined by the Ministry of Education/CNG Board; if we come back in the A Week/B Week Hybrid, the groups will reflect some changes. The main filter in determining groups is keeping siblings across CNG, K4-12, in the same week/group.
- Students will need PCR tests to return to campus.
- Information on return to school will be released through Dr. Habegger's office.
- Request for having the self-checker available to complete the night before school when we return. Michelle will pass on the request; however it is likely that it is decided by GRESSA/bio-security requirements.
- Request to make Spanish Book Club 'mandatory,' which led to a conversation about creating Spanish Book Clubs at 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> grade. Michelle will meet with the teams and discuss. Also let the group know that we are moving forward/making progress in our Spanish and Homeroom teacher partnerships on behalf of students.

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CNG COMMUNITY NEWS



Please join Michelle, Janice, Monica and Adrianna for the first Coffee Chat in the New Year::

**Friday January 29<sup>th</sup> at 8:00am:** <https://zoom.us/j/92239483894>  
**Meeting ID: 922 3948 389**

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### ONGOING

- Library Curbside Checkout: [Curbside Checkout & Classroom Delivery](#)
- Learning Center Intervention/Support for Students: Tuesday-Wednesday-Thursday 1:30-2:30
- IDEA, 12:30-1:30: 3rd Grade/TBD, 4th Grade/Day 4, 5th Grade/Day 3
- 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Band and Music, 12:50-1:30 (6-Day Rotation)

### January

19 First Day back from Break  
19-29 Distance Learning  
19-27 Athletics and Condor Activities Online Registration

### February

1 Condor Athletics begin  
8 Condor Activities begin



#### CNG Distance Learning Hub:

<https://libguides.cng.edu/c.php?g=1007782>

#### How to Login to Gmail and Google Classroom (Elementary focus)

<https://youtu.be/a6e4SKItRVE>

#### Parent Tutorial for Google Classroom

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lqS-hoSljnw>

#### Distance Learning Tech Support

Email or Google Hangouts Chat:  
César Quintero ([cquintero@cng.edu](mailto:cquintero@cng.edu))