

Heritage FAQs

Must-reads

- Parent/Student Handbook found on the website-VERY HELPFUL
- Newsletters from the classroom teacher as well as the weekly all school newsletter

Special Events-*descriptions of each of these can be found in the Parent/Student Handbook found on the website*

- School Work Days- Fall & Spring
- Back to School Night
- Donuts with Dad
- Veterans' Day program
- Thanksgiving lunch
- Christmas concert
- Christmas parties in each class
- Muffins with Mom
- Educating for Eternity (fundraiser)
- Grandparent's Day
- Operation GOOD (fundraiser)
- Talent Show

Beginning of the Year Sign-ups

- Each classroom has a Sign-Up Genius that goes out at the beginning of the year that explains each role
 - Room parent
 - Gift coordinator
 - Christmas party coordinator
 - Christmas party volunteer
 - Drinks for Christmas party
 - Treats for Christmas party
 - Games for Christmas party
 - Crafts for Christmas party
 - Treats for teacher's birthday
 - Teacher luncheon organizer
 - Bible verses (kids say these on Friday mornings)
 - Classroom volunteer (projects can be done at home)
 - Parent Pals- connect returning families with new families

Classroom Specifics

- Parents drive for field trips
 - You must submit a background check in the office if you want to volunteer in the classroom or drive for field trips
 - You must also submit proof of insurance
- Each class has special events during the school day that parents can attend; information for these will be found in the classroom newsletter
- No Halloween costumes or party
- No Valentine's Day cards or party

Extras

- RenWeb is a great tool for many purposes (*instructions found on HCS website*)
 - School wide directory
 - Lunch orders **(these are placed monthly, so plan ahead)**
 - Your student's grades
 - Your student's attendance
- Sports start in 5th grade
 - Soccer (co-ed)
 - Volleyball (girls)
 - Basketball (boys and girls)
 - Cheerleading (girls)
 - Track (co-ed)
- Band is offered for students in 5th-8th grades
 - Optional individual lessons are available for a fee
 - There is an Adventureland trip for 5th-8th grade band and Heritage Singers students in May
- Heritage Singers starts in 2nd grade and is optional
 - Two evening concerts a year-Christmas and spring
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- Parents can attend chapel, held Friday after lunch
 - There is an offering taken in chapel; this is totally optional
- Teacher Appreciation Week is in May.
 - Detailed information is sent out the week before
 - Parent and student involvement encouraged
- Each teacher has a survey of their favorite things you can see in the office
- Middle school has special pizza reward lunches at the end of each month
- Dress code can be found in the Parent/Student Handbook
- Sign-Up Genius is used for various classroom and school-wide activities throughout the year
- There is an optional talent show on the last day of school each year
 - Students can choose their own "talent" to perform
 - Auditions will be held at the beginning of May
 - Parents are invited to attend the talent show
- Bible verses are assigned each week to be memorized at home and recited on Friday mornings
 - Verses can be found in weekly classroom newsletters
- Inclement weather
 - We do not delay for cold weather
 - If we do have a delay for ice or snow, it will be a 90 minute delay