



Webster's Weekly

Daniel Webster School From The Principal:

October 23, 2020

Word of the Month: Responsibility

OCTOBER

29th- Virtual Open House
6:00m-8:00pm

NOVEMBER

3rd-No School Election Day

11th-No School Veteran's Day

26th & 27th-No School- Thanksgiving Break



We are looking forward to returning to the Hybrid model this week to celebrate being back together we are having School Spirit Days on Monday, Oct. 26th and Wednesday, Oct. 29th. Wear your green and white and all your DWS gear!

We are excited to invite all parents and guardians to Daniel Webster's Virtual Back to School Night on Thursday, October 29th from 6:00-8:00 PM. Parents/guardians will have the opportunity to join their child's teacher, specialists teachers, and if applicable special education teachers for a Zoom session. We will be sending the full meeting schedule and the links for presentations on Monday 10/26.

We'll see you on zoom!

Below you will see the entry for our Wicked Far Contest. We are looking forward to seeing your great ideas. Enter to win some extra recess for you and your friends. Every student can enter for free. Have Fun with it!

Cohort A entries are due Oct. 27th

Cohort B entries are due Oct. 30th

COMMUNICATION

We'd love for you to join in our digital communication!

Please follow us at:

<https://twitter.com/DWSPPAL>

FaceBook: Daniel Webster PTO

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/662270573810610/>

YouTube:

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCr7v1yY6kQwclAnRaNLXOIw>
dwsmarshfield YouTube

DWS Website:

<https://ma02212716.schoolwire.s.net/site/Default.aspx?PageID=19>

Thank You MEF!

In the spring of 2019, DWS was awarded an \$11,500 MEF grant entitled, "We've Got A Book for You! A Collaborative Literacy Resource Center." With these funds, DWS was able to purchase multiple sets of novels for in-class Book Clubs, an SEL (Social Emotional Learning) Mentor Text Library, numerous sets of Leveled Reader books, decodable texts, and a wide variety of genre labels and other materials for organizing the space. We finalized the grant funds this summer to purchase a \$1,700 Writer's Workshop Mentor Text Library all organized by grade levels from K-5. This grant, combined with our 2015, MEF grant for \$6,250 for Writing Mentor Texts (by Traits of Writing and Modes of Writing) back in 2015, has enabled us to create this amazing resourceful space at DWS for all staff to collaborate in and most importantly, borrow materials to enhance their literacy instruction. We are currently working on a database of all the titles and materials for teachers to easily reference. We are so excited to have it up and running and hope to continue to make it grow in years to come.

Thank You to the MEF and also to the DWS Administration for supporting this project!

Ms. McBride
DWS Reading Specialist



DWS IS PROUD TO HOST OUR FIRST VIRTUAL BOOK CLUBS!

Grades 3, 4, and 5

Students will be invited to participate with their cohorts on their remote days. Information will be sent home the week of 10/26.

3rd grade students will be reading:
The One and Only Bob by Katherine Applegate.
(Students must have read *The One and Only Ivan* prior to joining)



4th and 5th grade will be reading:
Rain Reign by Ann M. Martin



Please click the following link to view November's issue of Home & School Connection:
<https://www.mpsd.org/cms/lib/MA02212716/Centricity/Domain/13/November%20Home%20and%20School.pdf>

Marshfield Public Schools

HALLOWEEN FUN FEST

MHS Student Council will be hosting a Drive By Halloween Funfest this year.

October 31st
12-2PM

Please click the following link to view information regarding the Marshfield Funfest Drive-By—
<https://www.mpsd.org/cms/lib/MA02212716/Centricity/Domain/13/FunFest%20Poster.pdf>



Wicked Far Contest Entry

I mentioned in last week's Webster's Weekly that we were going to have a building wide social distance contest as a fun way to help our students to stay engaged in the healthy practices needed to maintain a healthy learning environment . This is the information you need to enter our contest.

We are all helping to stop germs from spreading at DWS by:
Wearing a mask
Washing our hands and
Staying Wicked Far apart!

How far is Wicked FAR?

At school we have a social distance of 6 feet.

Is that Wicked Far? Six feet can feel like it is wicked far when we are with our friends.

We are going to ask families to join us for a whole school activity. Each student please come up with objects, things or Items with the total measurement of 6 feet. Write your idea down, draw a picture or take a picture of your measurement. The next page has a picture of a pumpkin that you can use to submit your entry or you can take a picture, draw a picture, write it on a piece of paper and submit it to your teacher. (examples of things that measure 6 feet eagles wings=6 feet, two medium sized dogs = 6 ft., an adult bicycle measures 6 feet. Your turn to find something(s) that measure 6 feet.)

When you bring your entry into school this week you will be entered into a drawing for **EXTRA RECESS FOR YOUR COHORT CLASS!**
We will also post your entry on our "Wicked Far "
Social Distancing Bulletin Board.

Cohort A entries are due Oct 27th
Cohort B entries are due Oct. 30th

It's going to be Wicked Easy to earn extra recess, bring us your entries.



1. Write your example of 6 feet on the pumpkin below or any piece of paper you may have.
2. Put student's first and last name.
3. Put your grade and teachers' name.
4. Color the pumpkin in.
5. Bring it to your teacher.

***You could attach a picture of your measurement to the pumpkin or draw a picture or your measurement on the pumpkin.

Have Fun!

Contest Entry

How far is Wicked Far??? 6 feet!

Show us how you measured 6ft in the pumpkin and bring it to your teacher.



I measured 6 feet with _____

Student's first Name: _____

Student's last name: _____

Grade: _____ Teacher: _____