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## *A Note From the Administrators*

We would like to extend a thank you to all of our parents who attended Parent-Spend-A-Day last month. We hope that you all got a great idea of how hard the teachers and students work during the school day.

If you have a concern about your child, please contact the teacher and communicate that concern. Parent-Teacher Conference is set for Thursday, November 1st from 1:00-4:00. Students do have a holiday on this day, since the beginning of the day is dedicated to teacher professional development and the afternoon is dedicated to parent-teacher conference. Please make every effort to stop by and speak to your child's teacher. Remember that open communication is the first step to success.

Our annual fall fest will be held on Tuesday, October 30, 2018. Look for a flyer to come home in the weekly folder with more details.

The beginning of the school year has been busy but students and teachers are still on the bus! Destination: success!

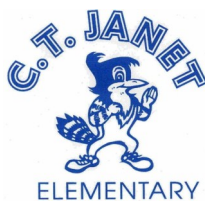


# C.T. JANET GAZETTE

OCTOBER 2018

### **Vision Statement**

Our vision is that C.T. Janet will be a school regarded for academic excellence.



### **Mission Statement**

We are committed to providing quality instruction that will support consistent student achievement so that all students attain grade level or higher performance levels annually.

# October 2018

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
1 1st Grade off campus practice drill	2 PK/K Grade off campus practice drill 1st Grade field trip– Stella Plantation	3 2nd/3rd Grade off campus practice drill	4 4th/5th Grade off campus practice drill  Lego Club	5 Schoolwide off campus practice drill
8	9	10 Sign Language Club	11 Girl Scouts	12 5th Grade field trip– WWII Sea Air Land Festival Pre-K Fire truck comes to school 3rd Grade/Ms. Rollins field trip– Swamp Tour
15	16	17 Sign Language Club Picture Retakes	18	19 Lego Club  Pre-K Fire pumpkin patch comes to school
22	23	24	25 Girl Scouts	26 Pre-K Fire pumpkin patch comes to school
29	30 Fall Fest 1:00—3:00	31 Early Dismissal 1:20 PM		

## COMMUNITY PARTNERS

Please support our community partners:

Wal-mart; Little Caesar's; Raising Canes; Chateau Orleans Po-boys; Twin Tire & Auto Care; Zea's; Dominoes; Outback; Barnes and Nobles; Target; Chick-fil-A; Sicily's

Pizza, Buffalo Wild Wings

Office Depot's 5% Back To Schools program will give our school a chance to earn credits for free supplies. If you make a purchase at Office Depot, be sure to tell them to credit C.T. Janet. The school I.D. number is 70042249.



# Growth Mindset

## What is a growth mindset?

**Growth mindset** is a concept developed by Carol Dweck, a Professor of Psychology at Stanford University. It is the belief that a person's abilities and intelligence can be developed through practice, hard work, dedication, and motivation.

## What is a fixed mindset?

A **fixed mindset** is the notion that intelligence and talent alone will lead to success. People with a fixed mindset believe that these things are "fixed" and cannot be developed or improved upon. They believe that you are either born with it or not, and nothing can change that.

## Why is having a growth mindset important?

Research has shown that children who have a fixed mindset are more likely to:

- Fear failure
- Give up on tasks they feel are too difficult
- Ignore feedback
- Avoid challenges
- Feel threatened by the success of others

Children who have a growth mindset are more likely to:

- Learn from their mistakes
- Be motivated to succeed
- Put forth more effort
- Take challenges head on
- Take risks
- Seek feedback
- Learn more
- Learn faster





# P.T.O.

P.T. O. sells snacks everyday after each lunch period for the students to either eat during recess or to take home. Students are limited to buying two snack per day. Snacks will cost \$1.00.

## Parent's Corner

Yearbook Sale! We have 9 copies of the 2017-2018 yearbook left. The cost is \$25.00.

## The Energy Bus Rule 2



## Fuel your ride with Positive Energy

Discuss with your child that success in school is a result of hard work and making good choices. Having a positive attitude about school can also help us to be more successful. Points for discussion:

- Positive energy is the positive thoughts and emotions you think and feel and share with others. It consists of smiles, laughter, gratitude, trust, faith, and joy.
- Smiling makes you feel happier.
- Being grateful makes you feel more positive and happier.
- Positive people are happier people. Positive people are healthier and are also better at overcoming obstacles. They also make more friends and are more successful.
- You can't be stressed and thankful at the same time.
- When you think about your success of the day you look forward to creating another success tomorrow.
- If you fuel up with positive energy you develop the power to overcome life's obstacles and achieve your positive vision.

Activity: Take a "Thank you Walk" everyday and reflect on the things you are thankful for each day.

