

Jacobs School Blue Notes

April 1, 2021

A Note from the Principal

We are preparing to administer our second set of benchmark assessments in ELA, Math, and Science (grades 3-5) between April 5 and April 16. We have been analyzing student performance data from our first benchmarks in January. Teachers have been working closely with students on assignments and formative quizzes to strengthen performance on our ELA and Math Standards noted as moderate risk areas. The April benchmarks will provide us with growth percentages for all assessed grade-level standards to help guide our instruction during Trimester III.

Next week we return to in-person learning five days a week. We will no longer have remote learning or early dismissals each Wednesday. Students will arrive and dismiss as they do any of the other school days. We will also no longer include learning outlines in our Blue Notes. We are excited to have the consistency of in-school learning five days a week for the rest of this school year.

~Mrs. Cappadona

Mark Your Calendar!

Apr 2—Good Friday, No School

Apr 5, 19—School Committee 6:30pm

Apr 6—Kindergarten 101 Parent Night ([Register here](#))

Apr 7—In-School Wednesdays Resume

Apr 19-23—Vacation!

April 30—12:15 Early Release

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Send your RAD photos of Jacobs Pirates having fun in their Core Value T-Shirts or school colors to Mr. Shaw at kshaw@town.hull.ma.us. Photos will be included in our next Virtual Assembly video.

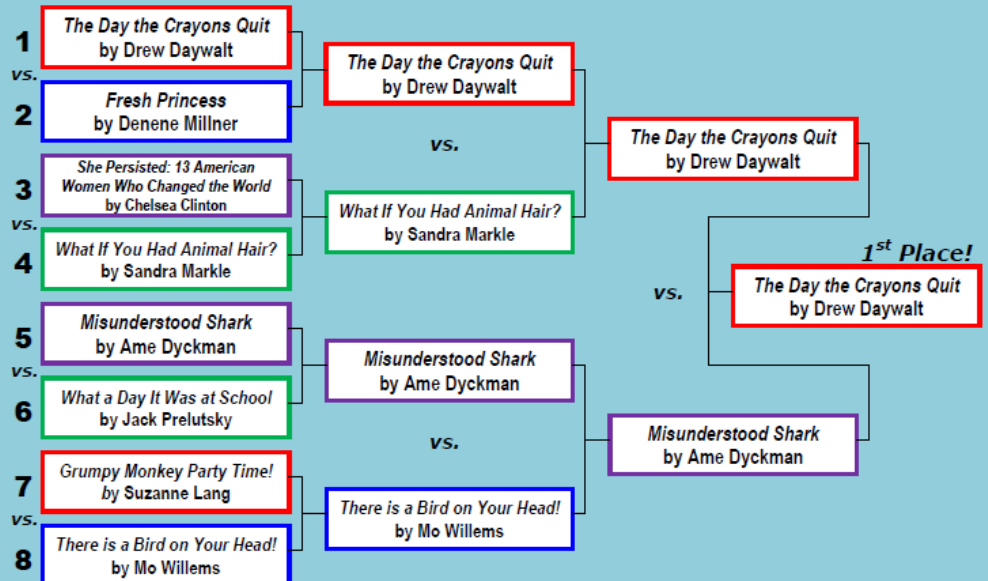
PTO Meeting: April 7 at 6:00pm*

Please email Caryn O'Connor at Secretary@hullpto.org for the Zoom ID & password. *please note this April meeting is an hour earlier than the usual meeting time.

Crayons Roll to Victory

Unwilling to accept a draw, *The Day the Crayons Quit* emerged victorious in Grade 1's First Annual March Madness Book Tournament. Students in all four classes started with an elite eight books, reading and rereading, voting on their favorites and narrowing the field until a champion was finally declared! Congratulations to all first graders, the first grade team and, of course, *The Day the Crayons Quit*.

2021 1st Grade March Madness Book Tournament Results



Christine Cappadona, Principal

Kyle Shaw, Assistant Principal

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