

# HES NEWSLETTER

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WHAT'S  
NEW?

From,  
Principal  
Merendina

## HES Supports CCMC:

Hampton Elementary School is registered to participate in PJ Day on 12/8. Donate \$1.00 and wear your pajamas to school! Donations go to Connecticut Children's Medical Center.

(Students can bring their \$1 to school on 12/8.)



## Outdoor Recess:

Students will have outdoor recess as much as possible through the winter months. It is important to get fresh air, run around, and get sunlight whenever possible... even for a few minutes. We will use safety guidelines related to cold, wind, and exposure to make the decision on indoor versus outdoor recess.

**PLEASE send your student with proper clothing for outdoor play.**



## Important Dates:

- Holiday Shop - 12/5
- Winter Concert - 12/5 (Concert Assembly @ 9am, Evening Concert @ 6pm)
- Parent-Teacher Conferences - 12/7 and 12/8 (Early Release Days!)
- CCMC PJ Day - 12/8
- Picture Retake Day - 12/15
- PTO Meeting - 12/19 @ 5:30pm
- Early Release - 12/22,
- Winter Break - 12/25-1/1



# HAMPTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL WELCOMES NEW STAFF:

Welcome to HES Mrs. Lynch and Mrs. Smith!

Mrs. Lynch is from Rhode Island and attended Rhode Island College. She holds two certifications, one for elementary education and one as a special education teacher. Before joining us here at HES, Mrs. Lynch was a special education teacher within Killingly Public Schools. She lives in Pomfret with her loving family and enjoys hiking, reading, and gardening. (mlynch@hamptonschool.org)

Mrs. Smith is excited to join our Hampton community. This is her 29th year in education! Mrs. Smith has taught many grades as a classroom teacher, special education teacher and interventionist. She enjoys all subjects, but it is obvious that literacy is her passion! Mrs. Smith spends time on the weekends with her husband and two children. She enjoys camping and traveling and tries to find time to read and enjoy the company of her friends. (vsmith@hamptonschool.org)

[PLEASE JOIN US FOR A "MEET AND GREET" ON THURSDAY, 12/7 FROM 5-7PM IN THE HES LIBRARY.  
ALL FAMILIES ARE WELCOME!](#)

## November HUSKY OF THE MONTH GOES TO:

**Preschool:** Cheyenne M.

**Kindergarten:** Berlin P.

**Team A:** Callie B.

**Team B:** Jace B.

**Team C:** Jason C.

**Art:** Madison M.

**Music:** Skylar B.

**PE/Health:** Carlie F.

Our PBIS plan updates have been a huge hit with students and staff. The students earn PAWS when they show respect, responsibility, safety, and honesty throughout the school.

**HUSKY OF THE MONTH** students are nominated by teachers. These students will be recognized with a hallway display, VIP lunch table for a day, and more!

For more PBIS updates... follow us on Facebook!



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