

Hello Hornet Families,

We had a successful first quarter, with lots of focus on school culture and lesson alignment. On Monday and Tuesday this week, teachers will have workdays to further prepare to make second quarter even better! While your child is at home, encourage them to login to Beable and complete at least two lessons and login to IXL to practice foundational skills ahead of the Math Benchmark on Wednesday.

The first IXL Leaderboard will end tonight @ 8:00pm. Students with the greatest number of skills mastered on our Leaderboard will be rewarded! Encourage your child to login to IXL at home to increase their skills, too!

We want to wish the happiest of weeks to our School Psychologist, Ms. Allyson Ash! Ms. Ash is a wonderful addition to our Student Services Team and, Ms. Ash, we celebrate you and are so grateful to have you as a Hornet!

Albemarle Road is on the bond this year and we are hoping to get a new school. Please plan to vote on November 7 and encourage your families and friends who are of voting age to get out to vote, too.

Students will return to school for classes on Wednesday and Thursday this week and we are looking forward to 100% attendance for both days! All students will take the math benchmark on Wednesday, so it is extremely important that students are on time to school and that they are well-rested and prepared for this final 1st quarter benchmark.

Our final football game is this Wednesday against Randolph Middle School @ Rocky River High School, beginning at 5:00. Again, all students must be accompanied by their family and no bookbags are allowed.

Winter Athletic Tryouts begin this Thursday. Seventh and eighth graders who are interested in playing basketball or cheerleading are welcome to tryout if they have a valid athletic physical on record with the school. All students who participate in tryouts must have their rides at school by 5:30pm on Thursday.

There will be no school on Friday in observance of the Veteran's Day Holiday. Please take this time to thank a soldier!

Remember to save the date for ARMS Family Night on November 14 @ 6:00. We will have a guest speaker, heavy refreshments, tips for a successful second quarter, and student presentations. We can't wait to see you here!

The CMS School Choice Lottery is underway. Eighth grade families, please be sure to make your school selections before December 13.

Have you downloaded the ParentSquare app yet? All you must do is go to the app store on your phone, download the app, and attach yourself to our school. Important updates from teachers and the school are coming regularly. Remember to follow us on Instagram (@arms.ib.academy) and Facebook (Albemarle Road Middle Academy) for the latest updates!

Have a great Sunday!