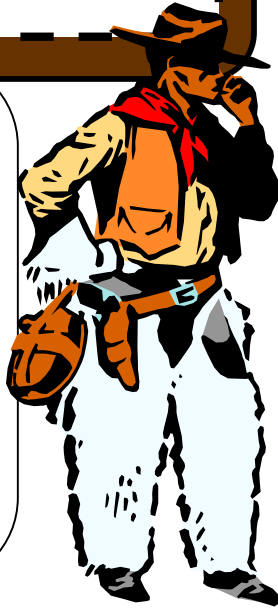


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Welcome Back to another great year at Sunnyview. Thank you for coming out to the Meet and Greet last Thursday. It was wonderful seeing the current students as well as former students together again.

Please stay tuned for more events that we can do with Chilhowee.

Our Parent Information Nights have been scheduled for all grade levels. 1st and 2nd grades will have their Open House on August 27th from 6:00-7:00. PreK and Kindergarten will have their Open House on September 3rd from 6:00-7:00. Hope to see everyone at our Parent Nights.



Great Start to a School Day

School starts at 7:45 A.M. and ends at 2:45 P.M. Students are tardy if they arrive after 7:45 A.M. and will need to get a tardy slip from the office. An adult will need to accompany the student to the office if late. If your child is absent, please send a note on the following day. Parents are allowed 10 parent notes per school year and notes must be turned in within 5 days of return.

Positive School-wide Behavior System

This year our school will be emphasizing positive school-wide behavior. Our three main rules are: **We Are Responsible, We Are Respectful, We Are Safe.** There are expectations related to each of those rules that students must follow throughout the day. Students will be rewarded through earning DoJo points and Sunnyview Cards. Students who earn cards will have their names entered into a weekly drawing. Encourage your child to follow the rules.

Tips for Parents

The following tips are ways that you can help your child at home with reading. Everyone is encouraged to read 20 minutes every night. Read alouds are an important part of students learning to read.

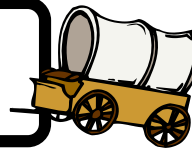
- Try to read to your child every day before bedtime for a peaceful end to the day. You can also bring along a book, and read to your child during a sibling's sports practice or curl up together with a book when you get home from work.
- Take turns choosing a book.
- Let your child participate. You can ask your child to turn the pages while you read, or he/she can finish sentences that rhyme, or fill in words he/she may know.
- Be playful. You can use different voices for different characters or substitute your child's name for the main character.

Volunteering

We are always looking for people to volunteer in the school. You can choose how you would like to volunteer. It might be helping in the library with shelving books, reading with children in the hallway, or making copies for teachers.

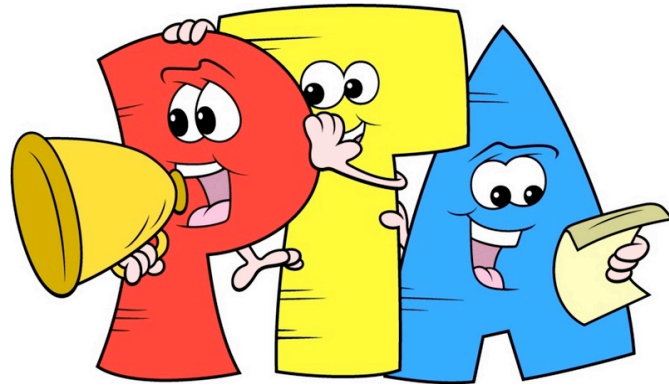


Upcoming months round up:



August 27th	September 1st	September 3 rd	September 7th	September 15th
6:00 P.M. -7:00 P.M. 1 st and 2 nd Grade Open House	Fall Picture Day	6:00 P.M. -7:00 P.M. PreK and Kindergarten Open House	School Holiday	2 nd grade Field Trip





Welcome back! PTA is excited to start another great school year. Our first monthly meeting will be this Thursday, August 13th @ 3:00 in the library. We will be discussing this year's calendar of events. We would love to see you there and hear your ideas! If you can't make it to the meeting, we will have a table set up at the Open Houses to answer any questions. You will also have the chance to vote on this years t-shirt design at open house, so please stop by and see us.

This year you will be able to contact us through: Sunnyviewprimarypta@gmail.com. We are working on other forms of communication as well and will let you know as soon as those are available.

GET TO KNOW A FEW OF THE 2015-16 OFFICERS:

President: My name is Deidra and I'm the mother of Malori, a second grader at Sunnyview. I work full time at a local veterinary hospital and I'm just now getting my own business up and going. When I have free time I love anything outdoors and playing with any of our many animals.

Vice President: My name is Misty Hunt, and I'm the mother of a 2nd grader, Lexi Hunt. I've been a stay-at-home-mom for the past 7 ½ years. Before that, I worked for Walmart Transportation for 9 years and received my BBA from East Tennessee State University. For the past 2 years, I've been the organizer of a local moms' group, so my free time is spent planning and attending playdates and other various events. Rounding out my family is my husband, Jason, who's a civil engineer and our 11 year old rescue dog, Kaila.

Treasurer: My name is Missy Fields and I am the proud mother of Marlee, a first grader at Sunnyview. I have been blessed to stay at home with Marlee since her birth but my background is in Accounting and Management. Who knows what the future will hold? I also have a 19 yr. old stepdaughter and a dog. As a family we enjoy all things to do with the water. We love swimming and boating. In the little spare time I have, I love to craft and do DIY projects.

Secretary: My name is Cordia Lowery, both of my kids are at Sunnyview right now. I have a 1st and a 2nd grader. I myself was a Chilhowee kid (when it was K-5). I work on the labor & delivery floor at Tennova Hospital and I am a student. I think I want to be a nurse when I grow up.

Communications: My name is Shervena Revels, I am the proud mother of 5 Children, and my 16 year old baby Shih Tzu. I have a second grader at Sunnyview, a fourth and fifth grader at Chilhowee, and a seventh and eighth grader at Carter Middle. My Background is Business Administration, where I have worked 20+ years in the Executive Administration Office, and I am just grateful to be part of this team, and to help where needed.

