



**STAAR Assessments  
Grades 3, 4 & 5  
May 14<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup>**

Third, fourth, and fifth grade students will be taking a Texas STAAR Assessment next week. Third and fourth grade will be taking the Math assessment on Monday and the Reading assessment on Tuesday. Fifth grade will be taking the Science assessment on Wednesday. To accommodate for STAAR Assessments, we have made some changes to ancillary and lunch times.

Ancillary Changes Monday & Tuesday, May 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> :

3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade	no ancillary – testing
4 <sup>th</sup> Grade	no ancillary - testing

Lunch Time Changes for Monday & Tuesday, May 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> :

3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Grade	12:30-1:00	Due to the altered lunch schedule, we ask for these dates parents refrain from having lunch with their children.
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Thank you for your assistance with this modified schedule.

# MAY 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
 <b>Teacher Appreciation Week</b>	 <b>We love our teachers.</b>	<b>1</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> grade Transition meeting in Auditorium	<b>2</b> -4 <sup>th</sup> grade Cafeteria 8:15 -Kinder to Children's Museum 10:30-2:00 -All City Orchestra in Auditorium 4:00-6:00 -Violin/Int. Cello Mini Concert in Auditorium 3:00	<b>3</b> Cello/Violin Mini Concert in Auditorium 3:00	<b>4</b> 3 <sup>rd</sup> grade to Museum of Fine Arts 9:00-12:30 All City Orchestra Rehearsal in Auditorium 4:00 Concert 6:30	<b>5</b>  <b>Cinco de Mayo</b>
<b>6</b> PTO Free Dress Day	<b>7</b> PTO Free Dress Day	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>
<b>13</b>  <b>Happy Mother's Day</b>	<b>14</b> STAAR – Math for 3 <sup>rd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> grade STAAR – Math Retest for 5 <sup>th</sup> grade	<b>15</b> STAAR – Reading for 3 <sup>rd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> grade STAAR – Reading Retest for 5 <sup>th</sup> grade	<b>16</b> STAAR – Science for 5 <sup>th</sup> grade	<b>17</b> STAAR Make Up 1 <sup>st</sup> grade Piano Recital 12:50 3 <sup>rd</sup> grade Piano Recital in Auditorium 3:00	<b>18</b> 2 <sup>nd</sup> grade Piano Recital in Auditorium 3:00 5 <sup>th</sup> grade Piano Recital in Auditorium 6:30	<b>19</b>  <b>Fun Fest</b> 11:00-3:00 Armed Forces Day
<b>20</b>	<b>21</b> Youngest and Oldest Concert 8:30 HISD String Festival at PVA – time TBA	<b>22</b> Spring Band Concerts 2:00 Pre-Band and Rhythm Band 6:30 Beg. Adv. And Jazz	<b>23</b> 5 <sup>th</sup> grade GT Expo 11:00	<b>24</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> grade Piano Recital 12:50 Guitar Concert in Auditorium 2:00 and 6:30	<b>25</b> -4 <sup>th</sup> grade Classroom GT Expo 10:00 -3 <sup>rd</sup> grade GT Expo in Cafeteria -2 <sup>nd</sup> grade Piano Recital in Auditorium 3:00	<b>26</b>
<b>27</b>	<b>28</b> Holiday – No School  <b>MEMORIAL DAY</b>	<b>29</b> -Kinder Awards 8:15 -2 <sup>nd</sup> grade Awards 9:30 -3 <sup>rd</sup> grade Awards 1:00 -4 <sup>th</sup> grade Piano Recital in Auditorium 3:00 -PTO Meeting 6:30	<b>30</b> -1 <sup>st</sup> grade Awards 8:15 -PK & PALS Awards 9:30 -4 <sup>th</sup> grade Awards 1:00 -4 <sup>th</sup> grade Piano Recital in Auditorium 3:00	<b>31</b> 5 <sup>th</sup> grade Awards 6:30 3 <sup>rd</sup> grade Piano Recital 2 <sup>nd</sup> grade to Aquarium 9:00-1:00	<b>June 1</b> Class Parties 5 <sup>th</sup> grade @ WBC 2 <sup>nd</sup> grade – 12:30 PK, K, 1 <sup>st</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> – 1:30	 <b>School's Out!</b>



# Parker Elementary School

## HISD Music Magnet School

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May 1, 2018

Dear Fifth Grade Parents,

We are excited to be having our Fifth Grade Awards program on May 31, 2018, at 6:30pm in the Parker Auditorium. We have 132 Fifth Grade students to be recognized. The students will sit on the stage for the program to ensure that all parents have a seat in the auditorium.

Our auditorium seats approximately 500 people so families will be limited to a total of 4 guests (including parents) for this award program.

Please list below the 4 guests (including parents) and bring this form with you on May 31, 2018, to serve as your ticket into the auditorium. We want to ensure that all students have family in attendance for this event so thank you in advance for your understanding.

Failure to bring this form will delay your group from being seated in the auditorium.

Thank you,

Lori Frodine, Principal

Guests:

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_

## Pennies for Patients Reminder!

Since 1994, millions of dollars have been raised in **pennies** and other spare change by more than 10 million students throughout the country. Let's make Parker students a part of that! The funds, collected during a three-week period, benefit The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society.

**It's easy-** just bring spare change to your homeroom teacher by Tuesday, May 8<sup>th</sup>! Donations can also be made online at <http://events.lls.org/pages/txg/Parker-Elementary-School-2018>



Thank you!  
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# CLASSES OFFERED IN HOUSTON AND ON CAMPUS

# SUMMER

# READING SKILLS

Phonics • Fluency • Comprehension • Love of Reading • Textbook Skills • Speed Reading

## 4-Year-Olds & Entering Kindergartners:

In this fun summer program, your child will learn to read. Children learn letter recognition, beginning phonics, and easy sight words. Your child will learn to read simple words and short sentences and will be excited about books and reading.

## Entering 1st Graders:

In this fun summer program, your child will learn to read independently. Children learn phonics and sight words, build fluency and comprehension, and develop a love of books and reading. Your child will be excited about reading and get off to a great start in first grade.

## Entering 2nd Graders:

In this fun summer program, your child will become a fluent, confident reader. Children build solid phonics and word-attack skills and develop reading fluency and strong comprehension. Your child will gain confidence, be excited about books and reading, and get off to a great start in second grade.

## Entering 3rd Graders:

In this fun summer program, your child will become a strong, fluent reader. Children develop long-word decoding skills, reading fluency, and excellent comprehension. Your child will gain confidence, develop a lifelong love of books and reading, and get off to a great start in third grade.

## Entering 4th Graders

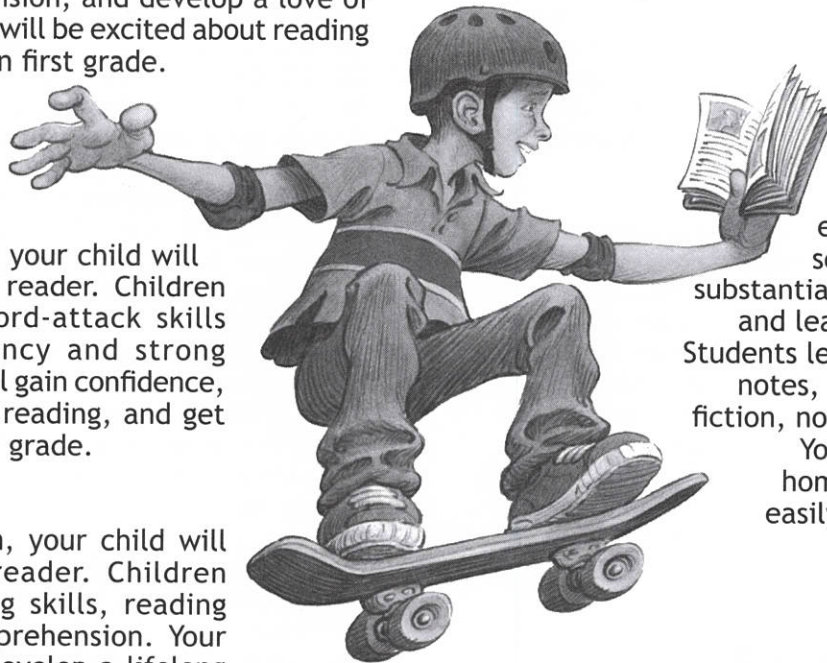
## Entering 5th Graders:

In these fun and effective programs, your child will become a skilled, enthusiastic reader. Students develop strong comprehension skills in fiction, non-fiction, and textbooks. They build long-word decoding skills and learn to read more fluently and rapidly. Your child will complete homework more quickly and easily, be more successful in school, and develop a lifelong love of reading.

## Entering 6th-8th Graders

## Entering 9th-11th Graders:

In these effective and enjoyable programs, your son or daughter will make substantial gains in comprehension and learn to read twice as fast. Students learn the best way to take notes, study for tests, and read fiction, non-fiction, and textbooks. Your student will complete homework more quickly and easily, get better grades, and enjoy reading more.



# HBU

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Office of University Events  
and Conferences

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Mon.-Fri. 7am-9pm, Sat. 7am-6pm and Sun. 9am-5pm

Please see reverse side for class schedule.

# TEACHERS

The programs are made available by Houston Baptist University, Office of University Events and Conferences, through a partnership with the Institute of Reading Development. Classes are designed and taught by instructors from the Institute of Reading Development.

"I would like to thank you for such a positive outcome with my son James. He learned skills that have translated into wonderful grades, and more importantly, have given him more confidence in his reading abilities. He has actually asked to go to the library to pick out a book!"

- Parent of 4th grader

## CLASS SCHEDULE

All programs meet once each week. Tuition varies by program grade.

Please ask about our family discount.

More reading programs are scheduled at nearby locations.

Choose the grade your child will enter in Fall 2018.

ON CAMPUS: Houston Baptist University.

4-year-old & K: Sat., June 16-July 14, 9am-10am  
1st Grade: Sat., June 16-July 14, 10:30am-12:15pm  
2nd Grade: Tue., June 12-July 10, 9am-10:45am  
3rd Grade: Sat., June 16-July 14, 1pm-2:45pm  
4th Grade: Tue., June 12-July 10, 11:15am-1:15pm  
5th Grade: Tue., June 12-July 10, 1:45pm-3:45pm  
6th-8th Grades: Thu., June 14-July 12, 12:30pm-2:30pm  
9th-11th Grades: Thu., June 14-July 12, 3pm-5pm  
12th Grade & Adults: Several schedules available, please call!

HOUSTON (MEMORIAL AREA): Norris Conference Centers - Houston Westchase, 9990 Richmond Avenue.

4-year-old & K: Sat., June 16-July 14, 9am-10am  
1st Grade: Sat., June 16-July 14, 10:30am-12:15pm  
2nd Grade: Tue., June 12-July 10, 8:45am-10:30am  
3rd Grade: Sat., June 16-July 14, 1pm-2:45pm  
4th Grade: Tue., June 12-July 10, 11am-1pm  
5th Grade: Tue., June 12-July 10, 11am-1pm  
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ON CAMPUS: Houston Baptist University.

4-year-old & K: Sat., July 21-Aug. 18, 9am-10am  
1st Grade: Sat., July 21-Aug. 18, 10:30am-12:15pm  
2nd Grade: Sat., July 21-Aug. 18, 1pm-2:45pm  
3rd Grade: Sat., July 21-Aug. 18, 3:15pm-5pm  
4th Grade: Thu., July 19-Aug. 16, 12:30pm-2:30pm  
5th Grade: Thu., July 19-Aug. 16, 3pm-5pm  
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HOUSTON: On campus at the University of St. Thomas.

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1st Grade: Sun., June 17-July 15, 11am-12:45pm  
2nd Grade: Sun., June 17-July 15, 1:30pm-3:15pm  
3rd Grade: Sun., June 17-July 15, 3:45pm-5:30pm  
4th Grade: Fri., June 15-July 13, 9am-11am  
5th Grade: Fri., June 15-July 13, 11:30am-1:30pm  
6th-8th Grades: Mon., June 11-July 9, 12:30pm-2:30pm  
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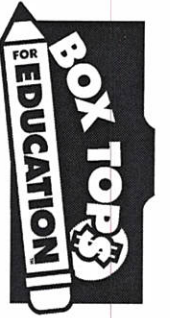
4-year-old & K: Sun., July 22-Aug. 19, 9am-10am  
1st Grade: Sun., July 22-Aug. 19, 10:30am-12:15pm  
2nd Grade: Sun., July 22-Aug. 19, 3:30pm-5:15pm  
3rd Grade: Sun., July 22-Aug. 19, 10:30am-12:15pm  
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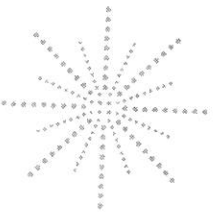
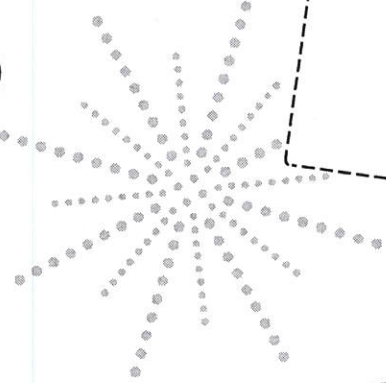
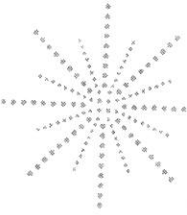
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