



Hillside Grade School

HUSKY HOMEWORK

*Monthly Character Theme:
Responsibility*



At HGS we will have monthly “Husky Pride” Meetings to gather together as a learning community and announce our character education theme of the month. The goal of our monthly meetings is to support our students’ social and emotional learning.

Today we had our first meeting and we discussed our theme of, RESPONSIBILITY. We talked about ways to be responsible at school and at home. Because we truly value the importance of character education, we will take a break from “traditional HW” on the Husky Pride Meeting days and ask that our families focus on extending our character education lessons at home. We hope that you will support our new project and continue to keep our home-school connection strong!

Please take a few moments to discuss with your child how he/she can be responsible at home. Depending upon your child’s age, here are some ideas to help support teaching your child responsibility at home:

- Help set the table
- Turn off all the lights in house when family is leaving the house
- Feed a pet
- Help with yardwork
- Tidy up his/her room....put toys away
- Open and hold the door for others
- Be a “self-starter” with completing homework
- Do something nice for someone who is experiencing sickness or loss
- Use phone to call grandparents, friends, etc
- Order for herself/himself at restaurants
- Have own library card
- Help with recycling
- And so much more...
- Make his/her own bed
- Set his/her alarm and get ready independently

We look forward to your support of our Husky Pride Meetings and thank you for playing an active role in the social and emotional growth of our learners.

Also, please feel free to “tag” us on Instagram (hgs_huskies) showing how your child/family demonstrates your Husky Pride and the theme of RESPONSIBILITY or even “tag us” when you are wearing HGS spirit wear!