



## Parent Expectations

1. Ensure your child is at school each day
2. Ensure your child is prepared for school each day
3. Stay actively involved in your child's education

## Hirsch Mission Statement

Our mission is to empower students to think, create, discover, problem solve, and to be their personal best now and in the future.

## Hirsch Vision Statement

Hirsch Elementary will be known for creating and nurturing a culture of learning in order to produce innovative citizens of our global community.

## Donuts with Dad



On April 24, 2019, we hosted 109 dads, uncles, brothers, grandfathers and male role models at our annual Donuts with Dad celebration! Dads and their children were able to enjoy a delicious donut, take pictures and win prizes.

We would like to thank the following

### Donuts with Dad sponsors:

Total Rental  
Hirsch P.T.O.  
Hirsch Elementary  
Wreaths by Maria Torres  
Turned Up Tumblers by Melissa Eskins



## Hirsch Elementary Recycle Rally

Thank you so much to everyone that participated in our 2018-2019 Recycle Rally!

Recycling at Hirsch Elementary has grown immensely since we began the Pepsi Recycle Rally. Students, staff and community members have made recycling a life style. It is a GREAT amount of work and dedication but it is for a worthy cause. Our students are learning to take care of our Earth by recycling. The level of dedication and commitment of the Green Team teachers, students, parents and community members is like no other. Thank you for your support!



Green Team Sponsors: Mrs. Ramirez, Mrs. Okyere, Mrs. Christmas, Mrs. Ochoa, Mrs. Rodgers, Mrs. Salazar, Nurse Brock, Mrs. Ly (Chan), Mrs. Maldonado

Parent Volunteers: Mr. Mannings and Mrs. Ford

## Volunteer of the Month



Gini Uribe

## Upcoming Events

### May 6-10

Teacher Appreciation Week

### May 8

Last day to order your field day shirt

### May 10

Muffins with Mom 7:15 a.m.

### May 13

STAAR Testing 3<sup>rd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> Math  
5<sup>th</sup> Grade Math Retakes  
NO Visitors

### May 14

STAAR Testing 3<sup>rd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> Reading  
5<sup>th</sup> Grade Reading Retakes  
NO Visitors

### May 15

STAAR Testing 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Science  
NO Visitors

### May 22

Career Day

### May 23

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Awards

### May 24

Field Day  
Volunteers Needed

### May 27

Memorial Day Holiday  
NO School

### May 28

3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Awards

### May 29

Kinder Awards

### May 30

5<sup>th</sup> Grade Awards

### May 30

Last Day of School  
½ Day

**\*Any changes will be communicated via note.**

### Ready Reminders

- ✓ Breakfast ends @ 8:00 a.m.
- ✓ Tardy bell rings @ 8:00 a.m.
- ✓ All transportation changes must be made in writing and received by 2:30 pm.
- ✓ The latest time to check out students for the day is 2:30 p.m.
- ✓ Our attendance goal is 98%.

**ATTENDANCE MATTERS!!!**

## Order your Field Day t-shirts!

T-shirts are on sale for \$10. Sales end May 8<sup>th</sup>!

Order your field day shirt using the following link:

[http://awpdesignit.com/hirsch\\_elementary\\_field\\_day/shop/home](http://awpdesignit.com/hirsch_elementary_field_day/shop/home)



## BOX TOP Collection

Thank you for supporting our Box Tops collections this school year!



## We need you!

Do you want to make a difference at Hirsch Elementary? Then partner with us a volunteer. Complete the volunteer background check at [www.springisd.org/volunteer](http://www.springisd.org/volunteer) today. Once you are cleared contact your child's teacher and let him/her know you're ready to lend a hand. If you need assistance or have any questions about the process please contact Mrs. Ramirez at [aramirez@springisd.org](mailto:aramirez@springisd.org).

## Principal's Tidbits

Dear Parents;

There are many things going on at Hirsch as we close out the year. STAAR Testing will happen May 13-15. 3rd and 4th grade will take Math on May 13th and Reading on May 15th. 5th graders who need to retake the Reading or Math will test on those days as well. Also, 5th grade will take the STAAR Science test on Wednesday, May 15.

Career Day will be on May 22nd at 8:30 and Field Day will be on May 24th.

All awards ceremonies will be at 8:15 on the following dates:

1st and 2nd Grade May 23rd

3rd and 4th Grade May 28th

Kinder May 29th

5th Grade May 30th

May 30th is the last day of school and an Early Dismissal day at 12:30.

Also, remember that next year, our school hours will be from 8:10 to 3:30. Our doors will open at 7:30. If you are interested in care before school through Koala Kare, please contact Ms. Patterson here at the school.

**Students Win When We Work as a Team!**

## We ♥ Our Sponsors



Marshall Smith 281-821-2682



Edgar Ramirez

832-642-1737



## Sweet Peas Daycare

281-301-8648

[sweetpeasdaycare.org](http://sweetpeasdaycare.org)



## We need you DADS!

Thank you Watch D.O.G.S. for supporting our students this school year!

Mr. King  
Mr. Ramirez  
Mr. Uribe  
Mr. Rubio  
Mr. Briones  
Mr. Manning  
Mr. Griffin  
Mr. Chadden  
Mr. Rodriguez  
Mr. Velasquez  
Mr. Cochran  
Mr. Cruz

If you are interested in joining Watch D.O.G.S. you must complete a background check at [www.springisd.org/volunteer](http://www.springisd.org/volunteer). Please contact Mrs. Ramirez at [aramirez@springisd.org](mailto:aramirez@springisd.org) for more information.

## Business Partners

Do you know of a business partner that can support activities at Hirsch? Email Mrs. Ramirez with their contact information at [aramirez@springisd.org](mailto:aramirez@springisd.org)

Business partners will be recognized in our monthly newsletter and school website.

**Be positive, patient and progressive!**