Deanna L. Wright Spring 2017 District A

IMPORTANT DATES FOR THE 2016-2017 SCHOOL YEAR

School will not be in session on the following dates:

04/10/17 - 04/14/17 05/29/17 Spring Break Memorial Day

For a complete listing access: http://www.ccsd.net/district/calendar/

REGULAR BOARD MEETINGS:

Thursday, March 23, 2017, 5:00 p.m. Thursday, April 6, 2017, 5:00 p.m. Thursday, April 27, 2017, 5:00 p.m. Thursday, May 11, 2017, 5:00 p.m. Thursday, May 25, 2017, 5:00 p.m. Thursday, June 22, 2017, 5:00 p.m. Thursday, June 29, 2017, 5:00 p.m. Thursday, June 29, 2017, 5:00 p.m.

Edward A. Greer Education Center, Board Room 2832 E. Flamingo Road, Las Vegas, NV 89121 Access the District's website: CCSD Board Meetings

BOARD WORK SESSIONS

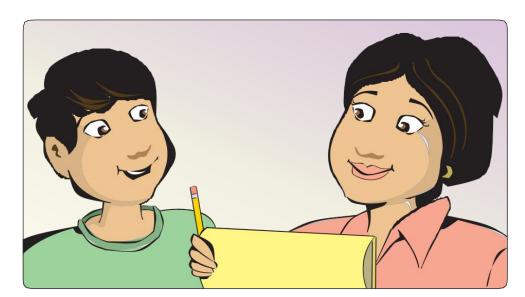
Wednesday, April 5, 2017, 8:00 a.m. Wednesday, May 3, 2017, 8:00 a.m. Wednesday, June 21, 2017, 8:00 a.m.

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<u>DISTRICT A COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT (ACE)</u> <u>MEETING</u>

Thursday, May 4, 2017, 10:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

ACE Meeting will be held at: C.T. Sewell Elementary School, Parent Cottage 700 East Lake Mead Parkway Henderson, Nevada 89015



Regular review helps your child strengthen math skills

Success in math is built on mastering basic skills. Your child's chances of acing more math test can improve if you do these things:

- Regularly quiz your child on basic math facts: 2 X 9, 12-4, 6+6, etc. Together, make a set of flash cards with the math facts he needs to know. Use them to quiz him at the breakfast table, in the car or while you wait at the doctor's office. Your child has mastered a math fact when he can give the correct answer in less than three seconds.
- Resist telling your child the answers. He will learn better if you show him how to find them
 instead. For instance, if he doesn't know what 3 X 5 is, have him draw three parallel horizontal
 lines. Cross them with five vertical lines. Then have him count the intersections to get the
 answer.
- Have your child practice writing numbers neatly. One quarter of the match errors students
 make are due to messy number writing. Your child should make sure his numbers are neatly
 lined up, too.
- Encourage your child to work more problems than the teacher assigns. Good math skills come with practice.
- Challenge your child to do math "in his head." See if he can figure out a problem without using pencil and paper or a calculator.

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Your School Board Trustee, Deanna Wright – District A Board President



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