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World Read Aloud Day
February 5th is World Read Aloud Day! It is an opportunity to celebrate the joy of reading aloud and advocate for literacy as a fundamental human right that belongs to everyone. As a parent/guardian, you play a critical part in emphasizing the importance of reading to your child(ren). Encouraging children to develop a love of books and reading impacts their motivation to learn now and makes a difference for their future. Reading aloud to children is one of the main ways we can help them become avid readers. Please take a few moments to build your child(ren)’s confidence by reading aloud each day.

HIAT Book-mobile
HIAT believes our scholars’ success is contingent upon their love of reading. We are dedicated to a balanced approach to literacy and have began the HIAT Book-mobile as a step in this effort in which we go classroom to classroom delivering books to scholars. It is always such a pleasure to see the excitement when we come with books our scholars choose to be the new owners of! Please take any opportunity possible to allow your child(ren) to become new owners of books old and new; their future depends on it!

Spread the Word!
Please share our enrollment information (see below) with family and friends!

“At HIAT, we are committed to creating educational opportunities that will allow our scholars to feel intelligent, valued, challenged, and socially and emotionally supported every day.”

-Dr. Coni Taslim, HIAT Principal

ENROLL TODAY!
MERRILLVILLE'S PREMIER CHARTER SCHOOL
ENRICHING SCHOLARS THRU THE ARTS & TECHNOLOGY

“BUILDING THE ROAD TO SUCCESS”
Wednesday, January 29th
Parent/Teacher Conferences
Early Dismissal 12 p.m.

Thursday, January 30th
Positive Behavior Incentive Field Trip

Wednesday, February 5th
Read Aloud Day

Thursday, February 6th
Progress Report Distribution
Parent University 4-6 p.m.

Friday, February 7th
No School: Staff Professional Development

Monday, February 17th
No School: President's Day

SCHOLAR SPOTLIGHT

CONGRATULATIONS to Kickboard Leaders:
Calina Jones-McKinzie, Danielle Davis, Carsyn Pirtle, Jazmine Martin,
DeVaughn Davis, Exavier Cotton, Jaelyn Mister, Ayana Catlin, and Davin Lemon.

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London Barnes, Darren Jones, Ezekiel Burden, Chloe Patton, Mieah Copeland,
Danielle Davis, Major Arnold, Zaiden Bowie, Marshawn King,
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Ivy Williams-Forbes, and Darren Jones for showing perseverance in their leadership at HIAT!!!

H.I.A.T. is Building the Road to Success!!!!