



## Y5/KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

Registration opens February 1, 2023 for the Y5/Kdg. registration for the 2023-24 school year. Your child must be 5 by September 1, 2023.

Please go to Final Forms to register.  
<https://hopkins-mi.finalforms.com/>

Please take your time & fill out all forms. You will also need to upload necessary pieces of information including birth certificate, proof of residency, immunization records. More information is provided on the Final Forms site.

Parents will be contacted to determine next steps...attend a virtual parent meeting, schedule student screenings and orientation dates.

Current Y5 students do not need to enroll again!

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 17**  
**11:10 DISMISSAL**  
**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 20**  
**NO SCHOOL—MIDWINTER BREAK**

Hopkins Public Schools Food Service is looking for substitute food service help.  
 Hours range from 8:30-1:45.  
 Contact Rhonda Sapp for more info  
[rhonsapp@hpsvikings.org](mailto:rhonsapp@hpsvikings.org)

## SYCAMORE ELEMENTARY H.O.P.E.

**Little Caesars Pizza Kits Fundraiser**  
**January 11-February 10**

**Paperwork went home with all the pertinent information.**

**H.O.P.E. fundraising money goes directly to our students for field trips, field day and many other activities & events.**

**To order:**

<https://fundraising.littlecaesars.com/login/join-fundraiser/86fa0a79-bcaf-4804-abee-2c189e416f80>

## OFFICE CONTACTS:

Phone: 616-681-9189

Fax: 888-557-7919

Email: [kelltals@hpsvikings.org](mailto:kelltals@hpsvikings.org)

**Encore! Summer Music Camp Registration is NOW OPEN!**  
**For-students CURRENTLY in 1st-5th Grade Only.**

Visit [www.linktr.ee/encoremusiccamp](http://www.linktr.ee/encoremusiccamp) for more information and to register.

Do you know someone who has made a difference to a student at Hopkins?

Please consider nominating them for the “2023 Outstanding People for Education” Award.

Please make your nomination using the google link:

<https://forms.gle/9YvaCsEpFVVPp5Qy7>

All nominations are due by March 1.

## “Oh the weather outside is frightful”

So your kids should dress for the weather!!

Please be certain to have boots & hats & mittens & snow pants  
 & of course, coats

appropriate for the weather.

When in doubt, send it!!!

**And help us help you....**

**Label clothing!!!!**

## Sycamore Students 1st-5th Grades Talent Show

Do you have a talent you'd like to share with our student body?

On February 1, students can “audition” after school.

Students must have their own music for dance routines & music must be elementary appropriate.

Our selected talents will perform on February 22 for our Sycamore students. Only parents who have a student performing will be invited to attend.

Reach out to Ms. Mielke with questions: [amymiel@hpsvikings.org](mailto:amymiel@hpsvikings.org)

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## From food service:

Breakfast is available daily in the cafeteria at 7:30 a.m. for \$1.50 or \$.30 for reduced students. Hot & cold items available along with fresh fruits & milk. Great way to start your school day!!



## Half Days...

Our half days for the 2022-23 school year are:

- \*Friday, February 17
- \*Thursday, March 2
- \*Friday, March 3
- \*Friday, April 28
- \*Thursday, June 1
- \*Friday, June 2

**These are 11:10 dismissals.**

**MAKE ARRANGEMENTS  
FOR YOUR CHILD(REN)**

**Who's feeling positive? We all are!**

**Our next positive message day is Wednesday,  
February 15.**

## Next H.O.P.E. Meeting:

Wednesday, February 15 6:30 p.m.

## Next popcorn day:

**Friday, February 24**

**50 cents a bag**



## Suggestions given by the Allegan County Health Dept. of "When to Keep Your Child Home":

- \*Severely Ill
- \*Fever: Temp. of 100.4F or greater AND behavior changes or other signs and symptoms (keep home until 24 hours fever-free, without use of fever-reducing meds)
- \*Diarrhea: no loose stools for 24 hrs. prior to returning==
- \*Vomiting: no vomiting episodes for 24 hrs. prior to returning==
- \*Rash: with fever or change in behavior==
- \*Skin sores (weeping sores that can't be covered with waterproof dressing)
- \*Certain Communicable Diseases: may need to be excluded

==These are general recommendations only. Consult physician or local public health department.

## HOPKINS GOT TALENT

Saturday, February 4

6:00 P.M.

Middle School Cafeteria

**Cancelled**  
Advance tickets available online or at the MS or HS offices.

\$10 tickets at the door

## Next Can Drive:

*Tuesday, January 24*



## Proper Clothing Rules:

**60 degrees or more...short sleeves**

**50-59 degrees....long sleeves**

**Less than 50 degrees....coat**



**Cheer Tumbling for Kdg.-8th grade**

Our Hopkins Varsity Cheerleaders are pleased to invite students in grades K-8 to join them in tumbling classes on Thursdays in February in the Hopkins Elementary cafeteria from 6:-7: p.m.

The cost is \$20 with registration and payment due on the first night.

Athletes will be split into groups based on age & skill level. They will be taught tumbling skills & drills from beginner to advanced. Contact Autumn with questions: [autukrai@hpsvikings.org](mailto:autukrai@hpsvikings.org)

## Treat Day Tuesdays

Two treats for \$1.

Profits help fund March is Reading Month activities.

Students choose from a variety of snacks & drinks.

**Protect Your Eyes, free presentation**

**Thursday, January 26 from 6:30-8: p.m.**

**Hosted at Hopkins Community Church**

**All adults & students 14 years & older may attend**

## "The Digital Culture of Kids"

Our desired outcomes include: a deep understanding of how to build Digital Trust in your family...Awareness of the hardware & software tools that support your digital goals....How to use practical solutions so that your family is prepared, balance & protected online.