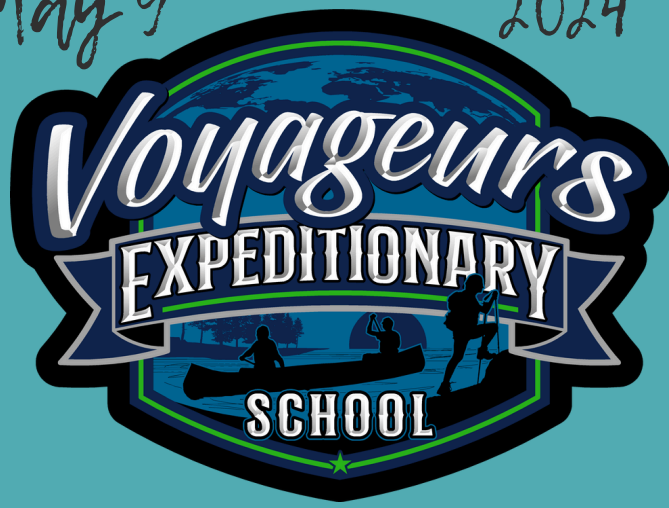


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VES Spotlight

Reminder - we DO NOT have school this Friday, May 10!



Students can access their headrush login from our website! Have them show you what they are working on!

Check out the resources page on our website!
<https://www.voyageursschool.org/student-family-resources/>



We continue to emphasize that we have fewer days in school so STUDENTS need to make them count. Attendance, showing up as best they can, and being productive, are important. Being present in school will promote success in school. Thanks for your active participation in your students' success in school.



Please call (218)444-3130 or email attendance@voyageursschool.org if your student will be gone from school for any reason. Lunch count needs to be submitted by 8:40 am if your student plans to eat hot lunch. Thanks!

Upcoming Events

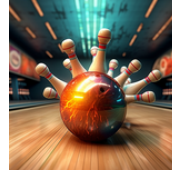
- May 10 ~ No School ~ Staff Day
- May 13 ~ VES SWAG Order deadline
- May 16 ~ Lions Free Vision Screening
- May 17 ~ Friday school
- May 20-24 ~ MarineLab Florida Trip
- May 27 ~ No School - Memorial Day
- May 30 ~ Last Day of School & Graduation

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THANK YOU, THANK YOU!

THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU! To the generous supporters who donated to this great event! Over \$1000 was raised to directly support the experiences of our awesome students! Thank you to the community that showed up and supported our students through the purchase of auction items! Together, we are making a difference for our kids!



Going Bowling!

To celebrate how great the kids did on the MAP testing this spring, we are going bowling! Friday, May 17th!

E-WEEK!

E-Week Learning is Fun!

We had a great week at VES this week! Lots of kids on trips, outside, hiking, biking, and doing service projects. Look for loads of pictures in next week's edition of the newsletter!



VES SWAG!

Get your VES swag before the end of the school year! Deadline is THIS Monday, May 13! See the flyer included in this edition of the enews!



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Lions Free Vision Screening

On Thursday, May 16, the Lions Club of Bemidji will be volunteering their time to come and do free vision screening for all VES students. The screening is very quick, and if any indications for follow-up care are found, information will be sent home. If you DO NOT want your child to participate in this free screening, please contact Shar (shar@voyageursschool.org or 218-444-3130).

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MS Update Sam's Advisory



Howdy from all of us down here in the Middle School! We are currently deep into E-week and everyone is out and about, having a great time! We have two trips away from school, one in North Dakota and another in South Dakota. Day Camping and Everyday I'm Musclin' spent an awesome day at Itasca State Park on Tuesday, even in the rain! The Cycling E-week and Dog Rescue Service have been spending quality time around school with plenty of bike rides and so many pet blankets, treats, and toys being made! Bird Nerds has been having an awesome time learning about bird identification and the importance of birds in the ecosystem and local culture. We spent Tuesday afternoon at the Headwaters Science Center and we're headed out on more birding walks this week. We've already identified a dozen species with more sure to come! Ask your students about their E-Week experiences, they are sure to give a glowing review!!

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HS Update Monica's and Shelby's Advisory



Dear VES families,

This week has had an incredible amount of experiential learning opportunities for Voyageurs' students. We said goodbye to our seniors as they head off on an energy expedition in North Dakota as well as almost 30 middle and high schoolers as they embarked on an expedition to South Dakota. Our advisory students are spread throughout the Bemidji area birdwatching, day camping and recreating in the muscle group. We also have friends doing service work in their expeditions such as making dog blankets, treats and toys to be donated to Great River Rescue. We are looking forward to the many fun end-of-year activities ahead as well as buckling down for our last few weeks of academics before we are OUT for the summer.

Dropout Prevention Hotline Info

The Dropout Prevention Hotline is for:

- **Parents:** If you feel you need more help keeping your children in school and graduating, we can help.
- **Students:** If you feel you need more encouragement and advice about staying in school, we can help.
- **Teachers:** If you would like to discuss how to get more help for struggling students, we can help.
- **Citizens:** If you know a neighbor, relative, or friend who is thinking about dropping out of school, the hotline can help.

For your convenience, our hotline is available between the hours of 5:00 PM to 10:00 PM, seven days a week.

- The number is: 218-444-STAY
- A back up number is: 218-766-9009.



VES Swag 2024!



**ORDERS ARE DUE
MONDAY, MAY 13TH!!**



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