

**The Primary School Media Center** is preparing for another year at CCS. This year the responsibilities in the library will be shared by Sydney Caughman, Amy Peacock, and Sue Hartwell. Please take a minute to review the policies and procedures listed below. Feel free to contact us via e-mail with any questions or concerns. Library hours will be posted outside of the library.

## **Check Out**

- Kindergarten will visit the library once each week. Books are due 1 week from the date they are checked out.
- Students in grades 1-4 may check out one book at a time for AR and visit the library during open library time as needed. Books are due back 2 weeks from the date they are checked out. Students may check out an additional book if needed for special assignments.
- Grades 5-6 may check out a total of 3 books if needed for special assignments. Books for these students are due back in 2 weeks.

## **Fines for Overdue Books**

- Students are charged 10¢ per day per book; weekends excluded. Fines will only be waived in the event of absence due to illness as long as the book is returned the first day the student returns to school.
- Fines continue to accrue until book is returned.
- Fines accrue over all breaks.
- Overdue and fine notices are emailed to parents weekly.
- Students are not permitted to checkout until all overdue books are returned and all fines are paid.

## Lost or Damaged Books

- All books will be replaced by the Media Center Personnel. When a book is lost or damaged, the Media Center Personnel will issue an invoice to the student outlining the replacement cost plus shipping (if applicable). The minimum replacement cost is \$10.
- Books 4 weeks or more past due are declared "lost" and the appropriate replacement cost is billed to the student.

## Repairs

- In the event that a book needs repair (torn page, loose binding), please **do not** attempt to repair it at home. ALL book repairs should be done by the Media Center staff using special book tape.
- Students need to bring any book needing repair to the Media Center immediately.
- Final report cards will be held until any outstanding library fines, overdue books and/or lost or damaged materials are paid.

Sydney Caughman, Music Teacher and Library Amy Peacock, Art Teacher and Library Sue Hartwell, Primary School Principal