



## 17-18 Spring Newsletter

### Mrs. Hinton's Gifted & Talented

Dear Parents and Guardians

I am so excited for Spring and warm weather! I hope your family has stayed healthy during this crazy flu season and with the up and down temperatures we've had! We are on the downhill slide with the last nine weeks ahead. This is a very busy time of year as we prepare to show the state all we have learned this school year.

In the last few months of this year, we will be working on one last project at the 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade levels...Passion Projects! The 8<sup>th</sup> grade Science classes have been working on Science related projects and will be displaying their work in the library. We invite you all out to see them. The 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade will begin their projects right before Spring Break and will work on them until the end of April. I have enjoyed working with your students and have seen great growth throughout the year. I wish them a fabulous final nine weeks and summer and cannot wait to see them in August.

Parents and students, I truly value your feedback on the GT program. If you have any suggestions for next year please email me by the end of May...Field trip or lesson ideas? Continue with Google Classroom? Novel studies? I will use your input in planning for next year!

This has been a great year! I hope your students have enjoyed learning as much as I have enjoyed working with them.

Questions or concerns?

Contact me at: [Elizabeth.hinton@spencer.kyschools.us](mailto:Elizabeth.hinton@spencer.kyschools.us)

You might want to check out the gifted educational opportunities offered through WKU and KAGE (Kentucky Association of Gifted Education).

[www.wku.edu/gifted](http://www.wku.edu/gifted) you can find middle and high school opportunities.

### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### SCES

**May 14-18 KPREP testing.**  
We have been working to be prepared. Please help your student get plenty of rest and a good breakfast for testing.

#### SCMS

- **Parent Involvement Night** will be held on Thursday, April 19<sup>th</sup> @5:30pm. Come in and see what our students have been working on. There will be several student showcases in classrooms and in the Library. This will also be a Transition Night for 8<sup>th</sup> grade moving on to high school and for 5<sup>th</sup> grade joining us at the middle school.
- **May 16-22 KPREP**



*"Intelligence plus Character – that is the goal of true education."*

– Martin Luther King

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