



DECEMBER 2023

Hamilton Innovator



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The holidays are a time to be merry and cheerful, a joyous time of the year, celebrating families and embracing connections. However, everyone's experience is different. With all the recent stressors, families may find this upcoming holiday season met with an increase in challenges.

Here are some holiday self-care tips to find joy through this season:

1. Get organized, make a plan and stick to it.
2. Make space for messy feelings like grief and loss.
3. Create your own or new holiday traditions.
4. Set realistic expectations for yourself and the holiday.
5. Learn to say "no" without feeling guilty by setting healthy boundaries.
6. Make time to relax and don't forget to sleep.
7. Keep your stress levels in check. Do so by taking a step back, delegating or asking for help.

No holiday season is perfect but, every holiday season can be filled with love, laughter, and memories with the imperfections.



Buy a Hamilton Hoodie Today!

Cost is \$25.

2XL and larger are priced higher.

Families may purchase through:
hamiltonspiritwear.com or the envelope that students received in their homerooms.

Sale ends December 7th



Upcoming Events

Dec. 1

PTA Orlando Magic Night

Dec. 4-8

PTA Holiday Shop

Dec. 7

STEM Family Night 6pm

Dec. 9

Cross Country Meet
Markham Woods MS 8:30am

Dec. 9

Robotics Competition
@ Lake Highland Prep
8am-3pm

Dec. 9

Sanford Christmas
Parade 6pm

Dec. 14

2nd & 3rd Winter
Music Show 6pm

Dec. 18-20

Early Release Days

1:05 Dismissal

No 21st Century

Dec. 19

PTA Skate Night 6-8pm

Dec. 21- Jan. 5

Winter Break-No School

Jan. 8

School Resumes

Jan. 15

No School

MLK Parade 10am

Jan. 27

Cross Country Meet
Midway Elem. 8:30am





Sign up to be a Dividend Volunteer



Learn more about Hamilton's Magnet Program



SILENCE cell phones

Cell phones should be on silent and out of sight, as directed by the teacher, for the entire school day.



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PTA CORNER

- If you received a letter/invoice, please note that Coupon Book Payments are due December 1st.
- Holiday Shop is Coming!! December 4th - 8th
- Skate Night is on Tues., December 19th 6-8pm \$10 (skates included)
SK8tona - 1680 Doyle Rd; Deltona, FL 32725

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<https://www.facebook.com/hamiltonelem/> and check out

our new Instagram page @hamiltonengtech

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"Subscribe" to the number 67587.



The school doors open at 8:05 am
Front office hours are 8am-4pm
The first bell rings at 8:30 am
Breakfast is served 8:05 – 8:30 am
School starts at 8:35 am
School ends at 3:05pm

SSYRA



SSYRA Books
2023-24
Grades 3-5

SSYRA PICK 3



How many will you read?

Our 3rd-5th graders have been doing an outstanding job reading this year's SSYRA Books. For each book they read and pass an Accelerated Reader quiz, they earn a special Brag Tag. The brag tag is given to students by an administrator or resource teacher who also enjoyed that same book. All SSYRA Books can be signed out of Hamilton's library, the Seminole County Public Library, or digitally through SORA on the SCPS Clever Portal. Keep reading, Hamilton!

All **Title I** documents are in a binder in the front office. This binder includes the School Improvement Plan (SIP), the Parent and Family Engagement Plan (PFEP), the School-Home Compact, SAC info, the Title I Brochure, and the SPAR report. Documents are also available on the school website.

Your feedback is always welcome, as it helps us understand our areas of strength and areas of growth so we can better meet the needs of our students.

