

"Husky Shout Outs!" for Active Listening



Greeting Hynes Families, from the **Hynes-UNO School and Family Involvement Team!** We are a team of faculty and staff who are committed to building strong connections between our school and our families.

We are excited to tell you about a new school-wide campaign that we will be launching after Fall Break: **"Husky Shout-Outs!"** This is a campaign that our kindergarten teachers use(d) during distance learning and we are now thrilled to be expanding it to include all of Hynes-UNO!

This is how it works:

For the 2nd quarter our campaign will be focusing on following the Husky Hight Five by **using active listening**, a skill that is critical to both academic and social-emotional success.

Anytime your child exhibits great active listening at home, please give them a "Husky Shout-Out!" Simply email your Husky's teacher or put a note in their communication folder indicating that you would like to give your Husky a shout-out. The teacher will give them a "Husky Shout-Out!" the next day in class, they will congratulate them in front of the class for following the Husky High Five by using active listening.

We are excited to encourage our students to use their active listening skills both at school and at home and look forward to them enjoying their **"Husky Shout-Outs**" being read aloud to the class!

At Hynes Charter Schools, cultivating an invested and committed community and an inclusive and positive school culture are two of our core values. Our team keeps those values front and center as we focus on keeping strong connections between the times our Huskies are at school and at home!

We look forward to seeing your "Husky Shout-Outs!", The Hynes-UNO School and Family Involvement Team