



Parents,

It is hard to believe that we are already down to about 60ish school days. We still have a lot to accomplish in that short time so we will push on. You can help us by reminding your students to continue to do their best each and every day. For them to be successful we need to work together for them and they respond better if they know we are all on the same page.

Campus Assignments for 17-18

Hopefully you received a letter in the mail recently letting you know where your child is zone for next year with the new schools that will be opening. If for some reason you did not get a letter or have questions please feel free to call or send me an email with questions. If you have moved please make sure you bring us your new proof of residence so we make sure to get your children to the correct school.

STAAR Testing Coming Up

Parents, Your students STAAR testing is coming up quickly. While we don't want to over stress your child with this we do want them to do their very best. Although we may not agree with it this is how the state grade us. You will be receiving more information about this as we get closer to time. Please do not plan appointments for your students on these days. After the test has started the students are not allowed into the classroom so they will have to test in another area.

What's Happening at WSE Remainder of February

- 23 - 5:45 PTA General Mtg.
6:00 Family Math Night
- 27- March 3 - Dr. Seuss Week

March

- 2 - 4th Grade Field Trip
- 3 - PTA Family Movie Night
- 8 - 2nd Grade Field Trip
- 9 - 3rd Grade Field Trip
- 10 - Last day of 3rd 9 weeks
- 13 -17 Spring Break
- 20 - Beginning of 4th 9 weeks
- 20 - 24 Packet pick up for Kindergarten registration
- 22 - Report Cards go home
- 24 - 3rd 9 Weeks Award Assemblies
8:30 4th & 5th Grade
9:30 2nd & 3rd Grade
- 28th - 4th Grade STAAR Writing
5th Grade STAAR Math
- 29th - 1st Grade Field Trip
5th Grade STAAR Reading

Field Trips

Just a reminder that if you are going on field trips with your child's class we would like for you to fill out the volunteer paperwork in which we also do a background check. If you are going to help the teacher with any students other than your own you will need to do this. Otherwise you can only be responsible for your own child which means they will not necessarily be with their friends.



Kindergarten Registration

We will be doing Kindergarten Registration a little different this year. Hopefully it will be easier for parents registering their children. The week of March 20-24 parents may pick up a registration packet from the office to be filled out at home. Then we will hold registration on April 6 from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. At this time parents will bring their packets back in for us to check over and get your child officially registered. If you have any questions please feel free to call the office at any time. If you have friends or family that have a child going to Kindergarten please pass this information along to them. Also this year you can register at any elementary. After registration you will be notified where your child will attend kindergarten.



Spring Break
March 13-17

Boosterthon

A big thank you to all of you who helped us with making pledges for the Boosterthon Fun Run. We had pledges made for about \$25,000. We have a couple of more days to bring in the last of the money that was pledged. At this time we still have a little over \$2000. still out in pledges. Please help us by getting those in. When we get it all complete we will let you know how things came out.

STAAR Testing Dates

March 28th – 4th Grade Writing

5th Grade Math

March 29th – 5th Grade Reading

May 8th – 3rd Grade Math

4th Grade Math

5th Grade Math Retest

May 9th - 3rd Grade Reading

4th Grade Reading

5th Grade Reading Retest

May 10th – 5th Grade Science

Traffic

Our traffic still seems to be moving pretty well but occasionally we have a parent who is trying to turn the wrong way and it holds everyone up. Please only turn right when turning in to the school and leaving. Thanks for your help to keep our traffic moving smoothly.

Reading is the most important thing you can do with your child. No matter how old they are please continue to read with them. Sometimes this may just be modeling reading while they are reading so they know it is important.