

Be Safe, Be Responsible, Be Respectful and Be a Positive Learner

Evaline FRIDAY News

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NEXT WEEK'S HAPPENINGS!

Beginning next week, teachers will be having students coming into their classrooms to participate in fall district assessments. They will be having small groups up to 5 students scheduled for blocks of time.



Students will need:

- To wear a mask
- To bring their chromebook and power cord
- To be checked in by a staff member at their designated entrance
- An attestation of good health filled out
- To follow social distancing and safety protocols

We ask that parents remain in their vehicle and staff will escort students out of the building at the designated pick up time. Due to the short time span between group sessions, we appreciate your timeliness.

It is important that we continue to follow the safety guidelines and recommendations as outlined by the Health Department and the Office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, which have been put in place by our administration and school board to protect our students, staff and community. We too look forward to the time when we can relax these guidelines, but right now is not that time.

 If a family is not comfortable having a student come into the building at this time, or wearing a face covering for an extended period of time, they can contact their teacher to discuss alternate options, such as assessment via distance learning.

Our staff are excited to see and work with your students once again in the classrooms, and are looking forward to, when it is found to be appropriate, for classes to resume in person.

IMPORTANT DATES: SEPTEMBER:

October: Thurs. 8: Bell School Photos-(more info to come) Tues. 20: School Board Meeting, 6:30

Let's Go Lions! We Can Do This!



Scholastic Book Order



Watch for the scholastic book order sheets, order a fun new book to read! If you have any questions about the book orders please contact your student's teacher.

Online Student Enrollment Coming Soon!

20-21 Enrollment Forms The office usually sends out a back to school packet at the end of August. Due to COVID-19, the district will be using online enrollment forms. Steps to access the forms will go out very soon as we are putting our final touches on this new enrollment format.



MRS. YOUNG KINDERGARTEN AND 1ST GRADE

Hi everyone,

This week the students dove into the curriculum. My biggest suggestion is to pause the videos to let your child work along with them and to make sure your child is taking their time on their writing. If they don't take their time, please have them erase and try again. This would be consistent with what I would have them do in the classroom.

Keyboarding - many students struggle with the drag and drop the first few times, but they will get it eventually. It is just something that has to be practiced to get down. If your child gets frustrated, let them take a moment to calm down and have them try it again that same day. Even I struggled with the drag and drop for the puzzle pieces! Just make sure you click with one hand and drag with the other.



Please feel free to reach out if you have any questions. have a wonderful weekend!

Mrs. Young

MRS. MITTGE 2ND GRADE

Super Second Grade Summary:

I continue to be impressed and humbled by the support of our second grade families as well as the productivity of our second grade students. I am so grateful and honored to be a part of your lives this year.

-Thank you for establishing positive school work spaces and schedules.

-Thank you for logging into your Google Classrooms every morning and answering the check-in questions before viewing our video lessons in "Classwork." (The responses to these questions have been priceless and have brought a smile to my face each morning)!

-Thank you for the return on your packet work.

Last week's Student Superpower was "Responsibility." This week our Super Second Graders zeroed in on the power of respect. Our class defined respect as thinking and acting in a positive way toward yourself and others; acting in a way that shows you care about the feelings and well-being of others.

Students shared ways we can show respect in our classroom as well as examples of things they have done that have shown respect to others. We also read two books about characters who chose to be respectful or disrespectful and discussed the effect these choices had on the characters' lives and the lives they touched. We came to the conclusion that respect and approaching situations with positivity is a choice that often results in better outcomes than disrespect and negativity.

Congratulations on successfully completing another remote learning week! I will be contacting all of you soon to set up a time at which I can work with your student here at Evaline on a 1:1 basis. Also, please look for Feedback Forms in your Monday work packets. These will have notes on your child's progress. Continue using your daily task sheets and our Google Classroom to view and complete lessons.

Please keep in contact. If there is ANYTHING I can do to support and engage your child's learning, please let me know. My best to all of you!



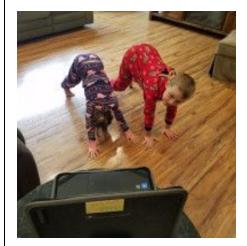
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MRS. TURNQUIST 3RD GRADE

Virtual learning is in full swing. Thank you to those students that have been getting on and completing their assignments each day. This is vital to your success as a student this year! Parents, please help your child to double check that they have completed the appropriate assignments that go along with each of the 4 daily subjects and have gotten any needed photos taken and attached. I am receiving a lot of blank and or incomplete assignments.

Next week we will be doing some EasyCBM testing. We would like to bring students in to complete these in order to get the most accurate results possible. I will have class hours from 9-11 and 11:30-1:30 on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday. <u>Please let me know what time slot would work best for your family.</u> Most students will complete it in one session, but some may need a little extra time. If you are not comfortable coming into the school alternate arrangements will be made.

Thank you to those students who have sent me photos of some of the offline work they have completed. I love getting to see your smiling faces!





Jackson and his sister, Brooklyn participating in our P.E. yoga lesson.

Grady posing with his apples from our germ experiment in science.



MRS. DUREN 4TH GRADE

HELLO FABULOUS FOURTH GRADERS!

This has been both a fun and challenging 3rd week of classes as we got started in using our core curriculum, and having longer assignments, while also getting used to the learning platform and technology. This has been our 1st week of having zoom sessions, and with getting familiar with each other in that setting.

I need to send out a big thank you to Ms Robin, Mrs Young, and Mrs Fletcher for the extra tech assistance along the way, and to our fabulous fourth graders and their parents who have been very

patient, and understanding as I have been getting more familiar with our learning platform and our new routine, now that I am back from my recent surgery.



In ELA we are beginning our year with Narrative writing, with a focus this week on the use of descriptive terms. In Math we are focused on expanding our knowledge, skills and strategies regarding place value, operations, and whole numbers. We have also begun to introduce social emotional and health topics into our zoom sessions.

Next week we will be spending more time in Social Studies, studying the Constitution, and also having students coming into the classroom to complete fall district assessments. As a result of having assessments one day, we have decreased a portion of their ELA classwork for the week to offset that time, but they will still have a math lesson each day. I am looking forward to seeing them all in person once again for these assessments. It is a joy to work with our fine and fabulous fourth graders, who find ways to make me smile every single day.

Have a great weekend , and see you next week!

Mrs. Duren

MR. BURLINGAME 5TH AND 6TH GRADE

Hello Parents and Students,

Things are going pretty well so far with distance learning. We have found a couple wrinkles in the system and with your help (parents and students) have been able to improve your experience.

A couple of important announcements-

#1 Next week we will be doing our regular district testing in person at the school. Please look for an email so that we can sign you up for a slot. There will be multiple students in the class during this time so adherence to covid safety protocols is of utmost importance.

#2 I have moved most of our material to being delivered online or materials that you received last week. Therefore no packets from 5th and 6th grade will be going out this week. There are a few items that need to be mailed and returned. If you receive one of these items, you can return them with the next packet or drop them off at the school in the white secure mailbox by the office.

So far I am impressed with the work coming in. You have all made a difficult transition to distance learning via internet and are doing a great job. Have a great weekend,



Mr. B