Eagle's Nest (Thursday Virtual Folder) 3/17/22 Edition



A MESSAGE FROM OUR PRINCIPAL RESIDENT:

Eagleton community,

Please see the flier below for more information about our upcoming Family Night. We are excited to come together as a community and celebrate spring and kindness with music, crafts and snacks.

Spring Book Fair is coming up soon! We will be holding our Spring Book Fair from March 21-24. Students will be visiting the Book Fair with their classes during the day. Fliers with more information were sent home last week. Families will also have the opportunity to shop at the Book Fair during our Family Night as well.

During our Book Fair, we collect donations for various fundraisers. This spring, we would like to continue this and raise money to support the families and children who are fleeing Ukraine. All proceeds that we raise will be donated to the Fundacji Powszechnego Czytania, which is a Polish non-profit raising money for refugees. Here is more information about the org: https://fpc.org.pl/homepage/about-us/

Check out the DINO & DRAGON STROLL event, and interactive walk-thru dinosaur and dragon experience, that is coming to Gaylord Rockies Resort & Convention Center April 2 & 3. They are offering all students in the district, 17 and under, **FREE tickets to the event**. Please see the <u>flier</u> for more information.

A MESSAGE ABOUT CMAS:

We will begin the Colorado Measures of Academic Success (CMAS) assessments on March 22nd for 3rd-5th grade students.

Calendar: The CMAS calendar is <u>here</u> in order to communicate when the CMAS assessments are occurring. We ask parents and families to ensure their children get plenty of sleep and a healthy breakfast every day, but especially on assessment days. In addition, if there are doctor's appointments or other appointments that need to be made, we hope this calendar will help you to make those appointments on non-assessment days.

Attendance: We also want to communicate that all students should be in school *on-time, all day and every day*, regardless of whether assessments are occurring or not. Important teaching and learning happens in between testing, so it is imperative that students are here. Our expectations remain around vacations and we expect parents to continue to plan vacations around the DPS calendar.

Make-Ups: Students do best when they are in their classroom environment for testing. In the event that your child has to miss a test session, they will have to make up the test another time and will be pulled during their instructional time to do so. In addition, due to our teachers needing to teach during all non-testing days, our paraprofessionals are used to give make-ups, which pulls them from supporting the classroom. To prevent disruption to your child's and other student's day, please make sure that your child is at school every day and limit their absences to only when they are sick.

Chromebooks: Please make sure that your child has his/her chromebook and it is charged and ready every day for testing.

We appreciate your support during this time. Assessments, including CMAS as well as those taken throughout the year, are vital tools for teachers to support student success. If you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to me.

IMPORTANT DATES:

March 24 - Eagleton Family Engagement Night. Come join us for some fun and learning!

March 25 - No School for Students

March 29 - April 2 - No School - Spring Break

April 4 - No School for Students

As always, thank you for your support.

Roxanne Ellsworth

Eagleton Principal Resident

