



Dear Parents,

Welcome back! I hope everyone had an incredible holiday. With the new year comes preparations for the 2019-2020 school year. Make sure that you are finishing Step-Up early. Many individuals have already heard back and been awarded for 2019-2020. Keep an eye out, we will be opening renewal applications for the 2019-2020 school year soon.

Attention!

Step-Up; Re-apply NOW!!

We have officially received word that step-up is open for renewing families. Many waited till the last-minute last year and almost lost their scholarships. Please make sure that you apply now. Some parents have already been awarded for the following year. Remember, once it opens to new families, it is first come, first serve. Many parents have already heard back and have been awarded.

Mid-Year Assessments; January 14th - January 18th

This week students are completing their midyear assessments. Please make sure that your child gets plenty of sleep and is well rested and ready to begin the day. A good breakfast is also important for successful testing. If students are hungry, they have a hard time focusing on anything other than their bellies.

***** No Chimes January 22nd – 24th *****



Upcoming Events

January 14-18

Mid-year Assessments

January 21

No School; Martin Luther King Jr. Day

January 22-25

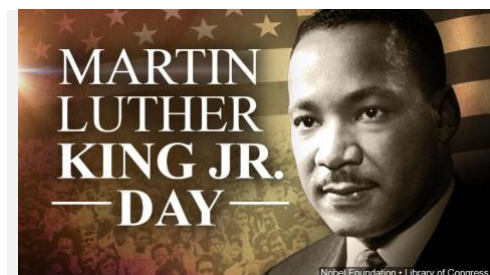
Parent/Teacher Conferences

February 4-18

Pasta for Pennies

February 14

Valentines Banquet



Important

**NO SCHOOL THIS MONDAY,
January 21st**

In honor of Martin Luther King Jr. there will be no school this upcoming Monday, January 21st.

Mark your Calendar

Martin Luther King Jr; No School Monday, January 21st

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Parent/Teacher Conferences; January 22nd - 24th

Be on the lookout. Conference signup sheets are coming home for K - 4. Please choose three times that you would be available and return the signup form to the teacher. If you cannot make any of the times posted, make sure that you contact your child's teacher to make appropriate arrangements to be seen.

Parents of upper grade students in 5 - 10; teachers will be available to meet in the gym on Wednesday, January 23rd and Thursday, January 24th from 3:30 pm - 6:00 pm. If you are not able to make it at those times, please call your child's teacher to make arrangement to meet on another day.

No Chimes; January 22nd - 24th

Pasta for Pennies; February 4th - 18th

Each school year we try to instill in our students the power of giving and serving others. Soon our students will be collecting for a charity event called Pasta for Pennies. This is a great character-building initiative in which students collect donations, including their own spare change, to support the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society to find cures for blood cancer and to help patients have access to treatments that they may need. The top fundraising classroom in each school receives a pasta party courtesy of Olive Garden. Please encourage your children to participate and have fun at the same time serving others.

Valentines Banquet; February 14th

The 8th grade class will be hosting a Valentine's banquet to raise money for there 8th grade graduation trip. Stay alert to more information coming soon.

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