



Mrs. McKenna's Newsletter



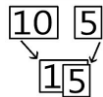
April 28, 2017

This Week in ELA:

In reading this week, we practiced figuring out tricky words. We need to remember to look at each part of a word and not just guess based on the first and last letter. We think, "What makes sense here? Does it look right?" We also learned vocabulary words "oviparous" and "incubation" as we studied animals that hatch from eggs. During writing workshop, we worked on making sure that we are using our vowels and letter blends when we are stretching words. Sometimes we write fast and forget to listen for every sound we hear. We continued our narrative writing.

This Week in Math:

This week in math, we continued working with teen numbers. We used "hide zero" cards to see how teen numbers come from a group of ten. The zero goes away and on top, we have the new teen number.



This Week in Science:

We studied *oviparous* animals. We learned that these animals come from eggs. Some animals lay one egg while others lay millions! We also learned the different ways that animals *incubate* their eggs.



May Birthdays
Sadie Reibold 5/23

Important Dates:

- 5/2-5/5 Scholastic BOGO Book Fair
- 5/5 End of Year Performance 1:45
- 5/29 Memorial Day (Holiday)
- 5/30 Rocket Run/Fireflies Game
- 5/31 Early Dismissal
- 6/1 Early Dismissal/Last Day of School



Announcement(s):

Please see the additional pages of this week's newsletter for some school-wide announcements!



Home Talk:

What was the best part of the zoo field trip? What oviparous animals do you see while at the zoo?

We are Bucket Fillers!



We fill buckets...no dipping!

Each week, teachers will pick a student who has done a great job being a "bucket filler," or a kind friend. This week, our bucket filler is: **Paige Bowes**

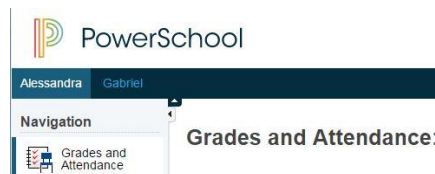


Dear Parent or Guardian,

Please complete the annual registration process as soon as possible. This online process began April 17th. ***It involves providing annual proof of residence, verifying student information, and reviewing and completing forms.***

To get started log in to Parent Portal. If you do not have a Parent Portal account, you will need to create one to complete the process.

Once you have logged in to Parent Portal please select the student's name you wish to register for the 2017-2018 school year. **Please note you must register each of your children that attend Richland Two schools.**



With the student's name selected, click on the "Annual Registration" button located in the navigation bar to the left of the screen.



- Only one parent/guardian needs to complete the registration process.
- **For assistance, contact Laurie Craft, Registrar at Forest Lake Elementary at 782-0470.**

Thank you for helping us prepare for another successful school year at Forest Lake Elementary.

Parents,

It is time to register for summer camp 2017! We look forward to providing your child with a great summer of learning including friendship building and hands-on activities. Applications will be accepted on a first-come, first served basis, until the program is filled. **A \$30.00 non-refundable registration fee is required. Your child must be 5 years of age by June 5, 2017.**

The Summer Care program will operate from 7:30 a.m. until 6:00 p.m., Monday through Friday from **June 5th – August 11, 2017.** ****Summer care will not be held on Tuesday, July 4, 2017.**

Please send a bag lunch each day. Summer care will only provide a morning and afternoon snack.

Summer Care



Weekly Payment Plan

Daily \$30.00 per child each day

One child - \$90.00

Two Children - \$160.00

Three Children - \$ 240.00

***** Please note summer camp will allow you to select only the days or weeks you need for the summer.**

Please contact Teresa Suber @ FLE: (803) 782-0470 - until 2:00 p.m. / (803) 413-4777 from 3-6 p.m.