

9/6/24

Forest View Families,

What a great start to the school year! Thank you for all that you do for our kids here at Forest View. Thank you for making it a priority to get your kids into their classrooms on time. Thank you for communicating with the office if they are going to be absent. Thank you for your continued support of your child(ren)s education. You play an integral role in the learning process and we certainly do value the partnership that we have. Here is a quick update on a few items:

Candy Bar Sales

Candy will be delivered next week on Wednesday (9/11) and we will kick off sales on Friday (9/13). Please keep a lookout for a permission slip for your student to sell - these need to be returned in order for us to send a box home with them.

Candy bars are bigger this year so they will be \$2 but only have 30 in the box instead of 60. This is one of our major fundraisers this year for our school so please consider participating. All money earned will go back towards our students.

Dismissal Times

First bell is at 3:30 for Parent Pick Up (PPU) kids that go to the gym. Second bell is at 3:35 and is for all of the students riding a bus.

Random Attendance Reward Days

Something new that I am introducing this year at Forest View is random attendance rewards days. We want to reward positive attendance and I will be picking a random day (no one else will know) to celebrate everyone who is at school that day. I will be introducing this to the students through our announcements starting Monday.

Late Start Monday

Our first late Start Monday will be on September 30th. Remember that school starts at 10 am and breakfast is not served on those days. Supervision begins at 9:45 on Late Start Mondays.

Secured Entrances/Hallways

One initiative that we have this year is to maintain a secure building. If you would like to talk to a teacher, have something for a staff member, or just want to drop in to say hello, please come through the main office. We will call the teacher/adult down to the office and they can walk with you to their classrooms. Thank you for your help with this!

PTO

The first PTO meeting of the year will be on September 24th at 4 pm here at Forest View. Please feel free to come after school to join this wonderful group.

PE Shoes

Please try to remember to send PE shoes on appropriate days.

CAPS Crew

If you are interested in <u>Caps Crew</u> you can go to the CAPS website and find some great opportunities that your student (grades 3-5) can participate in.

Book Fair

Our Fall book fair is scheduled to be here in October - more information will come out when that date gets closer.

Popcorn Fridays

Our first popcorn Friday will be next Friday, September 13th. Popcorn will be \$.25 cents again this year. We pop enough for the entire school so if you forget your money on that day it isn't a problem.

Picture Day

Picture day at Forest View will be on September 25th.

Important Dates

9/11 Candy Bars Delivered 9/13 Candy Bar sale kick off 9/24 PTO Meeting 9/25 Picture Day 9/30 Late Start Monday 10/2 Student Count Day10/4 Homecoming - 1 hour early dismissal10/7 Candy bar sales end