

# **Forrestal Family Newsletter**

Week of April 22, 2024

- **End of Year NWEA Testing begins**
- Time to Register (required for all returning students)
- 4th Quarter progress notes were sent home on Friday, 4/19/24
- Month of the Military Child Dinner on Wednesday @ 4pm
- **ABC Countdown starts Wednesday**



# SPRING MAP K-3rd grade

## **Testing begins on** Monday, April 22nd

What is MAP?

It's a computer adaptive test created by NWEA that students take three times per school year. The results provide teachers with information to help them deliver appropriate content for each student and determine each student's academic growth over time.

### How can you support at home?

- make sure your student is at school & on time
- · get plenty of rest
- eat a healthy breakfast
- · Advise your child not to worry about the test-just to do the best they can



## Why is this important?

- It helps show teachers what students know
- It drives small group instruction
- It measures what students know
- · It's a benchmark assessment





Please check with your teacher for details on testing schedule



# April is the month of the Military Child!

While we Purple Up each and every Friday across the district for the Month of the Military Child

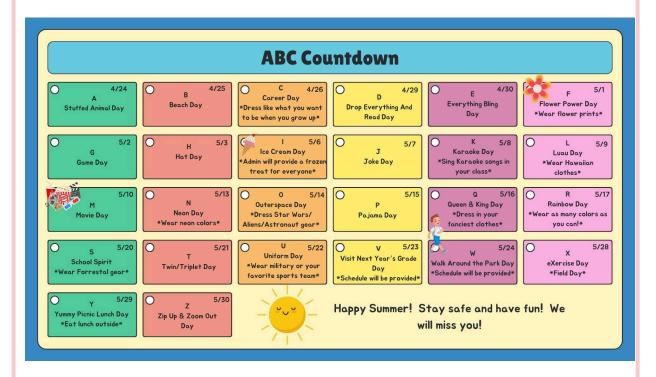


#### ABC Countdown

Starting on Wednesday we will ABC Countdown to the last day of school with fun spirit days. Please see the days below and help your child participate in this community building activity.

Wednesday: Bring a stuffed animal to school Thursday: Dress like your going to the beach day

Friday: Dress up like what you want to be when you grow up



Word of the Week: Inclusion



Our word of the week is inclusion. Inclusion in the classroom means that all children, no matter their racial, religious, or ethnic background, gender, learning style, or ability have equal access to educational opportunities in a learning environment where all students are equally safe, valued, and respected. When students include others we learn that everyone deserves to feel welcome at Forrestal and in our community. Showing kindness, respect and understanding helps develop inclusion. Teaching inclusion is not only important at the beginning of the school year, but throughout because we can create a welcoming environment, and students are able to understand how others would feel if they were excluded from an activity.



it's time to get ready for kindergarten.

Green Bay Early Childhood Center 🛶

has planned a special outing to prepare families for kindergarten.

# Forrestal Elementary

will host

Ready, Set...Kindergarten

May 1, 2024

3:30-4:30pm

Meet teachers

Grab-and-Go

Dinner will be provided

• Explore classrooms

• Learn how to get your child ready for kindergarten

To sign up contact Ms. Williams at 847-775-7726

#### **Spiritwear Store Open**

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## SPIRITWEAR ANUNCIO SEMANAL VÁLIDO APRIL 19 - 25, 2024

































Breakfast and lunch are free to all students. Snacks are arranged by the classroom teacher. Please send a filled water bottle with your child each and every day as water fountains are not available at Forrestal.

Any changes to dismissal must be done by calling the office before 2:00pm (1:00 on Wednesday) on the day of change.

This week's upcoming events

Mondays and Thursdays

Chorus rehearsals.
Pick up is at 3:45 by the front office for those getting a ride home. If your child is in the NCCP program, they will return

	to the program after rehearsal.
Monday, April 22	Purple Up
Wednesday, April 24	Early Dismissal Day starting at 1:35pm & MOMC Dinner Event @ 4-6pm
Friday, April 26	Purple Up

Need help? Click HERE to provide immediate feedback or share concerns to Mrs. Kranz at Forrestal. Help us improve!

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