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Magic 3 Reading

Magic 3 Reading is one special way to share a book with your child.

- 1: Read a book to your child.
- 2: You and your child read the same book together.
- 3: Your child reads that same book to you. Happy Reading!

Donuts with Dad

We are holding a special Donuts with Dad on November 17th from 7:30-8:00 a.m. in the Franklin Gym. Please RSVP to the office. Hope to see you there!

Clothing/Book Exchange

There will be a free clothing and book exchange in the Washington School Gym on November 16th from 1-3 pm.

YWCA Body Safety Presentations

The YWCA will be at Franklin School on November 7, 8 and 10th to teach our students about the difference between good and bad touch. A note has been sent home with additional information.

Talk, Walk, or Rock

Any time a student has a problem to solve, we encourage the use of the strategy, "Talk, Walk, or Rock".

Talk: The student may choose to talk with the other person to work out the problem.

Walk: The student may choose to walk away from the situation.

Rock: The student may choose to use the game Rock, Paper, Scissors to solve the problem.

We have posters around our school as a reminder to help students learn to solve problems and get along with others.

School Improvement Meeting

You are invited to be a part of the Franklin School Improvement Team.



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NOVEMBER 2011

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 Pre-K Vision and Hearing Tests	2	3 Parent-Teacher conferences 3:30-7:00 pm	4 Turn in Magic 3 Reading Today	5
6	7	8 Parent/Teacher Conferences 3:30-7:00 pm	9	10 Turn in Magic 3 Reading Today	11 No School Veterans Day!	12
13 American Education Week	14 Dave's Coffee Cake Sales until 11-30-11, Yum!!	15	16 Early Dismissal at 11:30 am School Board Mtg	17 Donuts with Dad 7:30-8:00 am in Franklin Gym	18 Turn in Magic 3 Reading Today	19
20	21 Franklin School Improvement Mtg at 3:00 pm	22	23 No School Thanksgiving	24 No School Thanksgiving	25 No School Thanksgiving	26
27	28	29	30 Dave's Coffee Cake Fundraiser Orders Due!	Common Core Standards Our state and district has new common core standards that define what students should master by the end of their grade level. For more information, please visit our school website or www.corestandards.org .		

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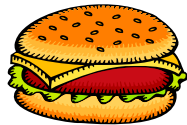


FRANKLIN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DECEMBER 2011

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McTeacher Night

Please join us on Wednesday, December 7th from 4-8 p.m. at the Sterling McDonald's for McTeacher Night! Franklin/Washington Staff will be working behind the counter, at the drive-through, and in the dining area. McDonalds is donating 20% of all profits for the evening to our PTO! Hope to see you at McDonald's on Nov. 7th!



Winter Concert

The Franklin 2nd grade classes will be singing in the Franklin/Washington concert on **Monday, December 5, at 7 p.m.** at the auditorium at Sterling High School. Students should wear nice clothes and meet in the south lobby at 6:40 p.m. Please stay for the entire performance to show courtesy and respect for the other performers. The program will last approximately 30-40 minutes. New this year, there will be extra seating in the SHS band room (next to the auditorium) with a large screen TV showing the live performance. Auditorium seating will be on a first come basis. Also, in order to provide a safe dismissal, our 2nd grade students will need to be picked up in SHS hallway near the band room hall. Please look on the outside of the class doors for your child's teacher's name. We appreciate your cooperation and hope you enjoy the concert!

Happy Holidays!

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year from the Franklin School Staff!



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				1	2 Turn in Magic 3 Reading Today	3
4	5 Winter Concert 2nd/5th at 7 pm at SHS	6	7 Franklin/Wash McTeacher Night 4-8 pm	8	9 Turn in Magic 3 Reading Today	10
11	12	13	14	15	16 Turn in Magic 3 Reading Today	17
18	19	20	21 No School Winter Break	22 No School Winter Break	23 No School Winter Break	24
25 Merry Christmas!	26 No School Winter Break	27 No School Winter Break	28 No School Winter Break	29 No School Winter Break	30 No School Winter Break	31 Happy New Year Return to School Wed, Jan 4

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