



Washington Elementary School

Where kids achieve!

Another year has begun. We are in our third week of school and the students and teachers are working together to achieve success!

Our September calendar is filling up with all sorts of activities to give you a chance to get involved.

ISAT results from the spring will be sent home with report cards in November. Although we did not make AYP (Adequate Yearly Progress) with the state, our students showed gains. We missed AYP in math by one student in our IEP subgroup. Our School Improvement committee will meet to set future goals. If you would like to be on this committee or any other committee, please call the school office. We meet once a month for approximately an hour after school.

Our portable houses Mr. Brown and Mrs. Hoyle's 5th grade classrooms. The students and teachers are adjusting well. The classrooms are air-conditioned, equipped with their own restrooms, telephones and up-to-date technology.

The drilling of wells for the geo-thermal should be done soon. We apologize for the inconvenience this is causing but are so proud of our students for staying away from the construction during recess.

Our crossing guards are excited to help keep our students safe. Please watch for them and encourage your children to use the crosswalks and not cross in the middle of West LeFevre.

Let's have a great year!

Franklin-Washington PTO



Franklin-Washington PTO (Parent-Teacher Organization) meetings are held the first Thursday of the month rotating between Franklin and Washington Schools beginning at 7:00 p.m. It is a wonderful chance to get involved and meet new parents. Our PTO provides many opportunities for our students such as field trips, special assemblies, gatherings such as grandparents' day, morning with mom and donuts with dad and room parties for the holidays. They help with picture day, the book fair, yearbooks, teacher appreciation week, organizing fundraisers and so much more. Please consider getting involved in this organization. The first meeting is this Thursday at Franklin School at 7:00 p.m. Call the school office or attend the meeting on Thurs.



Student pictures will be taken on Wednesday, September 22nd. Do not send money at this time. A flyer will be sent home to select a background for the pictures. All students will have their pictures taken. Be sure to send a smile!



OPEN HOUSE

Please join us for our open house on Thursday, September 9th, from 6-7 p.m. The book fair will be going on that evening from 5:30-7:30 p.m. in the library. Please make sure to sign in at your child's classroom that evening. If you are unable to attend, perhaps another adult family member such as aunt, uncle, grandparent would like to come. We look forward to seeing you here on the 9th!



Gathering for Grandparents

Our 5th annual gathering for grandparents will be held on Thursday, Sept. 16th, from 7:30-8:00 a.m. This is a special time for students to show off their grandparents to their teachers. Invitations are being sent. We look forward to this grand event. Please return the RSVP card to school.

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SEPTEMBER CALENDAR

- 2—PTO Meeting @ Franklin 7:00 p.m.
- 3—Fundraiser Kick-off
- 6—Labor Day—NO SCHOOL
- 7-10—Book Fair 8:00-3:00 p.m.
- 9—Open House 6-7 p.m.
- 15—Early Dismissal 11:20 a.m.
- 15—Wendy's Restaurant Night 5:00-8:00 p.m.
- 15—Parents as Educational Partners class @ Jefferson School 4:00-5:00 p.m.
- 16—Grandparents' Day 7:30-8:00 a.m.
- 17—Fundraiser Ends—Money is due with forms
- 20—Vision & Hearing Screening
- 22—Pictures
- 28—Rescreen Vision 11:30-2:30
- 30—Family Rdg. Night



SEPTEMBER 15TH

Mark your calendar to eat at Wendy's Restaurant between 5:00-8:00 p.m. on the 15th. Our schools will receive a portion of the profits. These profits will help fund our Gathering for Grandparents, Morning with Mom, and Donuts with Dad. Your support is appreciated.