



The Stafford Scoop

Stafford Elementary School

March 2024

From the Principal

Dear SES Families,

So nice to see the sun and feel warmer temperatures coming our way!

We love having parents and family members come into school. Please be sure to complete volunteer paperwork now as there are many end of year events coming up, like Field Day and field trips. Please contact the main office for the necessary forms.

March is Read Across America Month! With that, we have many fun activities coming up, like read alouds and our annual Reading Incentive Program. This year's theme is Battle of the Books! Stay tuned for more info!

State-wide SBAC testing will begin in April for our students in Grades 3-5. More information, including testing dates, will be coming soon!

As always, thank you for all that you do to help your child be ready and willing to learn at Stafford Elementary School. Don't hesitate to call the school at 860-684-6677 with any questions.

Thank you for sharing your child with us,

Ms. Manning



Coming Soon: SES Coin Wars!

Our PTO is hosting a fundraiser, *St. Patrick's Week Coin War*, the week of 3/11-3/15. Each grade will have a "pot of gold" to collect pennies. There will also be a "sneaky silver" leprechaun trap to subtract "points" from other grades. More info coming soon, but start saving those coins! No coins, no worries-- there will also be a QR code on the flyer sent home next week.

Communication with Families

Parent-Teacher Conferences

Parent-Teacher Conferences are scheduled for Monday, March 11th and Tuesday, March 12th. Dismissal is at 12:00 PM on these days. Your child's teacher has already reached out to schedule a conference. Please contact the teacher with any questions.

Family Survey

As we did in the fall, be on the lookout for a survey about our communication with families following P-T Conferences. We hope that knowing what we do well and what we can try to improve will strengthen our communication with you, our partners!

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
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4	5 -PTO Meeting	6	7	8 -Trimester 2 report cards go home
11 Early Release for students; Dismissal at 12:00 PM / P-T Conf.	12 Early Release for students; Dismissal at 12:00 PM / P-T Conf.	13	14	15
18	19 -Spirit the Fox Apparel Day Half Day for Students, Dismissal at 12:00 PM / PD for Staff in PM	20	21	22
25	26	27	28	29 No School (Good Friday)