FRANKFORT SQUARE SCHOOL

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Principal's Corner:

Dear Frankfort Square School Families,

Welcome back to school! On behalf of the Frankfort Square School staff, we are happy to see so many familiar faces and new students walking through the front doors of the school. Thank you for a great start to the school year!

The Frankfort Square School Student-Community Organization (SCO) is looking for parents/family members to help during hot lunch days, treat days, special events, and school-wide parties. If you would like to learn more about the FSS SCO, please contact our SCO officers at: frankfortsquareschoolsco@gmail.com. Our first FSS SCO meeting of the school year is Monday, September 12 @ 4:00 PM. The FSS SCO meeting will take place in the Frankfort Square School student cafeteria. Children are welcome to attend.

Earlier this week, the FSS Club information was sent home with the students. Please look over the information and return the sign-off sheet to your child's teacher if your child is interested in being in a club. At this time, do not send in any money. Once the club rosters have been finalized, the teachers who facilitate the various clubs will send home permission forms specific to each club. Clubs will begin the week of September 12.

Does your child like music and singing? If so, it is not too late to join the FSS Mustang Choir. Practices take place on Tuesdays during the school day. If your child is interested, please contact Mrs. Ramick at lramick@summithill.org for more information.

As always, should you have any questions, please feel free to contact your child's teacher, the office, or me.

Respectfully,

Mr. Isdonas

Important Dates:

September

2: Half Day (12:10 Dismissal)

5: No School

6: Cool Tool Tuesday > Bathroom

7: FSS SCO School Store

9: FSS SCO Treat Day

9: Spirit Wear > Red, White, and Blue Day

12: FSS SCO Meeting @ 4:00 PM

13: Cool Tool Tuesday > Hallway

16: Spirit Wear > FSS colors

20: Cool Tool Tuesday > Classroom

21: FSS SCO School Store

21: Board of Education Meeting @ 7:00 PM

23: FSS SCO Pizza Day

23: Spirit Wear > Favorite football team

27: Cool Tool Tuesday > Arrival / Dismissal

30: Spirit Wear > FSS colors

October

3: FSS SCO Meeting @ 4:00 PM

4: Picture Re-take Day

FRANKFORT SQUARE SCHOOL
General Information

School Office Hours: 8:25-3:55
Student Attendance Hours: 9:00 – 3:30
School Phone Number: 815-469-3176
School Address: 7710 West Kingston Drive
Frankfort, IL 60423

ATTENDANCE

Regular attendance is important for success in school. Please ensure that your children are at school early enough to be in their classroom by 9:00 when school begins.

Student Attendance:

Arrive between 9:01-9:30 = AM Tardy
Arrive after 9:30 = Half Day Attendance
Leave prior to 3:00 = Half Day Attendance
Leave between 3:01 – 3:30 = PM Tardy

VISITORS

We encourage family participation, volunteering, and welcome your assistance. For the safety of our students and staff, all visitors must sign in at the main office. Please have a driver's license or state ID available when you check in at the office.

During arrival and dismissal times, please be aware of children, their families, and staff in the crosswalks. Please look for the flashing lights and stop signs of the school buses. Please remind your child to walk her/his bike when on the school's sidewalks. At all times, children are to be supervised by an adult when in the parking lot. When in the arrival/dismissal lane, please pull forward as far as you can. With your help, we can ensure the safety of our students, their families, and staff of Frankfort Square School.

SUMMIT HILL DISTRICT 161
VIRTUAL BACKPACK

Summit Hill District 161 is doing its part to "go green" by changing the way flyers are distributed to students. The District's **Virtual Backpack** is an eco-friendly online distribution system that saves resources and time required to sort and handle materials. Please visit summithill.org to ensure you remain aware of opportunities and activities for students

APPEARANCE CODE

Students' dress for school and all school activities (including SCO events) must be appropriate. Please review the Student Dress Code information found on our District's website (summithill.org).

It's The Law!
No Cell Phones in School Zones

Drivers, please be aware that it is illegal to talk on cell phones while driving through a school zone or a construction zone, unless using a hands free device or speakerphone is enabled, except in cases of emergency to contact law enforcement, health care providers, fire department and other emergency response personnel.

Additionally, it is illegal to compose, send or read text messages, read or compose e-mail, look at the internet or otherwise compose or send any type of electronic message while driving.

For more information on the laws, visit http://www.drivinglaws.org/ill.php.

In an effort to "Go Green", newsletters and district information will be sent home electronically. If you have not yet signed up to be on the district email list or if you want to give us more than one email address, please contact the school office. We are trying to teach the students the importance of being "green".

Health Info

Please reach out to our school nurse, Mrs. Brown, if you have medical records or information about your child's health that needs to be shared with the school. Mrs. Brown can be reached by calling our school office at 815-469-3176.

Recycling

Frankfort Square School is working hard to "Reduce, Reuse, and Recycle". Last year, FSS received the 2021-2022 Earth Day Award from the Will County Land Use Department. We will continue to collect **pop tabs** as part of our recycling program. The pop tabs can be placed on the small table inside the front doors.

Frankfort Square School SCO News

The Frankfort Square School SCO will sponsor our School Store on the first and third Wednesday of each month. Students will have the opportunity to purchase school-related items and fun, little knick-knacks. Funds raised from the School Store will go back to the students in the form of assemblies, prizes, treats, and special items for Field Day and Fourth Grade Celebration. In advance, the FSS SCO would like to thank the FSS families for their continuous support!