

FRANKFORT SQUARE SCHOOL

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Principal's Corner:

Dear Families,

As you know, with the month of January comes the possibility of winter-like weather. According to the Student-Parent Handbook found on the Summit Hill School District website, students will partake in outdoor recess if the weather feels warmer than 20 degrees. Please send your child to school with the appropriate outdoor clothing so that he/she may be warm and comfortable when it is time for recess. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation in making recess an enjoyable time for your child.

On January 17, the Winter MAP Assessments results will be sent home with the students. The report will share how your child performed in the areas of reading and math. Do not hesitate to contact your child's teacher or me should you have any questions regarding your child's progress.

The FSS SCO's Mustang Gallop is scheduled for Friday, January 26. The January Mustang Gallop will end at 4:30 PM. For safety reasons, please make sure that your child has a ride home from the event. If you are permitting your child to walk home after the Mustang Gallop, please make the school office aware by sending in a signed note.

The FSS SCO needs your help! The FSS SCO has begun planning for the end of the year celebrations. For these events to happen, volunteers are needed to help chair events such as the 4th Grade Celebration and End-of-the-Year Field Day events. To learn how you can get involved with our SCO, please email our SCO at frankfortsquaresco@gmail.com or attend the monthly meetings at FSS!

Respectfully,

Mr. Isdonas

Important Dates January

8: School Resumes

8: SCO Meeting @ 4PM

9: Cool Tool Tuesday > Review all areas

12: FSS SCO Treat Day

15: Martin Luther King, Jr. Day > No School

16: Cool Tool Tuesday > Lunchroom

17: Trimester 2 Progress Reports

17: School Board Meeting @ 7:00 PM

19: PBIS Spirit Wear Day > Dress as a story book character

22: FSS SCO School Store

23: Cool Tool Tuesday > Playground

26: FSS SCO Mustang Gallop 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

30: Cool Tool Tuesday > Bathroom

Looking Ahead...

Week of February 5: CogAT assessments for Grade 4

STAR STUDENTS

Each month, students are selected to be recognized for their effort and improvement. These are students who have really tried to improve in an area, whether it is socially, academically, or personally. We would like to congratulate the following students for their effort and improvement during the month of December.

Mrs. Bailey:

Liliana Eigenbauer
Jordyn Frederick
Evan Multon

Mrs. Sobczak:

Ellsie Fischer
Viktor Jenczmionka

Mrs. Jendersak:

Kairos Achacoso
Hailey Klix

Mrs. Murphy:

Aria Crouse
Cameron Dvorkin

Mrs. Howard:

Emma Schuttler
Sam Seyller

Mrs. Reyes:

Isabella Allison
Declan Morrison

Mrs. Lynch:

David Glick
Avarie Schwartz

Mrs. Smyth:

Jaxson Barrios
Nina Valtierra

Ms. Wise:

Erin Jacobson
Dylan McMinn





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General Information

School Office Hours: 8:25-3:55

Student Attendance Hours: 9:00 - 3:30

Please ensure that your children are at school early enough to be in their classroom by 9:00 when the pledge begins.

ATTENDANCE

Regular attendance is important to 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:

Doors open at 8:50 AM.

Student arrival is prior to 9:00 AM.

Arrive between 9:01-9:30 = AM. Tardy

Arrive after 9:30 = Half Day Attendance

Leave between 9:30-3:00 = Half Day Attendance

Leave between 3:01 - 3:30 = PM Tardy

If you plan on taking your child out of school for vacation purposes, please make sure to inform your child's teacher and the front office prior to the trip.

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 speed 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.

Also, 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 new laws, visit <http://www.drivinglaws.org/ill.php>.



We will continue to collect **pop tabs** at Frankfort Square School. The pop tabs can be brought to the school office or placed on the small table just inside Door 1.

SUMMIT HILL DISTRICT 161

VIRTUAL BACKPACK

Summit Hill District 161 is doing its part to "go green" by changing the way flyers from outside organizations are distributed to students. In the past, paper copies were sent home. With the launch of our **Virtual Backpack**, District 161 has introduced an eco-friendly online distribution system that saves resources and time required to sort and handle materials. Please visit summithill.org for more information.

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).