



Frank Ledesma School WEEKLY BULLETIN

September 29 - October 3, 2014

"If everyone is moving forward together, then success takes care of itself.

Henry Ford

Thanks to:

- . Thanks to the 2nd grade teachers for providing snacks for the staff meeting this week.
- . Thanks to Mrs. Gray and Dr. Molina for serving on the District Report Card Committee.
- . Thanks to the Literacy Committee for organizing the book fair.
- . Thanks to all staff members who helped to set up the Scholastic Book Fair. It helps when we all pitch in as a team.
- . Thanks to Erika for calling parents and setting up times for our volunteers to work the book fair.
- . Thanks to Mr. Kutter and Mrs. Silva for piloting the NWEA assessments this week.
- . Thanks to our staff members that served on the Site Council this week: Mr. Griffin, Ms. Bazan, Mrs. Alvarado, & Ms. Lopez.

Book Fair

The Scholastic Book Fair was very successful this week. The District Librarian, Annette Aguilar, will be helping us to order new Scholastic books for our Library at the completion of the book fair. We are not sure how much money we have made this week, but it has been well attended. Thanks to all staff members that worked after school and helped to set up.

RTI Classes

RTI classes will begin on Wed. Oct. 1. We have ordered the legal sized clipboards for you to organize your small reading groups. Please remember to check out your leveled books by Tuesday, Sept. 30. All grade level teams are to turn in their small reading groups to me by today.

NWEA Pilot Assessments

Mr. Kutter and Mrs. Silva did an outstanding job in piloting the NWEA assessments this week. Thanks to Cresta, Joe, and Zeke for assisting us with this process. Erika put in the primary teacher's boxes the User ID's and Passwords for the CAPP test. I have not received the User ID's and Passwords for the intermediate teachers yet regarding taking the MAP test. Please keep these User ID's and Passwords as you will be giving these assessments 3 times per year.

Positive Behavior Support

We will be starting to monitor the rules in every classroom as modeled at the beginning of the year. Mr. Harris started this monitoring today. The dates for the classroom visits are: Sept. 26, Oct. 3, and Oct. 10. See the schedule as posted on the whiteboard.

ELD Instruction

Please let **Irene** know if you need books or materials for ELD instruction.

First Trimester Assessments

Make sure that you are giving assessments in reading, writing, and math every 1-2 weeks so that you have grades for the first reporting period. Remember in your grade level collaboration meetings that we had at the beginning of the year, we discussed the CCSS that you are covering this first trimester; the materials that you are using to cover these standards; and the assessments you are using to test these standards.


Walk-Throughs this Week

During classroom walk-throughs, we are looking for:

- . Pair Share
- . Stand and Deliver
- . Equity sticks
- . Whiteboards
- . Student Engagement
- . ELD instruction
- . RTI clipboards & instruction
- . Group Points for positive reinforcement

This week we didn't see many teachers using pair share, stand and deliver, equity sticks, or whiteboards. Remember these strategies help our EL learners.

First PTO Meeting & Halloween Carnival

The first PTO meeting will be held in the FL library on Tuesday, October 7. We need to see many parents and teachers join our PTO team this year. The first project that this group will be working on is organizing the Halloween Carnival which will be held on Friday, October 24 from 4:00- 6:00 

Progress Reports

Progress Reports are due to me on Thurs., Oct. 2nd and should be sent home on Friday, Oct. 3rd. You will have to make two copies this year. One copy will be sent home with the child and one copy will be for your files. Erika will send you the electronic copy today. Let me know if it works.

Conflict Mediators - Week of Sept. 29

Please remind these students to go to the conference room to pick up their clipboards and shirts after lunch as they are on duty this week:

<u>2nd Grade</u>	<u>3rd Grade</u>	<u>4th Grade</u>	<u>5th Grade</u>	<u>6th Grade</u>
Edgar	Andrew	Anel	Nicole	Francisco
Fabian	Katherine	Joshua	Lizette	Aide

Attendance for the Week:

Certificated Attendance:
98%

Classified Attendance:
100%

Student Attendance:
98%

"Where Kids Come First"

This Week

SUPERVISION SCHEDULE

Primary Recess.....Silva\Burke
 Intermitted Recess..... Muñoz\Flores
 Bus Duty.....D.P.\Aguilar
 Flag Pole.....Molina

CAFETERIA HELPERS




Mrs. Muñoz

STAFF LOUNGE CLEAN-UP



Kinder

Calendar

SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER

28	29	30 *IEP Marathon!	1 *RTI Starts *Tri-Tip Pre Order *3:25 Staff Mtg. 3 rd grade Treats *10:30-3:15 Principal Training - Gab. *3:45 DLT	2 *Progress Reports do to Dr. Witwer. *PLC Meeting	3 *School Wide Rules.... *Progress Reports go home. *DW -PBIS @ 1:00 Conf. Rm- District Coordinators *Tri-Tip Sandwich *Alvarado's Bday!	4
5 *Wren's Bday! 	6 *8:00 – 3:25 District Professional Development. 	7 *PTO Mtg. *Lopez's Bday! *Meza's Bday! 	8 *Timesheets due! *2:00 Kick-Off Fundraiser Assembly *3:25 Staff Mtg. 4 th Grade Treats.	9 *PLC Meeting	10 *School Wide Rules... *Report Card Committee Mtg. *Student Store	11

UP COMING EVENTS (October)

12	13	14 *8:30 CDLT *Rev's Bday! 	15 *3:00 Lead Mtg.	16 *PLC Meeting *Boss's Day!	17 *Morning Sing *Isabel's Bday! 	18
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