Elementary School Principal Update

March 15, 2024

Guest Readers

🏈Football players from Assumption College joined us for Community Reading Day! The students were so excited and engaged!

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Abby Kelley Foster Charter Elementary

Be Respectful

Be Responsible

Be Honest

Community Reading Day

Staffs' family members, alumni staff, and community partners all came to read with our students. They reported that our students were wonderfully respectful. We are so proud of them!

Upcoming Dates

- March 18
  - Report Cards Delivered (Change from what was originally listed)
- March 20th
  - Early Release Day
  - Family Conferences
- March 21st
  - Early Release Day

    - Family Conferences
- March 25th
    - Grades 1 & 3 Concert
- March 27th
    - Grades K & 2 Concert
- March 29th
    - No School

Change in Report Cards

Report cards will be distributed on Monday, March 18th. This is a change from what was previoiusly shared.

Fevers and Going to School

It is very easy to pass illnesses amongst students. One way that we "stop the spread" is to require students to remain home until they are fever-free, without the use of fever reducing medication, for 24 hours.

For example, if your student has a fever on Monday night, they should not be sent to school on Tuesday, even if the fever goes away with Tylenol or Advil.
Thank you for adhering to this policy!

It's Concert Time!

If your student wants to prepare for their concert at home, I have the solution. Here are some videos for the 2nd and 3rd graders

Positive Practice Videos

And here are videos for the first graders and kindergarteners
The Hungry Caterpiller Practice Videos

More information to follow! I can't wait for you to see these amazing kids shining on stage!

Ms. Yoder, ES Music Specialist

MEETING DETAILS

MARCH 28,2024
4:00PM - 5:00PM

LOCATION:
HIGH SCHOOL
LECTURE HALL

*PLEASE ENTER
THROUGH THE
FRONT DOORS

CHILDCARE AND
LIGHT
REFRESHMENTS
WILL BE
AVAILABLE

SPECIAL EDUCATION PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL

MEETING TOPIC:

HOW TO BECOME INVOLVED IN OUR SPECIAL EDUCATION PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL.

THE PURPOSE OF THIS COUNCIL IS TO CREATE A COLLABORATIVE ENVIRONMENT WHERE PARENTS, EDUCATORS, AND ADMINISTRATORS CAN COME TOGETHER TO DISCUSS IMPORTANT MATTERS RELATED TO SPECIAL EDUCATION SERVICES, SHARE INSIGHTS, AND PROVIDE FEEDBACK ON WAYS TO IMPROVE OUR PROGRAMS.

Save the Date for Summer School

We are excited to offer a limited amount of spots for summer school again this year. We will reach out to familes whose students are receiving extra academic support first. Extra spots will be released on a first come first served basis.
This year, Summer School will be held the weeks of July 15th and July 22nd.

Worcester Cowboys

Dear Students and Families of Abby Kelley Foster Charter Public School,
We are thrilled to extend an invitation to join the 2024 Spring Flex League, proudly hosted by the Worcester Cowboys! This is a fantastic opportunity for young athletes to engage in a fun and competitive environment, fostering physical fitness, teamwork, and sportsmanship.
League Overview:

- Hosted By: Worcester Cowboys
- Registration: Now Open! Click on the link at the end of this email to register and secure your spot.

Divisions:

- Flagg Division: For students in Kindergarten - 1st Grade.

- Flex Division: For students in:
  - 2nd/3rd Grade
  - 4th/5th Grade
  - 6th/7th/8th Grade

Key Dates:

- Player Assessment: Planned for the 3rd week of April (exact date TBD).
- Practice Kick-Off: Begins the 4th week of April, starting April 24th, with sessions held twice a week.
- Game Schedule: Sundays, with an expected start in the first weekend of May. Specific dates include 5/4, 5/11, 5/18, 5/25, 6/1, and 6/8
- Playoffs: Mark your calendars for June 15th.

Locations: Our practices and games will be held at Lake Park Field and/or Grove Street Field, easily accessible for all our participants.

The Worcester Cowboys are committed to providing a platform for young athletes to shine, offering an environment that emphasizes growth, teamwork, and the joy of sports. We encourage all interested students and families to sign up early to ensure your place in this exciting league.

Click here to register: https://worcestercowboys.sportngin.com/register/form/270880726

Should you have any questions or need more information, please don't hesitate to reach out. Let's make this spring an unforgettable season of growth and fun on the field!

Best regards,
Bryan Daniels
Communications Manager
Worcester Cowboys

Worcester Challenger Baseball Division

Baseball For All Abilities!

Games Played at Vernon Hill Softball Field

Wheelchair Accessible

FREE TO PLAY!

LINK TO SIGN UP:
http://massd4littleleague.com/

Any individual with a physical or intellectual challenge may participate. If an individual can participate in the traditional Little League Baseball or Softball program with reasonable accommodations they should do so. The Little League Challenger Division accommodates players ages 4 to 18; or up to age 22 if still enrolled in school.

Questions? Contact Jessica Horton at (508) 873-0060 or JLHorton727@gmail.com

Registration Now Open!

Baseball
Registration now open for ages 5-16

Softball
Registration now open for ages 7-12

Sign up by scanning the QR code with your phone's camera or visiting our website:
joeschwartzlittleleague.com

Season starts in April

For any questions, please contact Patrick Jones at jsll.signups@gmail.com

Worcester Public Schools is not responsible for, or connected with, any aspect of this program and participation in this program is the sole decision and responsibility of the parent/guardian.

Las inscripciones ya están abiertas

La inscripción para el béisbol ya está abierta para las edades de 5 a 16 años

La inscripción de softbol ya está abierta para las edades de 7 a 12 años

Regístrese escaneando el código QR con la cámara de su teléfono o visitando nuestro sitio web: www.joeschwartzlittleleague.com

La temporada comienza en abril

Si tiene alguna pregunta, póngase en contacto con Patrick Jones en jsll.signups@gmail.com

Las Escuelas Públicas de Worcester no son responsables ni están relacionadas con ningún aspecto de este programa y la participación en este programa es decisión y responsabilidad exclusiva del padre/tutor.

Inscrições já abertas

Inscrições para beisebol já estão abertas para crianças de 5 a 16 anos

Softbol Inscrições abertas para crianças de 7 a 12 anos

Cadastre-se escaneando o QR Code com a câmera do seu celular ou visitando nosso site: www.joeschwartzlittleleague.com

Temporada começa em abril

Em caso de dúvidas, entre em contato com Patrick Jones pelo telefone jsll.signups@gmail.com

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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
				1 WG Honey Bun Pineapple Tidbits Blended Fruit Juice Choice of Milk
4 Cereal (Variety) Vanilla Yogurt Diced Peaches Orange Juice Choice of Milk	5 WG Banana Muffin Pineapple Tidbits Grape Juice Choice of Milk	6 Cereal (Variety) Graham Crackers Apple Juice Fresh Apple Choice of Milk	7 WG Cinnamon Roll Fresh Banana Blended Fruit Juice Choice of Milk	8 WG Blueberry Muffin Mozzarella Cheese Stick Diced Pears Grape Juice Choice of Milk
11 Cereal (Variety) WG Banana Muffin Applesauce Grape Juice Choice of Milk	12 Apple Frudel Fresh Apple Choice of Milk	13 Mixed Berry Animal Crackers Strawberry Yogurt Mixed Fruit Blended Fruit Juice Choice of Milk	14 Mozzarella Cheese Stick Graham Crackers Diced Peaches Grape Juice Choice of Milk	15 Cereal (Variety) WG Apple Cinnamon Muffin Diced Pears Apple Juice Choice of Milk
18 WG Honey Bun Raisins Apple Juice Choice of Milk	19 WG Cinnamon Roll Diced Pears Blended Fruit Juice Choice of Milk	20 WG Blueberry Muffin Mozzarella Cheese Stick Fresh Apple Choice of Milk **1/2 Day of School**	21 Cereal (Variety) WG Chocolate Chip Muffin Fresh Banana Orange Juice Choice of Milk **1/2 Day of School**	22 Strawberry Yogurt Graham Crackers Pineapple Tidbits Apple Juice Choice of Milk
25 Cereal (Variety) Graham Crackers Raisins Applesauce Choice of Milk	26 WG Honey Bun Diced Peaches Apple Juice Choice of Milk	27 Blueberry Lemon Bites Vanilla Yogurt Fresh Banana Orange Juice Choice of Milk	28 WG Cinnamon Roll Mixed Fruit Apple Juice Choice of Milk	29 **No School**

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
				1 Cheese Lasagna with Sauce Broccoli Cuts WG Dinner Roll Fresh Banana Choice of Milk
4 Cheeseburger Sliders Baked Beans Tropical Fruit Wango Mango Juice Choice of Milk Ketchup & Mustard	5 WG Chicken Nuggets Whole Kernel Corn Sweet Potato Tots Diced Pears Choice of Milk Ketchup & Ranch Dressing	6 **Domino's Cheese Pizza Slice** Baby Carrots Zucchini Sticks Fresh Fruit 100% Fruit Juice Box Choice of Milk Light Ranch Dressing **x2**	7 Diced Chicken in Alfredo Sauce WG Penne Pasta Broccoli Cuts Butternut Squash Fresh Orange Choice of Milk	8 Galaxy Cheese Pizza Green Beans Fresh Apple Wango Mango Juice Choice of Milk
11 Turkey Hot Dog Crispy Cubed Potatoes Wango Mango Juice WG Hot Dog Bun Diced Pears Choice of Milk	12 Meatloaf in Brown Gravy Whipped Potatoes Sliced Carrots WG Dinner Roll Diced Peaches Choice of Milk	13 **Domino's Cheese Pizza Slice** Chopped Romaine Lettuce Marinated 3 Bean Salad Ocean Spray Craisins Fresh Fruit Choice of Milk Light Italian Dressing	14 Baked Meatballs Green Peas Whole Kernel Corn WG Dinner Roll Fresh Banana Choice of Milk BBQ Sauce	15 Stuffed Shells with Sauce Green Beans Fresh Apple Choice of Milk
18 Baked Meatballs with Marinara Sauce Green Beans Sliced Carrots WG Hoagie Roll Mixed Fruit Choice of Milk	19 Popcorn Chicken Whole Kernel Corn Mixed Vegetable Blend Diced Peaches Choice of Milk Ketchup	20 Turkey & Cheese Sandwich Chickpea Salad Cucumber Salad Fresh Orange Choice of Milk **1/2 Day of School**	21 Chef Salad with Chicken Tomato Basil Salad WG Dinner Roll Fresh Apple Choice of Milk Ranch Dressing **1/2 Day of School**	22 Cheese Pizza Dippers Marinara Sauce Broccoli Cuts Fresh Banana Choice of Milk
25 WG Breaded Chicken Patty WG Waffle and Syrup Diced Peaches Dragon Punch Whole Kernel Corn Choice of Milk	26 Baked Meatballs Marinara Sauce WG Penne Pasta Broccoli Cuts Diced Pears Choice of Milk	27 **Domino's Cheese Pizza Slice** Cherry Tomatoes Cherry Star Juice Fresh Fruit Choice of Milk	28 Cheeseburger Sliders Baked Beans Fresh Orange Wango Mango Juice Choice of Milk Ketchup & Mustard	29 **No School**

Resources for Elementary School Families

Elementary School Drop Off Map
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