

PICK ELEMENTARY

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

LABOR DAY: SEPTEMBER 7

1ST PROGRESS REPORT: SEPTEMBER 10

PICTURE DAY: SEPTEMBER 15

MAKE UP PICTURES: 10/19

MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR PARENT CONFERENCE WEEK: OCTOBER 12-16! YOUR CHILD'S TEACHER WILL REACH OUT TO YOU TO SET UP AN APPOINTMENT

THINGS TO PURCHASE

Planners \$5.00

T shirts \$12.00

PTO membership \$5.00

Lunch \$2.50

Restaurant Day! **Bruster's** 9/15

5:00-8:00pm

October 16

Picture Day for Remote Learners!



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Pick Leaders Shine Bright!

Our theme this year is "Shine Bright!" We are focusing on our individual traits and collective differences. Our counselor, Mrs. Burney, will work with students by sharing the 7 Habits during counseling class and how these strategies can help in all life situations. We want our students to embrace their individual strengths and respect others' differences.

PTO– We still have several committees that need some volunteers. If you are interested in getting involved, no matter how much or how little, we need your help! We still

need a few Hospitality coordinators to help with Teacher Appreciation week next semester. Please contact our PTO president, Kaila Harris at kaihar84@gmail.com.

Picture Day– September 15th for our students at school. Our Lifetouch photographers will photograph students individually. Photographers will follow all safety guidelines. Photographs will be available for purchase. Class Pictures/ Spring Pictures will be taken in February, 2021.

Pictures for Remote Learners– Pictures for Remote students will be taken **Friday, October**

16 between 9:00am-11:00am in the multipurpose room. This is Parent Conference Day. There is no school that day.

Annual PTO Fundraiser– Plans are being made to hold a fundraiser this year through our PTO. We will be creative this year and make it lots of fun. Every year, we raise funds to support many wonderful projects and needs at school. While our *Strum and Strive* will not be possible this year, we hope that all students, both remote and traditional, will participate this year in our fundraiser. We only conduct one each year, so let's make it count! More information to come!

Handbook 101 Reminders: Please be sure you are familiar with our ACS Dress code. There are some specific guidelines that students should follow when dressing for school each day. Tennis shoes should be worn daily for PE and for safe play at recess. Pants with holes should not be worn to school and no hats at school. There are many other guidelines you can view on the ACS website under the Parent Tab. We thank each of you for your work to provide your children with masks daily. Our students at school are doing an outstanding job wearing them and following safe practice guidelines. This is only possible because of YOUR support from home! Thank you!

Note: The State Department is providing 2 additional masks for each student attending school.

Birthday Book Club!

If you would like to sponsor your child in our PES Birthday Book Club, please send a donation of \$10.00. Students can pick out a book and have a nameplate placed inside the front cover. Pictures will be posted on the birthday month of those students who have joined the Birthday Book Club. Students will be called to the media center on the month of their birthday for a special treat and activity!

Virtual Book Fair dates: November 9-20. You will have the opportunity to order books online just in time for the winter break!

Safety at School:

Safety is of the utmost importance at school. This year, drills are being conducted through discussion and sharing information. It is important that all students know how to react in an emergency when at school.

Officer Bryant, is our Resource Officer at PES. You may see him frequently on campus during the day. He also teaches our 5th grade DARE program. We love having Officer Bryant on campus. He enjoys interacting with the students and serves as a great role model to them.

Please use Myschoolbucks.com to make school purchases and pay for lunch so students don't have to deliver money at school.