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# TIGERTIMES

## The Newsletter of Auburn Early Education Center

#### **Counselor's Corner**

This month, we will be focusing on a lot of various topics during guidance lessons - it is a sprint to the finish! Kindergarten will be focusing on impulse control (self-control) and tattling vs. reporting. First grade students will be focusing on self-esteem and respect for themselves, and our second graders will be focusing on the importance of honesty in regard to earning trust from others.

Always keep communication open with your child and feel free to email me if these conversations lead to concerns from you as a parent - I am here for YOU!

As always, please feel free to contact Mrs. Reeves (inreeves@auburnschools.org) for any questions pertaining to your child's social and emotional well-being.



# Principal's Message

Hello AEEC families,

It is registration time! As of right now, we have about 40% of our students re-registered for next year. Please take a moment to reference the email from Auburn City or go to <u>auburnschools.org</u> to register for next year.

We have so many exciting happenings in the works for 2019-20. We look forward to celebrating all AEEC has to offer. From campus beautification to new playground to rebranding our image and look, you won't want to miss being a part of the AEEC team!

Also, a HUGE Thank You goes to PTO and all parent volunteers for an amazing teacher appreciation week. We felt the love and hope you feel it coming right back to you. It is such a pleasure teaming with our AMAZING students and families!



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#### **Curriculum Corner**

The month of March was filled with learning! We began the month with a school-wide culminating Read Across America Week parade. Students dressed as characters from their favorite Dr. Seuss book. Kindergarten students learned about several authors through their class author studies. First grade visited Columbus, where they all watched a performance of 101 Dalmatians presented by the Springer Opera House. Second grade students researched and presented famous American reports to their classes. March was a great month at AEEC!

#### **Title I News**

Happy Spring! It is that time of year where we are asking you to take the time to complete our 2018-2019 Title I Parent Climate Survey. Mr. Bruner, Ms. Keene, Mrs. Dorman, and the AEEC teachers are asking for your input so that we can continue to improve our service(s) to you and your children. The information from the survey will be used to refine our school goals, examine how well we are meeting our students' and their family's needs, and make changes to our program. Please be assured that your responses to this survey will be anonymous and your honest opinion is appreciated.

Be on the lookout for the direct link and/or QR code to complete the survey. A letter explaining all of the details will be sent home the first week of April. Computers and iPads will be available to those who need access to the internet to complete the survey. If you have any questions, please contact me at <a href="mailto:padorman@auburnschools.org">padorman@auburnschools.org</a> (email) and always a BIG thank you for your continuous support of AEEC!

#### **Media Center**

Be sure to make your calendars for our final book fair for this school year, May 6th-10th. This is our BOGO (Buy One, Get One) Fair. We will send out more information regarding our BOGO Book Fair in the following weeks. Since poetry is one of the genres we will cover in April, our second graders will experience a Poetry Cafe later this month. Our final day to check out library books for the year will be on Thursday, May 2nd with all library books being due on Friday, May 3rd.

# **Notes from Nurse Haley**

Thank you for all of your donations to our Clothes Closet! Also, please remember that we are not out of flu season just yet. Please remember to keep your student at home if they have not been fever free for 24 hours. (ACS Handbook page 53, Student Illness and Conditions)

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### Safety at AEEC

Please remember that all visitors should enter through the main entrance of AEEC. All visitors must check in with the front office. If it is your first time visiting, please remember to bring your license.

Parents, please remember that the AEEC front loop drive is for handicap accessible vehicles, daycare vans, and buses ONLY. NO cars should use the front loop drive at any time. Visitors should use the visitors' parking lot across the street from Parkway Baptist Church or the Parkway Baptist Church parking lot.

Please do not drop students off in the front parking lot. Students, who are not bus riders, should be dropped off in the car line. Please use the above mentioned parking area for visitors if you are walking in with your child. Thank you for helping to keep our little ones safe!

Thank YOU for helping us to keep safety our number one priority!

## **Upcoming Dates for AEEC**

April 1-5	Teacher Appreciation Week
April 9	Dedicated Dads at OES 6:45 AM
April 19	NO SCHOOL
April 22-26	PowerSchool Testing for 2nd
	Graders
April 25	Kindergarten Kick Off
	5:30-7:00 PM
May 6-10	Book Fair - Buy One, Get One
May 10	Mother's Day Teas 1st & 2nd Gr
May 15	Auburn Reads Ceremony at
	Auburn Mall 5:30 PM
May 16	AEEC Field Day
May 21	Last Day for Students

