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Waverley News!

Serving Together, Achieving Results



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Title I Information: Waverley Elementary School is a Title I school. If you did not receive our school's Title I documents and would like copies or more information please contact the school at (240) 236-3900 and ask for Karyn Snyder.

Attendance: Attendance at Waverley counts and our students need to be here every day to ensure they are learning and are set up for success! IF your child is out sick please send or bring in a doctor's note so that our secretary can update your student's file. Our attendance secretary is Sonia Rivera and her email address is Sonia.Rivera@fcps.org in the event you would like to email notes to the school.

Attendance Data- Our school goal is to have an attendance percentage of 96% We are all working together to meet our goal.

January Attendance:

Overall	PK	K	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
93.5% - Did not meet goal	89%	90%	93%	94%	95%	93%	96% - Met Goal!

February Attendance:

Overall	PK	K	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
94.37%-making progress!	88.42%	93.88%	93.46%	95.10%	95.01%	92.78%	96%-Met Goal

Arrival/Pick-up Procedures: Car Rider Pick-ups - You MUST have your assigned car rider number in your window so that we can efficiently dismiss your student(s). Please be sure to stay alert when dropping off and picking up your child and follow the staff member who is moving traffic.

PTA: Please consider signing up for our PTA and coming out to our meetings. Be ONE VOICE with us! **Our next meeting is: March 7th**

Upcoming Important Dates!

- **March 1** - 2 hour early dismissal (1:25 dismissal)
- **March 7** - PTA Meeting and HEART Market - 5:00-7:00 - Come to our meeting and then shop around the market with your child!
- **March 14** - Reading/Literacy Night - 5:30-7:30, Dinner will be served at 5:30
- **March 27** - Table Talk Event and Food Drop - 9:00-11:00

Health Tips

Sleep:

Sleep gives your body and your brain a break. Too little sleep can make you less able to think clearly and follow directions. Sleep is needed to allow your child/children to be ready to learn!

Most kids between the ages of 5 and 12 need **10 to 11 hours of sleep each night**. Make sure you talk with your child/children about setting a bedtime each evening that will allow for the adequate amount of sleep.

How to Catch Your ZZZs

Here are some tips to help your child/children get a good night's sleep:

- Try to have your child/children go to bed at the same time each night.
- Have your child/children follow a bedtime routine that is calming, such as taking a warm bath or reading.
- Limit screen time (cellphone, T.V., IPAD, etc.) right before bedtime.
- Have your child/children use their bed just for sleeping - not doing homework, playing games, or talking on the phone. That way, they'll train their body to associate their bed with sleep.

Source: <https://kidshealth.org/>

Family Engagement Events in 2019!

Family Nights:

Dinner will be served at these events!

Reading/Literacy Night	March 14	5:30-7:30
STEM/Literacy Night	April 11	5:30-7:30
Health and Wellness Event	May 23	5:30-7:30

Table Talk and Food Drop Events:

Please bring your own bags to these events.

Veronica Henry from the Housing Authority	March 27	9:00-10:00
The Arc of Frederick	April 24	9:00-10:00
Summer News	May 22	9:00-10:00
Heartly House: Domestic Violence and its Effect on Children	June 12	9:00-10:00

Communication is important to us so please check your student's backpack each night to ensure you are up-to-date on important information. We will also continue to use Find Out First, Remind.com, and Thursday folders to send home information and reminders. Get important school announcements to your phone: Text @201Waves to 81010 from your cell phone to sign up for Remind! Let us know if you ever have any questions, comments, or concerns.

****Our school's YouTube page is ready for you to subscribe for free! We will be adding videos on this page to celebrate the happenings here at Waverley as well as to promote learning at home!! Use the following URL to subscribe to this page. <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC4fAa8oyfPQRQ4ay01PBuYA>****

Waverley Academics at Home!!

Use the below links to access reading and math resources at home.

Elementary Math -

- <https://education.fcps.org/mathelem/>

Check out the links under *Essential Curriculum* to view what your student is working on in their grade level.

- **NEW Math Site:** <https://sites.google.com/fcps.org/fcpselementarymathhomeschoolre/home>

This site provides explanations of unit outcomes, models, and activities that can be done at home to support students math learning.

Elementary Language Arts -

- <https://education.fcps.org/languageartselem/>

Check out the link under *Essential Curriculum* to view what your student is working on in their grade level.

PLEASE VISIT our school's website for lots of great information on family events for the year, information about Waverley, and ideas to support learning at home!! <https://education.fcps.org/waves/>

