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Upcoming Events:

Monday, February 21 - No School for Presidents' Day

Tuesday, February 22 - Friday, February 25 – FFA Spirit Week! (see below)

Thursday, February 24 - Author T.L. McBeth visits our K-6th grade students

Monday, March 7 - Thursday, March 10 - Right to Read week (See Attached Scholastic Book Fair Letter which was sent home with students this week)

Friday, March 18 - Kindergarten Screening. Current Kindergarten students will not have school on March 18. Kindergarten screening information is on the main page of our website under 'District News' https://www.arlingtonlocalschools.com/upload/news/2022_flyer_docx.pdf

Thursday, March 24 - 4th-6th grades present: "Pirates! 2 - The Hidden Treasure" music production. Show times are 1:00 pm and 7:00 pm in the auditorium.

Elementary State Testing Dates -

April 6th: ELA 3rd-6th Grade
April 7th: ELA 3rd-6th Grade
April 20: Science 5th Grade
April 21: Science 5th Grade
April 27: Math 3rd-6th Grade
April 28: Math 3rd-6th Grade

FFA Spirit Week



Tuesday, February 22 – Wear a hat to school

Wednesday, February 23 – Wear blue/gold or FFA shirt

Thursday, February 24 – Wear a tractor or truck shirt

Friday, February 25 – Flannel Friday



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The Scholastic Book Fairs logo is centered on the page. It features a red rectangular banner with a white book icon and the word 'SCHOLASTIC' in white, uppercase letters. Below the banner, the words 'BOOK FAIRS' are written in large, bold, blue, uppercase letters. Underneath that, the slogan 'Books bring us together!' is written in a smaller, bold, blue font. The entire logo is surrounded by several colorful geometric shapes: a yellow square, a teal circle, a red square, a pink circle, a pink crescent moon, a teal star, and a green star.

Dear Arlington Elementary Parents,

Right to Read Week is quickly approaching. During the week of March 7th, the Scholastic Book Fair will be taking place in the elementary library. During Right to Read Week, parents will have the opportunity to join their child in school for about an hour. This time will be spent to view or participate in a reading activity in the classroom directed by the teacher in addition to visiting the book fair with your child.

We understand that not all parents can make arrangements to visit the school. Please feel free to invite a grandparent or other close family friend or relative to join your child. Students without a special guest will still participate in the classroom activity and will still attend the book fair at the scheduled time.

An additional opportunity for an evening book fair will be offered on Wednesday evening March 9th from 5:00-7:00. This opportunity will accommodate those parents who desire to visit the book fair with their children but are unable to make arrangements during the scheduled school day visit. The gym doors will be unlocked for parents and students to enter any time between 5:00 and 7:00.

The schedule below has the corresponding times for visitors to attend. Please report directly to your child's classroom upon entry to the building.

Kindergarten- March 7th from 8:00-9:15 a.m.

6th Grade- March 7th from 1:45-3:00 p.m.

1st Grade- March 8th from 8:00-9:15 a.m.

5th Grade- March 8th from 1:45-3:00 p.m.

2nd Grade- March 9th from 8:00-9:15 a.m.

4th Grade- March 9th from 1:45-3:00 p.m.

Open for Any Students- March 9th from 5:00-7:00 p.m.

3rd Grade- March 10th from 8:00-9:15 a.m.

Morning Preschool- March 10th from 10:00-11:00 a.m.]

Afternoon Preschool- March 10th from 2:00-3:00 p.m.

Thank you,
Right to Read Committee



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Calamity/ Remote Learning Update:

We have the potential for more calamity days for the remainder of the school year. Future calamity days may require Remote Learning. You will find the messaging for 'Remote Learning' included in the notification of the calamity day. Our goal is not to overwhelm any students, but we realize this will be a change from what children are used to on a calamity day. Ex. "What do you mean I have work to do?"

We understand limits to access technology at home, including the number of devices available for multi-children homes. We also understand that our youngest children may not have the competence to maneuver the computer. Therefore, we want to make sure that our 'Remote Learning' days are not necessarily 'Virtual Learning' days.

Most tasks will be able to be completed without the use of technology. If tasks do require technology, our teachers will be flexible if your child is not able to complete the task.

Please look for further communication from your child's teacher.

