

# Flamingo Flyer



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### **Kindergarten News**

What a wonderful year we've enjoyed in kindergarten at Flamingo Elementary School! From the Book Character Parade, Career Day, and a field trip to Flamingo Gardens, to multicultural presentations, class parties, and swim lessons, our kindergarten children and their super families have made this an unforgettable time of educational fun.

We celebrated learning our letters and sounds and 100 sight words, and we reached out to our community by donating items and writing letters to those in need. These are the things that make our school culture unique. We wish you all a great summer. Keep up with your reading to get to level E for first grade, and we look forward to seeing you in the fall enrolled in fabulous Flamingo Elementary School's first grade classes!

### **Fabulous First Grade**

Our first graders took the End-of-Year Reading and Math Tests the second week in May. In Science, students have been learning more about animals and living things. We have also been reviewing all the standards learned throughout the year.

In Social Studies, students have been learning about needs/wants and goods/services. We also worked on Mother's Day projects. Students will also be reviewing Social Studies standards learned throughout the year. As the year is coming to an end please continue to read, read, read!! During the summer read and review those reading skills, to prepare for second grade. The first grade teachers wish you a happy, fun, and safe summer. Thank you for your support throughout the year!

### **Sensational Second Grade**

This year our students have been challenged to become better readers and to master math facts and concepts. In science and social studies, the students have learned about the world around them. We have also enjoyed several field trips off and on campus this year.

The second grade team would like to thank all the parents, Reading Pals, and students from Western High School who have volunteered in our classes to enhance and enrich our students' second grade experience. Parents, please encourage your child to read, read, read over the summer break, and to continue practicing addition and subtraction facts and multiplication facts too. See you next fall.

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### **Third Grade Rocks**

As we finish out our wonderful school year, the third grade team would like to thank all the parents, guardians, and students for all their support and dedication throughout this school year! We hope you all have a safe and relaxing summer, but don't forget to READ! See you all in August.

## **Fantastic Fourth Grade**

Thank you so much for your support this year. We have had a fabulous year. The students have worked hard with their reading, writing, and math skills. Many of the students were able to master their standards and received recognition.

Please continue to practice multiplication facts over the summer and have your children read so they are ready for fifth grade. I-Ready and TenMarks will be available for your child to utilize over the summer. It is highly recommended to use these programs so that your child will be prepared to start fifth grade and ready to grow. Looking forward to hearing about the future success of all our students. Have a wonderful summer.

# Fifth Grade - Class of 2018

Congratulations to our fifth graders for completing elementary school. We are so proud of your accomplishments. Be prepared for middle school by reading for pleasure this summer.

Our Fifth Grade Awards Assembly will be held at Western High School on June 5th. The students may wear school appropriate dress clothes to this event. Have a wonderful and restful summer. We wish you all the best of luck in middle school!

### **IMPORTANT UPCOMING EVENTS**

May 30	Second Grade Awards 8:30 a.m.
May 50	
	Ecology Club Meeting 2:00 p.m.
	After Care Talent Show 5:00 p.m.
May 31	Third Grade Awards 8:30 a.m.
	PTO Movie Night
	"Solo – A Star Wars Story"
June 4	Fourth Grade Awards 8:30 a.m.
June 5	Fifth Grade Awards at Western High
	5:00 p.m Students arrive at 4:30 p.m.
June 6	Early Release Day - 12 Noon Dismissal
	Last Day of School for Students
June 7	Employee Planning Day

The first day of school for the 2018-2019 school year is Wednesday, August 15, 2018.



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