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**JANUARY
2019**

Happy New Year Fox Trail Families,

We hope you all enjoyed a relaxing and fun-filled Winter Break. We cannot believe we are already starting Quarter 3!

We are diving into the new year with our Broward Standards Assessments for 3rd through 5th grade beginning January 10th. This mid-year assessment helps us to monitor student learning and to plan instruction based on student performance. Please see the school calendar on our website for the dates of all the assessments. They will be listed at the end of our newsletter as well.

As you know we are now a Title I school. Title I has helped us purchase many new materials for our students and is helping us fund our upcoming after-school/Saturday academic camps. We need your help in order to continue receiving this support! If you have not completed the Free/Reduced Lunch Application for this year, please visit myschoolapps.com and apply! We are also trying to get some feedback regarding Title I and would like you to take a 5-minute survey for the Title I Department. Please visit https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScnKdfr0WPQaXJOiN4_zs0pd25i8-jHtrfcAuHgoZ0CR8jIKQ/viewform to complete the survey. Thank you in advance!

We are hosting a Science Alive Family Night on January 14th! For those that received confirmation to attend, we can't wait to spend a night exploring Earth Science with you!

As always, we would love to see you at our PTSA meeting (1/10 at 6:30PM) and SAC/SAF meetings (1/28 at 2:15PM). Both will be held in the Media Center.

Class pictures will be held on January 30th and 31st this year. Your child's teacher will be communicating which day his/her class will be taking pictures.

Lastly, parents of car-riders please remember to place your Mathnasium Car Tag in your car beginning January 8th. One student from every family should have received one of these before Winter Break. If your child is a car-rider and someone from your family did not receive one, please let the front office know upon returning from break. Also, if you received more than one car tag, please submit the extra copy back to the office. These new car tags will need to be visible at all times while on campus. Thank you for adhering to our new safety procedure. We are constantly learning and changing in order to make our campus safer for our students and staff.

Thank you for your continued support. Our doors are always open and we welcome your feedback. Here's to a magnificent 2019!

Your Lead Learners, Ms. Burgess, Principal, Mrs. Nelson and Mrs. McGreevy, Assistant Principals



Take Our Daughters and Sons To Work[®] Day

Friday, February 1, 2019

Workforce
Development for All!



Broward County Public Schools will observe Take Our Daughters and Sons to Work Day on **Friday, February 1, 2019**.

The National Take Our Daughters and Sons to Work Day is April 25, 2019, but due to date conflicts with the Florida Standards Assessment (FSA) testing periods, the District will celebrate the event before the testing window on **February 1**. Neighboring school districts (Miami-Dade and Palm Beach) will also observe the event on **February 1**.

For additional information, activity packets and forms, click here [CTACE](#) or visit browardschools.com/CTACE.

Title One Information

The 2018-2019 School Improvement Plan is available on the Fox Trail website for you to review. Please join us at the School Advisory Council Meetings to provide input in the development and implementation of the plan. Your thoughts and suggestions are greatly appreciated.

Late Arrival and Early Dismissal...

Remember - If it's 8:00, you're late!

-Students who arrive to school after 8:00 am, must be escorted into the school and signed in by a parent.

- A parent must sign out their child who requires an early dismissal **BEFORE 1:30 pm (11:30 am on Early Release Days)**.

*Per school board policy, all early dismissals must be done 30 minutes before Fox Trail's regular dismissal time.

Free and Reduced Meal Program

Food and Nutrition department requires the forms to be filled out every year. **The website is Myschoolapps.com.** Once on the site, click on Free and Reduced-Price Meals. Please go online and fill out the information and when completed it will be sent directly to Food and Nutrition. Thank you for your quick response to completing this.

Every Minute Counts

It is very important that your child attends school every day, all day. To avoid having your child enrolled in the BTIP program, please make sure your child attends school and is on time every day.

What's Happening?

JANUARY

Tues., 8 Classes Resume
Thurs., 10 PTSA Mtg.-6:30pm
Mon., 21 No School-Holiday
Thurs., 24 Book Exchange
Fri., 25 School Tour-8:30am
Mon., 28 SAC Mtg.-2:15pm
Wed., 30 Class Pictures
Report Cards Issued
Thurs., 31 Class Pictures

FEBRUARY

Fri., 1 Take Your Child to Work
PTSA Bingo and Baskets
6:30pm
Fri., 8 Field Day-5th gr.
Mon., 11 Field Day-Kdg.
Tues., 12 Field Day-1st gr.
Interim Reports Issued
Wed., 13 Field Day-2nd gr.
Thurs., 14 Field Day-3rd gr.
Fri., 15 Field Day-4th gr.
Mon., 18 No School-Holiday
Thurs., 21 Early Release-12:00pm
Mon., 25 SAC Mtg.-2:15pm

BSA Testing

Thurs., 10th & 11th Science-5th gr.
Tues., 15th & Wed., 16th ELA (Reading) 3rd-5th grs.
Thurs., 17th & 18th Math-3rd-5th grs.

Prices for breakfast and lunch are as follows:
Breakfast: Free Universal Breakfast, Lunch: 2.00,
Reduced: \$.40, myschoolapps.com is an easy and convenient way for parents and guardians to submit applications online.

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