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# Trailblazer

## FOX TRAIL ELEMENTARY

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**“On the Trail to Success”**

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**JUNE 2016**

Dear Parents and Families,

This has been one fantastic school year at Fox Trail! We truly were “On the Trail to Success” all year long as evidenced by all of the awards presented to students during their award assemblies. Seeing our cafeteria stage brimming with proud students always makes me feel so honored to be a principal at such a terrific school. Students earned awards for their many accomplishments. From Honor Roll certificates and citizenship awards, to Student Council and Most Improved – students, families, and staff members celebrated the various awards. Especially enjoyable, was seeing the great number of students that received honors for reading the required amount of books for the Reading Across Broward awards. I encourage all students to continue reading over the summer and begin working on earning next year’s awards. Our local libraries are filled with wonderful books to explore new adventures, visit new places, and embrace relationships and challenges.

End of the year activities throughout the school made for quite an impressive closure to the year. As always, Mrs. Stewart led her talented musicians and dancers in an amazing music concert. This year’s theme for the performance was Movie Music. I loved seeing all of the students’ hard work and dedication payoff as they performed each piece. The artwork provided by Mrs. Shapiro’s art club for the event was in a class of its own. Also, our fantastic PTSA celebrated staff by hosting a delicious luncheon and breakfast at school. We truly felt appreciated throughout the week, so I thank you on behalf of the staff.

Summer vacation is a great time for not only rejuvenation, traveling, and spending time with friends and family, but also it presents us with an opportunity for growth. Students can easily fall victim to the dreaded “Summer Slide”, and forget what was learned if they do not make time for reading each day. I hope that students will take advantage of the many resources available to help them maintain learning gains made during the school year. Some of the useful tools that can assist in practicing academic skills are available at [i-ready.com](http://i-ready.com) and at [myOn.com](http://myOn.com). MyOn is an award-winning literacy program that offers access to a variety of texts that are personalized to individual reading levels and interests. I-Ready, an adaptive computer-based reading and math program, provides users with targeted instructional support unique to each students’ needs. Best of all, both of these tools are free to students this summer!

Lastly, thank you for the incredible support you have given us this year. Your continued help led us “On the Trail to Success” each day! To our children, staff, parents and partners, I hope you all have a delightful, relaxing and safe summer.

Proud to be Your Principal, Lynn O. Burgess

### FOX CARE Aftercare

Fox Trail will be providing our own aftercare next school year. We would like college age students or older individuals to work with us.

Activities include: Homework help by teachers, snacks, computers, dance, sports, Spanish, academic clubs, and much more!

#### Registration for information:

- \*\$185.00 each 20 day period, 2-6pm
- \*One time registration fee per family, \$25.00
- \*Registration: July 26-7:30am-2pm  
July 27-7:30am-2pm  
July 28-2-6:30pm  
July 29-2-6:30pm

### FYI...New Next Year!!!

Parents,

We are unable to post class lists with the teacher's names on them next year. We are going to indicate who the teacher is on Virtual Counselor on Thursday, August 18<sup>th</sup>, before school starts. Your child's log on information, student ID and password, (usually the child's birthday) will be written in the agenda, and located on the report card label, to be kept for the beginning of school next year.

### CONGRATULATIONS TO FOX TRAIL MATH TEAM!!!

Because of these brilliant students, Fox Trail came in second place in the math competition!!



## Looking ahead

### JUNE

|           |  |
|-----------|--|
| Tues., 7  | Awards-4th gr.-8:30am                      |
| Wed., 8   | Awards-5th gr.-8:30am                      |
| Thurs., 9 | Early Release-12:00pm<br>Students last day |

**HAVE A FUN, SAFE SUMMER!!**

### Meet & Greet-August 19<sup>th</sup> 2016

|              |             |
|--------------|-------------|
| 1 & 4 grs.   | 8:30-9:30   |
| 2 & 5 grs.   | 9:30-10:00  |
| 3 & ASD grs. | 10:30-11:00 |
| Kindergarten | 11:30-12:30 |

### AUGUST

|          |                    |
|----------|--------------------|
| Mon., 22 | Students first day |
|----------|--------------------|



Dear Broward County Parents / Guardians,

Florida Statute 1002.45 requires Florida school districts to offer a virtual instruction program to students in grades K-12. A virtual instruction program offers students a flexible option to attend a public school using distance and online learning technologies. The enrollment window for Broward County students entering grades 6 through 12 is open until September 21st, 2016. Enrollment for students entering grades K-5 is open until July 22nd, 2016. Students must meet criteria to qualify for enrollment. More information about virtual instruction program options, including enrollment criteria, can be obtained online at [www.bved.net](http://www.bved.net) or by calling Broward Virtual School at 754-321-6050.

El estatuto 1002.45 del estado de la Florida requiere que todos sus distritos escolares ofrezcan programas de educación por Internet (o educación virtual) para los estudiantes en los grados K – 12. Un programa de educación por Internet le da a los estudiantes una opción flexible para asistir a clases en la escuela pública utilizando tecnología de aprendizaje a distancia. El período de matrícula, para los estudiantes del Condado de Broward que comenzarán los grados 6 al 12, será a partir del 22 de abril y terminará el 21 de septiembre de 2016. Para los estudiantes que comenzarán los grados K – 5, el período de matrícula se iniciará el 22 de abril y terminará el 22 de julio de 2016. Puede obtener más información acerca de los programas de educación por Internet y de los criterios para matrícula en la página Web [www.bved.net](http://www.bved.net) o llamando al 754-321-6050.

**Mobile Unit provided for parents to complete the Free and Reduced applications for School Year 2016-17**

**Food and Nutrition Services, Meal Benefits Mobile Unit Schedule**

**Hours: 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.**

| <b>July 18, 2016</b>   |  |  |
|--|--|--|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Hallandale Elementary K-8*</b></li> </ul>  |  |  |
| <b>July 19, 2016-Year Round Schools</b>  | <b>July 20, 2016</b>   | <b>July 21, 2016</b>   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>McNicol Middle *</b></li> <li>Colbert Elementary</li> <li>Lake Forest Elementary</li> <li>Watkins Elementary</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Rock Island Elementary *</b></li> <li>Dandy, William Middle</li> <li>Dillard Elementary</li> <li>Dillard High</li> <li>Walker Elementary</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Olsen Middle *</b></li> <li>Attucks Middle</li> <li>Bethune, Mary M. Elementary</li> <li>Collins Elementary</li> <li>Hollywood Central</li> <li>Oakridge Elementary</li> </ul>   |
| <b>July 25, 2016</b>   | <b>July 26, 2016</b>   | <b>July 27, 2016</b>   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>West Hollywood Elementary *</b></li> <li>Fairway Elementary</li> <li>Miramar Elementary</li> <li>Orange Brook Elementary</li> <li>Perry, Annabel C. Elementary</li> <li>Perry, Henry D. Middle</li> <li>Sunshine Elementary</li> </ul>                             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Nova Blanche Forman Elementary *</b></li> <li>Davie Elementary</li> <li>Flamingo Elementary</li> <li>Meadowbrook Elementary</li> <li>Nova Eisenhower Elementary</li> <li>Nova High</li> <li>Nova Middle</li> </ul>                                   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Apollo Middle *</b></li> <li>Boulevard Heights Elementary</li> <li>Cooper City High</li> <li>Driftwood Elementary</li> <li>Driftwood Middle</li> <li>Hollywood Park Elementary</li> <li>Sheridan Hills Elementary</li> <li>Sheridan Park Elementary</li> </ul> |
| <b>July 28, 2016</b>   | <b>Aug 1, 2016 - Neighborhood Parks</b>  | <b>Aug 2, 2016</b>   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Crystal Lake Middle *</b></li> <li>Cresthaven Elementary</li> <li>Deerfield Beach Middle</li> <li>Norcrest Elementary</li> <li>Palmview Elementary</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Roosevelt Gardens Park *</b></li> <li>Boulevard Gardens Center</li> <li>Franklin Park</li> <li>Lafayette Hart Park</li> <li>Reverend Samuel Delevoe Park</li> <li>Sunview Park</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>North Lauderdale Elementary *</b></li> <li>Broadview Elementary</li> <li>Morrow Elementary</li> <li>Pinewood Elementary</li> <li>Silver Lakes Middle</li> </ul>  |
| <b>August 3, 2016</b>  | <b>August 4, 2016</b>  | <b>August 8, 2016</b>  |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>New Renaissance Middle *</b></li> <li>Coconut Palms Elementary</li> <li>Everglades High</li> <li>Flanagan, Charles W. High</li> <li>Pembroke Lakes Elementary</li> <li>Pines Lakes Elementary</li> <li>Sea Castle Elementary</li> <li>West Broward High</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Sunrise Middle *</b></li> <li>Bennett Elementary</li> <li>North Side Elementary</li> <li>Fort Lauderdale High</li> <li>Wilton Manors Elementary</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Welleby Elementary *</b></li> <li>Bair Middle</li> <li>Banyan Elementary</li> <li>Flamingo Elementary</li> <li>Nob Hill Elementary</li> <li>Village Elementary</li> <li>West Pine Middle</li> <li>Western High</li> </ul>                                      |
| <b>August 9, 2016</b>  | <b>August 10, 2016</b>   | <b>August 11, 2016</b>   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Floranada Elementary *</b></li> <li>North Andrews Gardens Elementary</li> <li>North East High</li> <li>Oakland Park Elementary</li> <li>Rickards, James S. Middle</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Oriole Elementary *</b></li> <li>Anderson, Boyd High</li> <li>Lauderdale Lakes Middle</li> <li>Lloyd Estates Elementary</li> <li>Park Lakes Elementary</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Riverland Elementary *</b></li> <li>Croissant Park Elementary</li> <li>Foster, Stephen Elementary</li> <li>New River Middle</li> <li>Westwood Heights Elementary</li> </ul>  |
| <b>August 15, 2016</b>   | <b>August 16, 2016</b>   | <b>August 17, 2016</b>   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Parkway Middle *</b></li> <li>Lauderhill Middle</li> <li>Lauderhill Paul Turner Elementary</li> <li>North Fork Elementary</li> <li>Peters Elementary</li> <li>Plantation Elementary</li> <li>Endeavour Primary Center</li> </ul>                                   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Liberty Elementary *</b></li> <li>Atlantic West Elementary</li> <li>Forest Hills Elementary</li> <li>Hunt, James S. Elementary</li> <li>Lyons Creek Middle</li> <li>Margate Middle</li> <li>Monarch High</li> <li>Charles Drew Elementary</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Maplewood Elementary *</b></li> <li>Coral Springs Elementary</li> <li>Millenium Middle</li> <li>Parkside Elementary</li> <li>Sawgrass Springs Middle</li> <li>Stoneman Douglas, Marjorie High</li> <li>Taravella, J.P. High</li> </ul>                         |

In accordance with Florida law, we are providing you with your child's school financial report. The figures in this report represent the revenues and the expenditures allocated to the school, both in total and per FTE (full time equivalent) student. This data is compared to the rest of the schools in the district and the state. The purpose of this report is to inform parents of the resources that were available to the school during the 2014-15 school year.

FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION  
 EDUCATIONAL FUNDING ACCOUNTABILITY ACT, SECTION 1010.215 F.S.  
 2014-2015 SCHOOL FINANCIAL REPORT  
 SCHOOL: 3531 FOX TRAIL E

| REVENUES                       | SCHOOL*   | %     | DISTRICT    | %     | STATE         | %      | -----         |        | -----          |        |
|--------------------------------|-----------|-------|-------------|-------|---------------|--------|---------------|--------|----------------|--------|
| FEDERAL                        | 1,570,467 | 17.80 | 279,342,847 | 12.28 | 3,111,699,948 | 13.27  |               |        |                |        |
| STATE/LOCAL (EXCLUDES LOTTERY) |           |       |             |       | 7,249,918     | 82.14  | 1,994,796,746 | 87.68  | 20,281,295,747 | 86.46  |
| LOTTERY                        |           |       |             |       | 5,511         | 0.06   | 980,316       | 0.04   | 9,838,319      | 0.04   |
| PRIVATE                        |           |       |             |       | 56            | 0.00   | 10,000        | 0.00   | 54,160,189     | 0.23   |
| TOTAL                          |           |       |             |       | 8,825,952     | 100.00 | 2,275,129,909 | 100.00 | 23,456,994,203 | 100.00 |

\* SCHOOL REVENUES BASED ON COSTS

| OPERATING COSTS**                              | -----PER FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT STUDENT----- |             |          | TOTAL SCHOOL COSTS |
|--|--|-------------|----------|--------------------|
|  | SCHOOL                                     | DISTRICT*** | STATE*** |                    |
| TEACHERS/TEACHER AIDES (SALARIES/BENEFITS) (1) | 4,591                                      | 4,527       | 4,602    | 5,681,026          |
| OTHER INSTRUCTIONAL PERSONNEL****              | 729  | 942         | 937      | 902,621            |
| CONTRACTED INSTRUCTIONAL SERVICES              | 71   | 123         | 183      | 87,937             |
| SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION                          | 341  | 577         | 551      | 422,130            |
| MATERIALS/SUPPLIES/OPERATING CAPITAL OUTLAY    | 82   | 213         | 235      | 100,980            |
| FOOD SERVICE                                   | 408  | 406         | 487      | 505,477            |
| OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF PLANT             | 719  | 1,015       | 908      | 889,669            |
| OTHER SCHOOL LEVEL SUPPORT SERVICES            | 191  | 182         | 192      | 236,112            |
| TOTAL SCHOOL COSTS                             | 7,132                                      | 7,985       | 8,095    | 8,825,952          |

\*\* CAPITAL EXPENDITURES FOR NEW SCHOOLS ARE NOT INCLUDED

\*\*\* AMOUNTS REPORTED FOR DISTRICT AND STATE REFLECT COSTS FOR ALL LEVELS OF STUDENTS.

\*\*\*\* INCLUDES SOME NON-PERSONNEL COSTS, SUCH AS TEACHER TRAINING MATERIALS

DISTRICT COSTS: THE AMOUNTS ABOVE REPRESENT ONLY SCHOOL-LEVEL COSTS. NO DISTRICT-LEVEL COSTS HAVE BEEN INCLUDED

DISTRICT COSTS SUCH AS TRANSPORTATION AND ADMINISTRATION FOR BROWARD SCHOOL DISTRICT TOTALED \$130,903,046 OR \$593 PER FTE

| ADDITIONAL DETAIL INFORMATION              | -----PER FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT STUDENT----- |          |       | TOTAL SCHOOL COSTS |
|--|--|----------|-------|--------------------|
|  | SCHOOL                                     | DISTRICT | STATE |                    |
| TEACHERS/TEACHER AIDES (SALARIES/BENEFITS) |  |          |       |                    |
| BASIC PROGRAMS                             | 3,663                                      | 3,936    | 3,924 | 3,199,156          |
| ESOL                                       | 3,754                                      | 4,286    | 4,955 | 425,679            |
| EXCEPTIONAL PROGRAMS                       | 8,205                                      | 7,102    | 7,080 | 2,056,191          |
| CAREER EDUCATION PROGRAMS                  |  | 3,414    | 3,821 |                    |
| ADULT PROGRAMS                             | (2)  | (2)      | (2)   | (2)                |

| MATERIALS, SUPPLIES, OPERATING CAPITAL OUTLAY | SCHOOL COST | DISTRICT COST |
|---|-------------|---------------|
| TEXTBOOKS                                     | 2,289       | 15,988,713    |
| COMPUTER HARDWARE AND SOFTWARE                | 21,468      | 11,886,631    |
| OTHER INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS                 | 53,643      | 16,085,019    |
| OTHER MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES                  | 23,580      | 2,973,160     |

LIBRARY MEDIA MATERIALS 10,322 1,965,174

(1) INCLUDES SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$85,565 FOR SCHOOL 3531 AND \$17,982,316 FOR THE DISTRICT

(2) NOT FEFP FUNDED



Dear Family,

As many of you are planning for your summer activities for your children, we want you to remember to encourage your children to read over the summer break! Reading for the sake of reading will allow your child to explore summer from home, on the road, on vacation or from their own backyard!

Many children forget what they've learned during the school year while on summer break. This "achievement loss" is also known as the summer slide. Keeping your kids' engaged with reading over the summer months will help maintain their academic edge and reduce the summer slide. Children who do not read over the summer could potentially lose more than 2 months of reading achievement and unfortunately summer reading loss is cumulative.

**Good News:** Fox Trail Elementary encourages reading over the summer by providing your children access to myON, an online personalized collection of more than 5,000 digital books that can be read on computers, laptops, and other devices anytime, anyplace. We hope you enjoy the 2016 Summer Reading Program!

Your children can now read with myON over the summer & choose the books that they are interested in.

myON has created a national reading contest to motivate kids to read and will reward top readers with cool prizes! The theme of this year's reading contest is **On Your Mark, Get Set, Read!** For more information go to <http://thefutureinreading.myon.com/2016Summer>

The contest runs from May 23<sup>rd</sup> to September 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Be sure to follow myON on Facebook (myONFanClub) and Twitter (@myONreader) for important updates and special events during the summer!

Go to **www.myON.com** and start reading

School Name: Fox Trail Elementary

Student login:

Username: **Student 10 digit number**

Password: **Birthdate** with slashes **mm/dd/yyyy**

myON at Home(for parents)

and myON in School(for teachers) logins:

Username: **broward**

Password: **myon**