



# MORROW ELEMENTARY

## PATRIOT PRESS

### MARCH/APRIL 2024

Dear Morrow Patriot Families,

I cannot believe it's already March and Spring Break is almost here! At Morrow, we do everything we can to expose our scholars to experiences that will enhance their academic, social, and emotional development. That's why during the month of March we have many exciting events planned for our scholars and community.

During our first event, Morrow Elementary is honored to welcome members of the Federal Bar Association (FBA) - Broward County Chapter to our school. The FBA is sponsoring a book fair in collaboration with READ USA. They will be providing each scholar with the opportunity to select two free books. The event will feature federal judges, other federal luminaries, and District dignitaries. This will offer our scholars unparalleled opportunities to interact with the federal bench and bar outside of the courtroom. Magistrate Judges and attorneys volunteered to participate in this event to read and interact with our scholars. We hope that these interactions will spark students' curiosity about the legal profession and the judicial processes.

We will continue to provide opportunities for our scholars to engage in real-world activities along with their family and community. Your involvement is essential for the success of your children! All members of our community are invited and encouraged to participate in our Family Math Night on March 5th, 2024 beginning at 6:00 p.m. following our SAC and SAF meetings at 5:30 p.m.

The Great American Bus Interactive Education (GABIE), will visit our school in March to provide hands-on STEM based science projects for the students to participate in. Students will learn about the different regions, the climate, and how plants and crops grow. Each student participating in this inhouse field trip will receive a seed to watch and document its growth. This interactive field trip will also teach our scholars about up-cycling and recycling to inspire them to help save our planet. The Germ Station teaches students the importance of good hygiene, history of germs, and fun experiments to show how antibacterial soap can repel germs. We encourage you to discuss these experiences with your children.

Broward County School District is conducting a Parent Survey to improve system practices. We value your opinion and ask that you please complete this survey. I want you to know that your responses to this survey will be anonymous. I would appreciate your honest opinion. The surveys will be available online in English, Spanish, Haitian Creole, and Portuguese. Thank you for taking the time to complete the survey.  
Parent Survey Link: <https://eprovesurveys.advanc-ed.org/surveys/#!/action/246161/p568>

Please stay connected with what is happening at school by visiting our website at [www.browardschools.com/morrow](http://www.browardschools.com/morrow), reviewing Parentlink Messages (voice, email, and text), and following us on Twitter @MorrowElem.

Thank you again for all that you are doing at home to support our Scholars. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Educationally yours,  
Dr. Crowle, Principal

#### IMPORTANT DATES

March 5, 2024 – 5:30 p.m. SAC/SAF  
Family Math Night 6:00 p.m.

March 8, 2024 - Federal Bar Association  
Book Fair for students

March 21, 2024  
EARLY RELEASE – 11:50 a.m. Dismissal

March 22, 2024  
Teacher Planning – School Closed

March 25, 2024 – March 29, 2024 Spring Break

April 3, 2024 - BEST Writing - Summative  
ALL Grade 4-5 Students

April 10, 2024 - School Closed

April 23, 2024 - 5:30 p.m. SAC/SAF  
Family Science Night - 6:00 p.m.

April 25, 2024, - "Take Our Children to Work Day"

May 9, 2024 SAC/SAF - 5:30 p.m.  
Hot Food Hot Topics - 6:00 p.m.

May 9, 2024 - FAST ELA PM3  
All Grade K-2 Students

May 14, 2024 - FAST MATH PM3  
All Grade K-2 Students

May 15, 2024 - FAST ELA PM3  
All Grade 3 - 5 Students

May 16, 2024 - FAST MATH PM3  
All Grade 3 - 5 Students

May 22, 2024 - Science Assessment - NGSSS  
All Grade 5 Students



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