



Bullpup Nips

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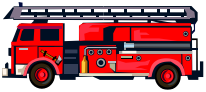
Theme: Kindness / Character Trait: Happiness

"Students who come to school every day, behave, and participate - graduate!"

Paraphrased from Balfanz (2007) by the Academic Team



PICTURE DAY: Life Touch will be taking individual student pictures this Thursday, **October 11th**. Picture envelopes were sent home. We have extra envelopes in the office.



FIRE SAFETY WEEK: Our annual Fire Safety Week is this week of October 8 - 12th. This year's theme is "Look. Listen. Learn. Be aware. Fire can happen anywhere!" Fire Safety poster contest winners will ride the fire trucks to school on Tues. Oct. 16th.

FAMILY LIT NIGHT: Mark your calendars for Thursday, October 18th for SES Family Literacy Night beginning at 6:00-7:30pm. Everyone is welcome, young and old, the whole family! We will be solving mysteries, cracking codes, hearing stories and writing secret messages. A book exchange is happening too. Bring your old books to trade. "FREE event!"

VISITORS AND VOLUNTEERS: ALL visitors and volunteers please stop at the office to sign in and pick up a badge to wear while you are in the building.

NAME ON BELONGINGS: The best way to ensure that your child's coat, backpack, lunchbox is returned if it is misplaced is by having a clear name written on the article. Please take the time to label your child's belongings; it is then very easy for us to return misplaced items.

BULLPUP NIPS: The Bullpup Nips is distributed every other Tuesday. Please begin to look for it in your email starting October 23rd. If you would like to receive your Bullpup Nips via email, please contact the school, at 427-5672, with your email address.



HALLOWEEN: Each classroom will celebrate Halloween in their own way. A few things that will be similar in **ALL CLASSROOMS:** (1) Children will be provided with something nutritional to eat ... along with some sweets, (2) Costumes (if a part of the classroom celebration) will be school appropriate - nothing too gory and no weapons or makeup and costumes should be something that a student can get on and off independently. **No costumes** will be worn in the morning or on the bus. (3) Instructional time will still be an important part of the day! **Please watch for a note from your child's teacher to explain the details of that celebration!**

PUMPKIN PATCH PERMISSION SLIPS: Look for them soon and please return as soon as possible.

ATTENDANCE: There may be completely acceptable reasons for your child's missed days or tardiness. Parents and guardians play a major role in their child's attendance. An adult's attitude, support, expectations, and actions will assist in getting your child to school each and every day, *on time*. A student who arrives even a few minutes late ends up playing "catch up" for most of the morning. That child's day can end up being very stressful and frustrating which impacts learning. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

- ☐ Set a regular bedtime, and stick to it.
- ☐ Prepare clothes the night before, lay them out.
- ☐ Finish homework in the evening; put the backpack by the door.
- ☐ Set an alarm clock, or even two.
- ☐ Plan to have your child **IN THE CLASSROOM** by 8:25 a.m.
- ☐ Schedule your child's appointments after 3:30 p.m. or on early release days whenever possible.

Oct. 8	9	10	11	12
	Fire Safety Week			
		8:30 - 1:20 Early Release	Picture Day!	
15	16 Contest winners ride the fire trucks to school!	17 8:30 - 1:20 Early Release Dream Team Dental @ SES	18 Learn and Play 5:30 @ SES Dream Team Dental @ SES Family Lit Night 6:00-7:30pm	19 SCHOOL SPIRIT School Shirt/ Blue Jeans
22	23	24 8:30 - 1:20 Early Release	25	26 SCHOOL SPIRIT Crazy Sock Day

CHARACTER TRAIT: Each month our Bullpups will be learning about a character trait. For the month of October, the character trait is "Happiness". Ask your child what they have done to be a good friend! <http://www.gorgehappiness.org/en/front-page/>

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