

Freedom Elementary Newsletter

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Word of the Week

Honesty

Truthfulness.

April 22, 2022

Quote of the Week

"If you tell the truth, you won't have to remember anything."



MONTH OF THE MILITARY CHILD PARADE

FORT SILL COMMUNITY & PARENTS

YOU ARE INVITED!

WHAT: A PARADE TO HONOR THE MILITARY CHILDREN AT FREEDOM ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

WHEN: APRIL 29TH, 2022
1330-1430 (1:30PM-2:30PM)

WHERE: STAGING LINE BEGINS AT POLO FIELD ON FORT SILL. LEAD POLICE CAR WILL ESCORT THE PARADE TO:

FREEDOM ELEMENTARY
5720 GERONIMO RD, FORT SILL
SCAN QR CODE FOR ROUTE MAP

HOW: DECORATE YOUR VEHICLE, DRESS IN PURPLE, HONK YOUR HORNS, WAVE AND CHEER AS THE STUDENTS LINE THE SIDEWALKS OUT FRONT OF THE SCHOOL!



FOR MORE INFO:

FACEBOOK EVENT PAGE:
[FB.ME/E/392SQQQVE](https://www.facebook.com/E/392SQQQVE)



PARADE ROUTE MAP:
[BIT.LY/FREEDOM-MOTMC](https://bit.ly/freedom-motmc)

LPS Guiding Principles
At Freedom our teachers and staff are dedicated to the following:

- We equitably serve our students' needs as career-bound citizens.
- We celebrate our diversity within a culture of shared professional ideals.
- We foster investment in Freedom through communication, collaboration, and transparency.
- We promote healthy and fit lifestyles as we learn, do, and teach.

MISSION STATEMENT

Our mission at Freedom Elementary School is to educate all students to achieve their highest level of academic performance, fostering the development of a positive self-esteem, as well as creating healthy/fit career bound citizens.

VISION STATEMENT

Our vision at Freedom is to provide a safe and secure environment that motivates and empowers ALL students.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

2022

April- Month of the Military Child

April 25- 3rd Grade Make-Up Testing Begins

April 29- Monthly Assembly

April 29- Military Child Parade 1:30-2:30

May

May 6- PTA Color Run

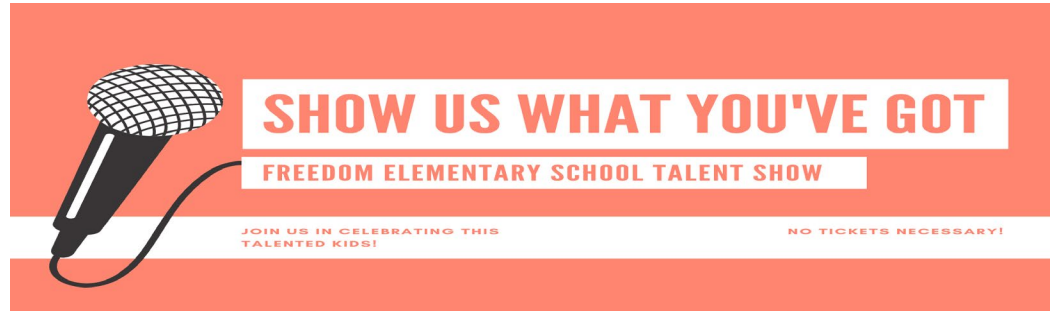
May 13- Fun Day!

May 17- Talent Show

May 18- 5th Grade Promotion

May 19- LAST DAY OF SCHOOL!





PTA Reflections Winners 2021-2022 “I will change the world by...”

1st Place- Heaven Brown- 2nd grade

Special Artists

1st Place- Jayda Woods- 2nd grade

1st Place- Jimmie McMorris- 2nd grade

1st Place- Bruce Dittmeyer- 2nd grade

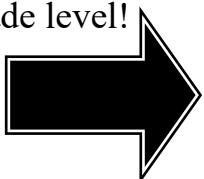
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Freedom Website

Wondering what your child’s spelling words are this week or what they’re studying in class?

Scan the QR Code then click on your child’s grade level!



State Testing is around the corner

Practice questions for the online Oklahoma School Testing Program (OSTP) are available online
To access the online practice questions for 3rd, 4th and 5th grade students, click on the following URL:
<https://okpracticetest.measuredprogress.org/student/login>

Username: practice

Password: testing