

Good Afternoon Dawe School Dragon Families and Friends,

Happy Friday! I hope that this message finds you doing well and I hope you had the chance to enjoy the warmer weather this week! Our Dawe Dragons had a blast this week as we celebrated the 100th Day of School, our 1st/2nd Grade Dawe Dragons experienced a "Saving Makes Cents" Presentation from HarborOne Bank, our 5th Grade Dawe Dragons hosted scientists from the Neponset River Watershed Association for lessons on Water Conservation and Stormwater Runoff, and we all ended our week with Spirit Day and delicious popcorn! I know our Dawe Dragons are looking forward to our Valentine's Day School Dance tonight at 6:30 pm - I hope to see you there! Just a reminder, we are still collecting non-perishable food items for our 100th Day of School Food Drive Challenge - 100th Day of School Food Drive Flyer (we will be collecting non-perishable food items until Tuesday, February 14th and we will be accepting items during our School Dance tonight as well). Please be sure to check out the following links to learn more about our February Humanities Vacation Camp for students in Grades 2 - 5 - Save the Date (Grades 2 - 5) - February Humanities Vacation Camp, our Valentine's Day at the Dawe - 2023, and the DA Basketball Camp Flyer for 3rd - 8th Graders.

## Families Save the Date: End of the Year Events 2023

## 2023 MCAS Testing Dates

## ELA

3rd Grade - 4/11 & 4/12

4th Grade - 4/25 & 4/26

5th Grade - 4/12 & 4/13

#### MATH

3rd Grade - 5/9 & 5/10

4th Grade - 5/16 & 5/17

5th Grade - 5/10 & 5/11

## SCIENCE/TECHNOLOGY

5th Grade - 5/23 & 5/24

BUS REMINDER: Pick-up and drop-off times are listed on the postcards and are "estimates." Weather, traffic, the number of stops on a route, and the number of students at a stop affect pick-up/drop-off times. Students must be at the stop at least "10 minutes" prior to the scheduled pick-up times. Buses will not wait for students.

### IMPORTANT REMINDERS

- Mystery Guest Reader
- Please send your child(ren) to school with a snack each day
- Every Friday will be a "Spirit Day" at the Dawe students and teachers are invited to wear New England Sports Gear, Dawe Dragon Gear, Black & Orange for Stoughton Pride, Crocs with Socks, or anything else they would love to wear to show school spirit!
- As we approach the winter weather, please be sure to send your child(ren) to school in clothing that will allow them to comfortably participate in outdoor recess. If the temperature "feels like" 26 degrees or above, Dawe students will be going outside for recess - Colder Weather & Outdoor Recess Reminder
- If possible, please send your child(ren) to school with a reusable water bottle that can be filled throughout the day using our filtered water dispensers
- If you are bringing your child(ren) to school late (8:35 am), you must accompany them in the building to sign them in
- If your child(ren) is going to be absent from school, please be sure to contact the main office and/or clinic
- If you need assistance getting a backpack, please do not hesitate to reach out as we have many in the school that have been generously donated to us
- If you need to dismiss your child(ren) prior to the end of the school day, please be sure to email/inform their classroom teacher so that the information can be shared with our main office as soon as possible

# **IMPORTANT/HELPFUL LINKS**

SPS Academic Calendar - 2022/23

Arrival and Dismissal Procedures

Dawe Welcome Back Families Letter 2022/23

**Grade-Level Supply Lists** 

Caught with Character Family Letter

SPS Food Services Website (Monthly Breakfast/Lunch Menus)

Upcoming Events @ the Dawe	
February	Black History Month  BLACK  HISTORY  MONTH
Tonight	Dawe School Dance 6:30 - 8:00 pm  Dawe School Cafeteria & Students Must Be Accompanied By An Adult
Tuesday, 2/14	Valentine's Day  HAPPY  Valentine's Day
Friday, 2/17	Stoughton Talent Showcase @ Stoughton High School - 7:00 pm

Monday, 2/20	Presidents' Day
	HAPPY**  DAY  DAY
Monday, 2/20 - Friday, 2/24	February Vacation No School
Monday, 2/27	School Reopens After February Break
Tuesday, 2/28	Character Counts Assemblies for Students & Staff  Integrity Always doing the right thing even when no one else is watching.  Being truthful in what you say and do.
Tuesday, 2/28	Dawe School Council Meeting @ 3:00 pm  SCHOOL SITE COUNCIL
Wednesday, 3/1	First Day of Women's History Month  WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH

Thursday, 3/2	Parent/Guardian-Teacher Conferences &
	Early Release Day
	PARENT A TEACHER CONFERENCE
Monday, 3/6	SPS Elementary Family Event <u>Rhythm Delivered with DrumatiX</u>
	Milyami Deavered with Dramatix
Monday, 3/6 - Friday, 3/9	5th Grade SEED Science Program
	Chemical Reactions & Mixtures
Thursday, 3/9	PTO Meeting @ 6:30 pm  Meeting  GET INVOLVED
Sunday, 3/12	Daylight Savings Time Starts  DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME BEGINS
Tuesday, 3/14	1st Grade Discovery Museum Workshops
	TRAVELING SCIENCE WORKSHOPS



Thanks for being such an amazing school community! I hope you have an Awesome Weekend and I hope to see you at our Valentine's Day School Dance tonight!

Please reach out to the main office if you have any questions.

Mr. Concellieri



<u>Dawe School Website</u>
Dawe Twitter - @DaweDragons
<u>Stoughton Public Schools Website</u>
Dawe PTO Website