

Good Afternoon Dawe School Dragon Families and Friends,

Happy Friday! I hope that this message finds you doing well and I hope you had a great week! We had an Awesome Dawesome week at the Dawe with: beautiful summer-like weather, our 5th Grade Dawe Dragons experienced Chemistry Workshops via the Discovery Museum Traveling Science Workshop Program, 3rd & 5th Grade Dawe Dragons crushed their ELA MCAS, we held a great PTO Meeting on Thursday evening, our 2nd Grade Dawe Dragons experienced Fossil Science Workshops via our grant funded SEED Program, and we finished our week with delicious pizza and popcorn! As we continue working through our MCAS Testing Season for our 3rd, 4th, and 5th Grade Dawe Dragons (*ELA Testing continues the week after break for our 4th Grade Dawe Dragons*), I wanted to be sure to pass along some helpful information/suggestions - 2023 MCAS Letter & Schedule. Additionally, I wanted to forward Mr. D'Alessandro's notice regarding overdue library books - Overdue Library Books Notice. Lastly, I wanted to wish everyone a HAPPY APRIL VACATION - I hope you get to utilize this time away from school for relaxation, rejuvenation, and spending time with family and friends!

Families Save the Date: End of the Year Events 2023

## 2023 MCAS Testing Dates

### **ELA**

4th Grade - 4/25 & 4/26

#### 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

#### 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!
- 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)

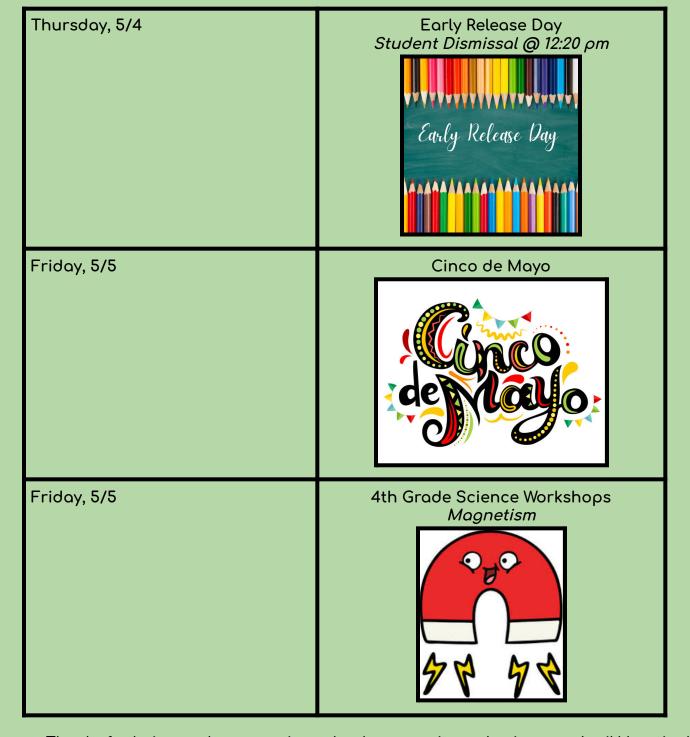
**SPS Central Registration Office** 

Upcoming Events @ the Dawe	
Αρril	Autism Acceptance Month
Αρril	National Poetry Month  POETRY  MONTH
Wednesday, 3/22 - Friday, 4/21	Ramadan
Monday, 4/17	Patriots' Day  PATRIOT DAY  ***********************************
Monday, 4/17 - Friday, 4/21	April Vacation School Closed  SPRING BREAK!

Monday, 4/24	School Reopens After April Break  Come in We're  OPEN
Monday, 4/24	Department of Conservation & Recreation Presentation for 1st Grade
Monday, 4/24	Kindergarten Science Workshops  Bubbles
Tuesday, 4/25	School Council Meeting @ 3:00 pm
Tuesday, 4/25	4th Grade ELA MCAS  MCAS  TESTING

Wednesday, 4/26	4th Grade ELA MCAS  MCAS  TESTING
Wednesday, 4/26	School Secretary Appreciation Day
Thursday, 4/27	Poem in Your Pocket Day
May	Asian Pacific American Heritage Month  ASIAN PACIFIC AMERICAN HERITAGE MONTH
Monday, 5/1 - Friday, 5/5	Teacher Appreciation Week The Dawe is Celebrating Teacher Appreciation Week during this week as we have MCAS the following week  Teacher *Appreciation week
Monday, 5/1	HarborOne Bank Piggy Bankers Presentation for Kindergarten

Monday, 5/1	2nd Grade Science Workshops Physical Changes of Matter  Changes
Monday, 5/1	SPS Spring Author Series Susan Tan 5:00 - 6:00 pm (Hansen Elementary School)
Tuesday, 5/2	LifeTouch Spring Pictures  SCHOOL PICTURE DAY
Wednesday, 5/3	Spring Walk to School Day
Wednesday, 5/3	Character Counts Assemblies  Confidence  Confidence  Freedom from doubt and believing in yourself.



Thanks for being such an amazing school community and enjoy your April Vacation!

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

Mr. Cancellieri



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