



Cougar News



IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

Tues. 5/20 ~ Field Day

**Tues. 5/24 ~ Beginning
and Advanced Band Fun
Day at the H.S.
4:00 - 6:00**

**Wed. 5/25 ~
Kindergarten Field Trip**

**Fri. 5/27 ~ Citizen of the
Month @ 1:30**

**Mon. 5/30 ~ No School
Memorial Day**

**May 13, 2022
School Hours: 8 am - 3 pm**



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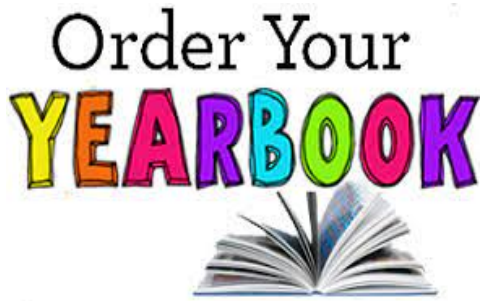
Absences:

When your child is absent. Please call the school office (603) 332-2146. Leave your name, your child's name, the child's teacher's name and reason for absence. If we do not hear from you, district policy states we will call you. This is for your child's safety.

**Table Talk: What
strategy does your child
like to use to do their
best on their test?**

Lunch Menu Link
[MENU](#)

East Rochester School Expectations	
BE SAFE	
I will make safe and appropriate choices.	I will demonstrate behavior that is considerate of the community, the school and myself.
BE RESPONSIBLE	
I will be on time to fulfill my daily commitments.	I will be actively engaged in my learning by asking questions, collaborating and seeking solutions.
BE RESPECTFUL	
I will be truthful and accountable for my choices.	I will show respect and encourage the right to teach and the right to learn at all times.



Please [Click Here](#) for yearbook information! Order by May 20th!

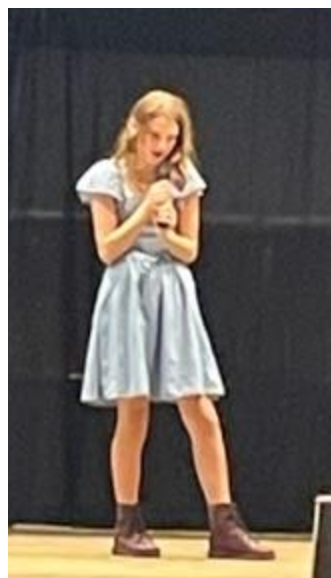


Reminder

*Field Day is on Friday, May 20th
Students in grades 1-5 will be bussed over to
Spaulding High School at 8:30 a.m. Please be
sure your child is dressed for the weather and in
comfortable clothing and SNEAKERS! Insect
repellent and sunscreen needs to be applied at
home. Each child may bring bottled water (no
glass bottles) and a snack.*



TALENT SHOW



***GREAT JOB EVERYONE!
SO MUCH TALENT!***

Thank you to
Mr. Saucier
And to Ms.
Tipton for
Organizing
The talent
Show!

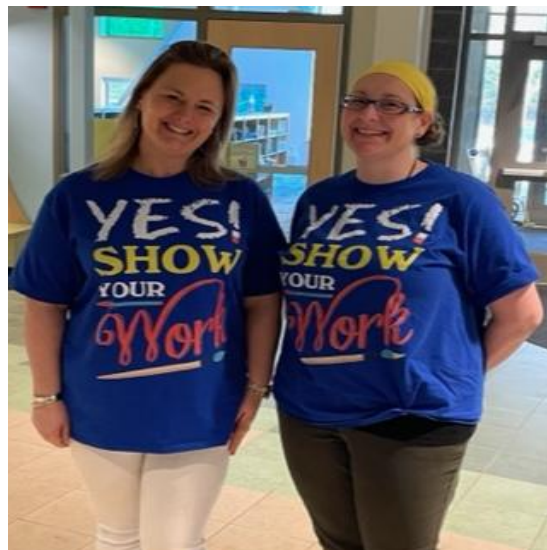
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Hello ERS Families!

May is end-of-year benchmark testing month. Throughout May, all students in grades K-5 will be administered the DIBELS end-year test to assess reading fluency and other basic literacy skills. Over the course of the month, all students in grades K-5 will also be taking the NWEA math and reading tests (see calendar below for your child's specific NWEA testing days). Please help your child be best prepared to demonstrate his/her ever-strengthening academic skills by reminding him/her of the following tidbits for testing success:



Get a good night's sleep so you are rested and ready to show all you know!




Eat a good breakfast so you have energy to do your best!




Keep a positive attitude--you CAN do this, and you will!


And don't forget these Test





Test-Taking Tips

Read the question first!
Guide your reading--know what you're looking for!

 **Break it down!**
Split words you don't know into syllables so you can read them more easily!

 **Eliminate ridiculous answers!**
Get rid of answers that don't make sense!

 **Prove it!**
Look back in the text to find the evidence for your answer!

 **Twice is nice!**
Double-check your answer!



Author!Author!Read all about it!



Portland, Maine

author-illustrator Maryann

Cocca-Leffler will be visiting our school on June 1st! She will work with three different student groups (K-1st, 2nd-3rd, 4th-5th) throughout the day, sharing a different book and its inspiration with each group.

ERS families have the opportunity to purchase Ms. Cocca-Leffler's books at a 20% discount! Books ordered by May 13th will be signed by the author and delivered on the day of the author visit! Orders will be placed and paid for through PRINT: A Bookstore out of Portland, Maine. Many of Maryann Cocca-Leffler's books are available for purchase through PRINT.

The books she is using for her presentations are the following:

Kindergarten & 1st grade:



The Power of Yet

2nd grade & 3rd grade:

Janine



4th grade & 5th grade:

We Want to Go to School!



Please use this link for ordering:

<https://www.printbookstore.com/rochester>

Be sure to use the **discount code (ROCHESTER)** and include the **school name, student name, and teacher name in the order comments** so that we can have your book signed and delivered to the correct student!

Contact Mrs. Merrigan with questions:
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