



Draytonville Elementary School

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Soundwaves Newsletter

May 2023



Important Dates

- 5/2 – SC Ready ELA Day 1 (Grades 3-5)
- 5/3 – SC Ready ELA Day 2 (Grades 3-5)
- 5/5 – School Lunch Hero Day
- 5/8 – 5/12 Teacher Appreciation Week
- 5/9 – SC Ready Math (Grades 3-5)
- 5/10 – SC Ready Science (Grade 4)
School Nurse's Day
- 5/11 – Honor Choir Spring Concert @ 6 PM
- 5/16 – KONA Ice
- 5/18 – 1st & 2nd Grade Field Day 9 AM – 11 AM
- 5/19 – 3rd & 4th Grade Field Day 9 AM – 11 AM
- 5/22 – 4K Awards Day @ 8:30 AM
5K Awards Day @ 9:30 AM
4K & 5K Field Day @ 10:30 AM
- 5/23 – 1st & 2nd Grade Awards @ 8:30 AM
3rd & 4th Grade Awards @ 9:30 AM
Student Talent Show @ 1PM
- 5/24 – 5th Grade Awards Day @ 8:30 AM
5th Grade Field Day @ 9:30 AM
½ Day - Students Dismissed @ 11:15 AM
- 5/25 - ½ Day - Students Dismissed @ 11:15 AM
Last Day for Students

Testing dates are listed below.

ELA Day 1 - Tuesday, May 2

ELA Day 2 - Wednesday, May 3

Math - Tuesday, May 9

Science - Wednesday, May 10
Grade 4 ONLY

Please do not schedule any appointments outside of school during testing.

SC READY
South Carolina College- and Career-Ready Assessments

All students in grades 3-8 will take SC READY ELA & Math.
4th grade students will also take SC READY Science.

ELECTRONICS DURING TESTING REMINDER

Students may not be in possession of any electronic devices that can be used for communicating, recording, timing, creating images, or storing images during testing. Cell phones, smart watches, and any other electronic devices will be collected by the test administrator before testing begins each day. Devices will be returned after testing materials have been returned to the school test coordinator at the end of the test session.



Friday, May 19th
1:00 PM

WE ARE INVITING GRADUATING SENIORS TO TAKE ONE FINAL WALK THROUGH THE HALLS OF YOUR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL! PLEASE WEAR YOUR CAP AND GOWN. ARRIVE BY 12:45 PM & CHECK IN AT THE OFFICE. THE WALK WILL START AT 1:00 PM. WE ARE LOOKING FORWARD TO CELEBRATING YOUR SUCCESS!



We have several items in the lost and found. Please have your child check lost and found if they have lost items during the school year. Any items not claimed by May 25th will be donated.



The 2022-2023 Report to the Parents is now available for viewing on our school website.



If you have not yet registered your four or five year old for school, Summer Make Up dates are June 1st, July 10th & August 1st from 8AM-4PM in the DO Resource Room. Please call and make your appointment by contacting Karen Henderson at 864.206.2209.



If your child has medication at school, please pick it up by May 25, 2023. Any medication not picked up by this date will be discarded. Medication may be picked up in the Nurse's Office. If you have any questions, please call the school nurse.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

May

1st - Aubrey Peeler
 2nd - Justyce Hughey
 4th - Hakeem Love
 8th - Jayden Waters
 8th - Brayden Petty
 13th - Danny Beck
 18th - Legend Posey
 19th - Olivia Fleming
 19th - Addilynn McCullough
 22nd - Bristol Wilkins
 25th - Garrett Stroupe
 26th - William Swanger
 26th - Keeland Williams
 27th - Carver Ricks



June

1st - Keely Gregory
 2nd - Kayden Fuller
 3rd - Dailen Jeter
 7th - Riley Jones
 8th - Kolton Revels
 9th - Emma Moore
 10th - Brandon Chappell
 11th - Cor'tavious Davidson
 13th - Donovan Rainey
 14th - Winter Murphy
 16th - Farrah Debets
 17th - Atom Palmado
 20th - Jaiyceon Davis
 23rd - Layla Oglesby
 23rd - Sofia Palmado
 24th - Daniel Thompson
 25th - Carter Bolin
 25th - Levi Ritchie
 26th - Jay Bryson
 28th - Waylon Waldrop
 30th - Dalton Fuller



July

3rd - Preston Moses
 3rd - Tra'Shaun Harris
 3rd - Cameron Moses
 3rd - Bentley Anthony
 3rd - Trevor Moses
 5th - Gavin Bostic
 5th - Ari Williams
 6th - Jiana Zurick
 6th - Bryson Holcomb
 6th - Charlie Carson
 7th - Coltan Childress
 8th - Noah Millen
 9th - Kelly Thompson
 10th - Brayden Cuc-Tumax
 10th - Xzoie Ramsey
 11th - DJ McAbee
 12th - Aamir Cunningham
 12th - DaLanea Hadden
 12th - MaLanea Hadden
 13th - Rocky Hadden
 14th - Ke'Andre Morgan
 17th - Corben Horton
 17th - TJ Pierce
 19th - Conner Scronce
 19th - Marie Crone
 21st - PJ Burrell
 22nd - Jayden Byrd
 22nd - Kayden Byrd
 23rd - Matthew McCullough
 24th - Nick James
 25th - Evelyn Kilgore
 25th - Malakhi Lewis
 26th - Jacob Wilson
 28th - Brayleigh Byers
 29th - Bo Carter