

FEBRUARY 2023 – 2024

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Attention reminder! Parents, just as all our students practice monthly fire and safety drills, it is important for all adults to practice vigilance. Please when entering or exiting Ford Elementary, **do not** allow others that **are not** with you in or out of the building. For safety, every individual entering our campus must go through the front door only when permitted by office staff.

<u>Registration is now open on ParentVue for the 2024-2025 school year!</u> Yearly registration confirms that Ford has the most up-to-date information for your child. Parents must **register** for the upcoming school year! Please use your ParentVue account and enroll! You will need to provide a yearly proof of residency.

Kindergarten Registration! Children who turn five years old before September 1, 2024, are eligible to enroll in our kindergarten program this fall. If you have or know of a friend or relative who have a child that they wish to enroll in full-day kindergarten, please have them contact the Ford office to learn about our Kindergarten Fair.

Attendance! Parents, please help our school and your child's teacher by contacting the office if your child is absent. You may leave a telephone message on our attendance voicemail or use your ParentVue account and submit the excused absence directly to your classroom teacher.

Breakfast! Take advantage of our breakfast program. Free breakfasts are available every school day at 7:15 AM for students that wish to eat.

Water Bottles! It is recommended that your child brings a water bottle every day. The water refill stations are open, and water bottles are encouraged. We do not have drinking fountains only refill stations.

Mark your calendar for upcoming events:

Thursday, February 8th
Friday, February 9th
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Monday, February 12th
Monday-Friday, February 12th – 16th

Tuesday, February 13th Thursday, February 22nd Friday, February 23rd Parent Conference Day – Dismissal is 10:55 AM
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Kinder Fair 11:15-12:00 PM
Student Track Begins

Scholastic Book Fair in the Library

Before School 7:15-7:30AM and After School 2:00-2:30PM

Family Literacy Night 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Rodeo Break, No School Rodeo Break, No School

Sincerely,

Ms. Johnston, Principal

"Every day is a great day to learn something."