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END OF FIRST SEMESTER/SECOND GRADING PERIOD

Students in grades K-12 will receive report cards and grades on Friday, February 4. Students will bring these home. If your child is not meeting grade level expectations they will receive a notice for possible retention. Conferences will be set up for February 16 if your child received a letter for possible retention.

OPEN CONFERENCES

If you have questions on your child's progress the next open conference date will be February 9 from 1:00 - 4:00 PM. These will start after the busses leave.

DRESS CODE REMINDERS

Students are not allowed to wear ripped jeans to school. Please have your child wear a school jacket that zips so that school shirts can be checked. Students may wear a school sweatshirt/pullover if purchased at school or on a school trip.

VALENTINE'S DAY EVENTS/

SADIE HAWKINS DANCE

The students will be having a Sadie Hawkins dance on Friday, February 11 from 9:00 – 10:30 AM for grades K-4 and from 1:30 - 3:00 PM for grades 5-12.

Students are asked to donate for the dance:

\$1.00 for grades K - 4

\$2.00 for grades 5-12

Students may also bring in \$1.00 for a high school fundraiser and wear a shirt that is pink, white or red on February 11. This shirt does not need to be a school shirt, but must be school appropriate. There will be snacks and drinks available for students to purchase during the dance.

VALENTINE'S DAY EVENTS

Teachers will be sending home information if they are planning a Valentine's Day exchange. This event will take place on February 14.

SCHOOL TRIPS

Students who have qualified for the trips will receive their trip letter on Friday, February 4. Students need to continue to meet the criteria to still qualify up to the date of the trip. These items include:

1. Complete 90% of homework including reading journal.
2. No out of school suspensions for behavior.
3. Have a good attitude and be trustworthy.
4. Attend all school AIMS and Terra Nova state tests.

STUDENTS COMING TO SCHOOL LATE

If your child is late to school after 8:00 AM please make sure that you check your child into the office for a late pass. Parents, please do not let your child go to the classroom without checking in the office.

AUTOMATED CALL SYSTEM

You will be called if your child is absent daily by an automated system. Please call the office by 8:30 AM if your child is absent. The system will also call if there are any transportation issues. Please call the office with any phone number and address changes. We are calling some parents and we do not have current phone numbers.

IMPORTANT DATES

February 1	100th Day /2nd grading period
February 4	Report Cards Home Grades K-12
February 9	Open Conferences 1:00—4:00 PM
February 11	Sadie Hawkins Dances K-12
February 16	Retention Conferences 1:00 - 4:00 PM
February 21	President's Day No School
March 1	High School AIMS Writing
March 2	High School AIMS Reading
March 14 - 25	Spring Break
April 5	High School AIMS Math
April 6	High School AIMS 10th Science
April 11 - 15	State Testing week - Grades 2-9