



Spring Creek Elementary

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December 1st, 2021

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Bonita Springs, FL 34135
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<http://spc.leeschools.net>

Title I School
Mrs. Mary Blackmon, Principal
Mrs. April Weich, Assistant Principal

Reminders



SCHOOL HOURS: 8:30 AM-3:10 PM

Important Dates in December:

- 12/3-Movie Night 5:00 PM
- 12/9-Virtual Roaring Readers Family Night
- 12/17-Early Dismissal Day @ 1:10 PM
- 12/20-12/31/2020 **WINTER BREAK NO SCHOOL**

Important Dates in January 2022:

- 1/3-**Students Return to School**
- 1/10-End of 2nd Quarter
- 1/11-Professional Duty Day
NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS
- 1/17-Martin Luther King Jr. Day **NO SCHOOL**
- 1/24-Report Cards go home

**TBA-Student Led Conferences
More Information to Follow....**

It's the Most Wonderful Time of the Year

The month of December is upon us; with that comes lots of festivities, joy, and time to reflect. Here at Spring Creek we are so thankful to have your child be a part of our school. We value the time and effort that you put into your child's education. Please know that our school is working diligently to give your child the best education they can receive. Together, our school and our parents are the perfect team! Our wishes for 2022 are to continue providing a safe, warm, loving and educational environment for learning. We hope you enjoy spending time with your loved ones. This is a great opportunity to share learning experiences like reading as a family, taking trips to the local library, and unwinding. We look forward to 2022 and all the new adventures the new year will bring. From our family to your family, we wish you Happy Holidays!

Sincerely,

Spring Creek Elementary

Parents' Bill of Rights

The Lee County School Board is committed to honoring the rights of parents and promoting parental involvement in the District. The Board recognizes the fundamental rights of parents to direct the upbringing, education, and care of their minor children. To view the complete Parents' Bill of Rights please visit the following website:
leeschools.net/parent_portal/parents_bill_of_rights

Counselor's Corner

Dear Parents,
As the second semester approaches please know that students will be participating in the **Safer, Smarter Kids** prevention education program. This program will be hosted by Mrs. Grossi, our school counselor. For more information regarding this prevention education program please visit www.laurenskids.org. Thank you, Mrs. Grossi.

Parent Involvement

Winter Break is the perfect time to read and review all the work your child has learned during the first semester. Some things to work on during break include:

- * Sight Words
- * Letter Names and Letter Sounds
- * Addition & Subtraction Facts
- * Multiplication Facts

When reading with your child here are some questions to ask:

- What did you like most about the story? What did you like least?
- What would you change about the story? Why?
- What is something you learned?

Certifications

Faculty Members Continue Education

Florida State Statute 1012.42 recognizes that teachers, at times must be assigned duties in classes outside the field in which the teacher is certified. As of December 1st, 2021, the following teachers at Spring Creek Elementary are certified but may be assigned one or more classes outside of their areas of certification and are required to take appropriate steps to comply with the statutory regulation:
Molly Conlon and Kathryn Severine

Also, as of December 1st, 2021, the following faculty members are engaged in training to add the endorsement English as a Second Language (ESOL) to their current certificate: Jennifer Catone, Molly Conlon, Chelsey Faber, Christine Grossi, Carisa Hall, Michelle Lewis, Lauren Rodgers-Rivera, Kristen Sebetic

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