AFPCS PARENT NEWSLETTER



01 January 2025



BRIAN CAMERON-PRINCIPAL

We trust everyone had a restful and relaxing break! Reminder that all laptops and logs/packets should be returned to school on January 6th.

We are beginning our intensive PSSA prep. PSSA are three short months away. Students will begin with PSSA and test prep during the center portion of their WIN period. The goal here is to prepare them academically and through mental stamina for high stakes testing come April.

Progress Reports will come out to parents on January 13th.

Science Benchmarks will take place from 1/14-1/16 for grades 4, 5, 7 and 8.



STACEY SCOTT - CEO

IHappy New Year AFPCS Families.

Hopefully, you are taking time this season to enjoy family and friends and embrace the spirit of love and giving.

Now is also the time to reflect on the blessings of the past year and look forward to a new year of life and prosperity.

Did you get a chance to see us on the local and national news broadcasts? Alliance was 1 of 3 schools that received media coverage with the Eagles organization and Operation Snowball. It was a fantastic event and each of our students received a gift from the Eagles. We hope they are enjoying it.

As we look forward to new blessings in January 2025, we want to gently remind you of the following:

- January 6th- School resumes on Monday, January 6th. Breakfast will be served from 7:50 - 8:05 am. Please make sure your little ones arrive during that time to receive a full breakfast. We will not serve breakfast at 8:05 am except for bus students.
- Attentendance- One of the most important componets of your child's sucuess. It is externely important for your child to come to school each day and on time. Our instuctional day starts promplty at 8:15 am each day!
- Winter Packet requirements All grades have been given directives on completing their holiday packets:

-K-8 - iReady- 45 minutes in ELA and Math (for those who have selected to use devices). Students must engage iReady Thursday, December 26th through Tuesday, December 31st, and January 2nd and 3rd.

-K-8- Packets- Each grade has been given a packet of work to be completed. (for those who have selected this option). Students must complete 100% of the packet and return it by Monday, January 6th in order to get credit.

We love and appreciate you and your children. We want the absolute best for every child and we're here to provide it.

Have a happy and safe New Year! Welcome to 2025!

Sincerely, S. Scott



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IMPORTANT JANUARY DATES

- Jan 6th School Resumes
- Jan 8th -Grade Career Readiness Requirements begin
- Jan 13th -Progress Reports
- Jan 14th -16th -Science Benchmarks will take place from for grades 4, 5, 7 and 8.
- Jan 20th -MLK Day School and Offices closed
- Jan 21st -Kinder Payments Due
- Jan 27th -Kinder testing window 1/27 -2/27
- Jan 31st Full Staff Professional Development Day - School closed

IMPORTANT REMINDERS-FROM NURSE IRVING

PLEASE MAKE SURE THAT YOUR CHILD/REN HAS AN UPDATED PHYSICAL AND DENTAL IF DATED BEFORE JULY IST. THIS **MUST** BE DONE BEFORE YOUR CHILD/REN RETURNS TO SCHOOL ON JANUARY 6TH. ANY QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS PLEASE DON'T HESITATE TO REACH OUT TO NURSE IRVING OR NURSE SMITH @NURSE@AFPCS.ORG



DIRECTOR OF HR- MS. WATKINS

AFPCS is looking to expand our team. We are currenly hiring for the following positions:

EXL Teachers Para professionals 1:1 Building substitutes 3rd Grade Teacher

Please send resumes to: <u>hr@afpcs.org</u>