Southgate Elementary IB PYP World School

School Hours: 8:00-2:25 Office Hours: 7:15-3:15 Mr. Greubel, Principal Ms. Tuscano, Assistant Principal



News at a Glance



Thank you to everyone who attended our recent Math Night to discover "Where's Math in the Kitchen". It was wonderful to have families in our building to enjoy working through real life math activities.

As we have completed the first two marking periods and enter the second semester of the school year, we look forward to reporting as well as discussing student progress. Report cards became available through Parent Portal for our Pre-K – 5th grade students on February 3. If you do not have access to Parent Portal, please contact our school office. We will be happy to help you setup an account. Parent Teacher Conferences are scheduled for the 2-hour late arrival on March 2nd and 2-hour early dismissal on March 3rd. Although the staff of Southgate Elementary meet with families throughout the year, we will be meeting with select families on this day to share progress, discuss concerns, and make plans for future growth.

We would like to thank all the families and community members that supported Southgate during the recent Boosterthon. Thanks to your support, our staff is now meeting and interviewing students to purchase items to support our recess experience and student incentives.

During the month of February, we are conducting an attendance challenge called "We Love Having You Here". The class with the highest attendance rate from each grade will be invited to participate in an extra celebration on February 17.

This month students are completing the mid-year Math iReady diagnostic. The results of this diagnostic will show student progress in math and support teachers with planning for meaningful instruction. We are excited to celebrate student progress!



Our Lost 'N Found is overflowing. If your student is missing a coat, hat, or lunchbox, please have them look in the Lost 'N Found. Labeling items helps those missing items get returned to their rightful owners.

Upcoming Events

February 8

2hr Early Dismissal

(@12:25)

February 6 -17

iReady Math Diagnostic

All Grades

February 20

School and Central Office Closed – Presidents Day

March 2

2hr Late Arrival

(@10:00 am)

March 3

2hr Early Dismissal

(@ 12:25 pm)

March 29

2hr Early Dismissal (@12:25 pm) Unity Day

March 30 & 31

2hr Early Dismissal

(@12:25 pm)

April 3-7, 10

Schools Closed for Easter/Spring Break

April 21

Schools Closed

Eid al-Fitr

May 25,26

School Closed for

ECI, PreK and Kindergarten

ONLY - Conferences

Joke of the Month

What did the volcano say to his mother? REMINDER: STUDENTS MUST BE IN THEIR SEATS AND READY TO LEARN AT 8:00 A.M. IF YOUR CHILD/CHILDREN ARE LATE, AN ADULT MUST SIGN THEM INTO THE OFFICE.

If your child/children are in need of a Chromebook, please reach out to Mrs. Argubright in the office at 410-582-4900 or

hargubright@aacps.org.

Once the request is made, an electronic User Argreement will be sent. After the User Agreement is returned, the Chromebook will be issued to the child.

When sending emails or Class Dojo messages regarding changes in dismissal procedures for your child, please cc Jmclaren@aacps.org or hargubright@aacps.org.

If your child/children's teacher is absent for the day, the time sensitive information may not be shared with your student.

If you have any questions, please reach out.



Lunch Times

PK & K 10:00 -10:30

1st Grade 10:35 - 11:05

5th Grade 11:10 - 11:40

4th Grade 11:45 – 12:15

2nd Grade 12:20 - 12:50

3rd Grade 12:55 - 1:25





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iReady Math Diagnostic February 6th - 17th

All Southgate Students will take iReady Math Diagnostic in February. This diagnostic testing shows students strengths and weaknesses in Math. The information helps guide teachers/staff on how to best support your student.

Answer to Joke of the Month

I lava you!

Don't forget to complete your Background Check, if you plan on volunteering and/or attending your child/childrens field trip this year. Click on the link to start the process. https://onboard.inquiriesscreening.com/gen/inquiries/



Did you know that your child has access to **FIRST IN MATH**, an online program to help practice and master basic mathematical skills? This program can be accessed on your child's chromebook anytime!

Scan this QR code or click the link to learn more about this program and how it can help your child master their basic math facts!

Parent Welcome Page



Scan this QR code to learn more about the **FAMILY LINK** ,component that allows all family members to participate!

Family Link



Questions? Email Mrs. Nevy at hnevy@aacps.org or text/call the google voice number (302)-464-0298

FIRST IN MATH

Southgate Elementary School Glen Burnie, MD School ID: 10485

Hello Parents,

This year we are partnering with SchoolStore.com to raise funds for essential tools our students and teachers need to succeed. SchoolStore's program is 100% online so there is no selling or handling of money or products. Your participation is easy with no more than 12 minutes of your time required, and there is a nice prize program available to make this a fun experience.

Here is all you need to do for our program to succeed.

- 1. Scan the QR code or go to schoolstore.net and sign up using our school ID: 10485
- Send form emails inviting family, friends, and co-workers to support your student.
- 3. Return the Envelope with the Student Prize Code for your child to get their really fun participation prize.



Here are three ways your family, friends, and co-workers can help our school.

- Make a 100% tax-deductible donation to your child's classroom with the purchase of a CaringForClassrooms.org gift card for your child's teacher to use for classroom supplies and equipment.
- 2. Shop online at The Family Book Store for wrapping paper, magazines, popcorn, cookbooks and more. We earn up to 50% of their purchase.
- 3. Shop online with over 400 major merchants like Walmart, Kohl's, Best Buy, Disney, and more. We earn a small percentage of their purchase.

With a few minutes of your time, SchoolStore is the easiest and safest way for our teachers and school to earn money for materials to enhance your child's education.

Thank you so very much for your participation. Southgate Elementary School

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Hola Padres

Este año nos asociamos con SchoolStore.com para recaudar fondos para herramientas esenciales que nuestros estudiantes y maestros necesitan para tener éxito. El programa de SchoolStore es 100% en Ilnea, por lo que no hay venta ni manejo de dinero o productos. Su participación es fácil, no se requieren más de 12 minutos de su tiempo, y hay un excelente programa de premios disponible para hacer de esta una experiencia divertida.

Esto es todo lo que necesita hacer para que nuestro programa tenga éxito.

- Escanea el código QR o ve a <u>schoolstore.net</u> e inscríbete usando nuestra identificación escolar: 10485
- 2. Envíe correos electrónicos de formulario invitando a familiares, amigos y compañeros de trabajo para apoyar a su estudiante.
- 3. Devuelva el sobre (envoltura) con el código del premio del estudiante, para que su hijo obtenga su premio de participación.



Aquí hay tres formas en que su familia, amigos y compañeros de trabajo pueden ayudar

- Haga una donación 100 % deducible de impuestos al salón de clases de su hijo con la compra de una tarjeta de regalo de <u>CaringForClassrooms.org</u> para que el maestro de su hijo la use para útiles y equipos del salón de clases.
- Compre en línea en The Family Book Store papel de regalo, revistas, palomitas de maíz, libros de cocina y más. Ganamos hasta el 50% por su comora
- Compre en línea con más de 400 comerciantes importantes como Walmart, Kohl's, Best Buy, Disney y más. Ganamos un pequeño porcentaje de su compra.

Con unos minutos de su tiempo, SchoolStore es la forma más fácil y segura para que nuestros maestros y la escuela ganen dinero para materiales que mejoren la educación de su hijo.

Muchas gracias por su participación. Southgate Elementary School Hello everyone! My name is Lisa DeLuca, and I am the new Southgate Elementary PTA president, and mom to Jackson(4th), Nolan(2nd), and Asher(K). I am so excited to meet everyone, and I hope to continue fun and educational PTA events. In order to be successful, we need your help! Please consider joining the PTA so together we can build a strong community for our children. Our next meeting is Tuesday, February 21st at 5:30pm in the media center. Hope to see you there!

Up Coming Events: March 16, 2023 - Family Bingo – More information coming soon!



Check out Southgate's PTA



https://sites.google.com/view/southgatepta290/home