

## 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

2023

### Upcoming Events

#### November 1

School Closed for Student

#### November 5

Time Change

#### November 8

PTA Meeting @ 5:30 pm  
Media Center

#### November 6, 7 & 8

CogAT Testing (2<sup>nd</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> only)

#### November 13 – 17

Southgate Spirit Week

#### November 20, 21

Schools closed for students.  
Parent/Teacher  
Conferences

#### November 22-24

Schools and Central Offices  
Closed -Thanksgiving Holiday

#### November 28-

Picture Retake

#### December 5 – Unity Day

2hr Early dismissal  
(@12:25)

#### December 25-Jan 1

Schools Closed  
Christmas/Winter Break  
Central Offices closed:

#### January 15

School and Central  
Offices Closed – MLK

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@SouthgateTigers



Wow! It is hard to believe that we have completed the first marking period of the 2023-2024 school year. Thank you to staff, students, and families for making the opening to this school year GREAT! Students are making positive relationships with staff and peers and making progress towards our instructional goals. This year, we are focused on supporting students' ability to justify their thinking in written form.

AACPS will be closed for students on November 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> for Parent Teacher Conferences. Conferences are available to all families and will be held virtually during these days. Please be on the lookout for an invitation letter from your child's teacher to sign up for a time to meet. We encourage all families to regularly check grades on Parent Portal, keep in contact with their child's teacher, and ask any questions you have to support our students in reaching their academic and social goals.

We would like to thank our PTA for hosting Halloween in the Halls and all the families who attended this event. We had a great turnout, and students had a blast trick or treating, shopping the bookfair, and dancing with friends to some spooky hits! As this was the first time our PTA hosted this event, we would love your feedback on how to continue to plan opportunities for families to engage in after school events. Please join us at our next PTA meeting on November 8 at 5:30pm in the Media Center.

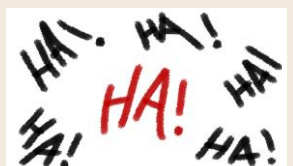
As we experience cooler weather, please remind your students to bring home hats, gloves, jackets, etc. as our Lost and Found continues to grow. Students are encouraged to check the Lost and Found for missing items.

Congratulations to the classes who won our October Attendance Challenge. These students will be rewarded with a class incentive of their choice. Please discuss with your child how their class celebrates school attendance. We will host our next attendance challenge during the month of December.



- Should your child need to be picked up for an early dismissal by someone other than a parent/guardian, please send in a note specifying who will be picking the child up from school. This will help us alleviate calls and interruptions to your workday.
- When your child is out sick, please send in a note when they return.
- We continue to ask all early dismissals happen before 2:00 p.m.

If you have any questions, please give us a call @ 410-582-4900 or email [hargubright@aacps.org](mailto:hargubright@aacps.org).



### Joke of the Month

What do  
sweet  
potatoes wear  
to bed?

Joke of the Month  
Answer:  
Yammies!



Mark the Calendar  
Report Cards will be sent via  
email on November 10, 2023.  
Once the link is sent, it stays  
valid for 10 days.



Our Lost 'N Found is overflowing! Please have your student check for any missing items. Also, remember to put your child's name on their coats, sweaters, lunch boxes and water bottles.

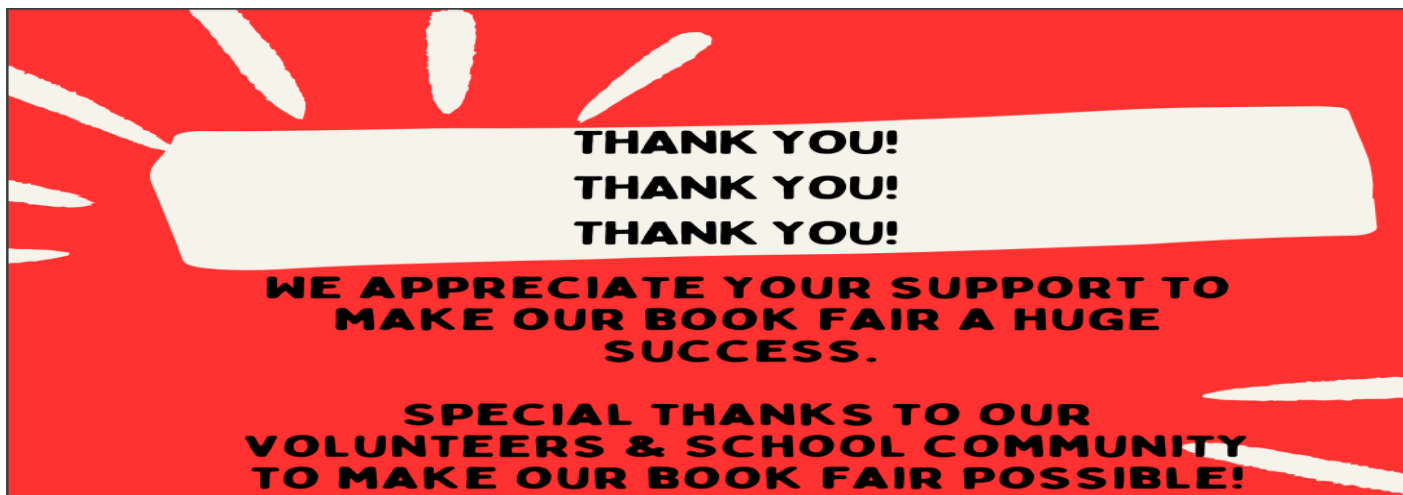
## Joe Corbi Pizza Pickup

Thursday, November 9, 2023

3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

All items must be picked up on November 9th.





The next meeting is Wednesday, November 8, 2023 @ 5:30PM in the school library. ALL are welcome!

Facebook Event Link: <https://www.facebook.com/events/7089595554424428>

Google Meet Virtual Link: <https://meet.google.com/pyb-xzhx-gbp>

All PTA information and updates will be communicated through these platforms, in addition to fliers home for events. Additionally, messages may be sent by the school as a method to boost communication if needed.

PTA Website: [www.southgatepta290.com/](http://www.southgatepta290.com/)

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/southgateptagb>

Instagram: <https://www.instagram.com/sgepta290/>

Email: [southgatepta290@gmail.com](mailto:southgatepta290@gmail.com)

If you would like to join the PTA or become a Board Member, please use the following links:

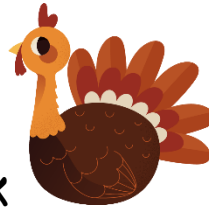
Join the PTA: <https://southgatepta.memberhub.com/store>

Become a PTA Board Member: <https://signup.com/go/iWwdqXf>



# Southgate Elementary

## Fall Spirit Week November 13th-17th



*LET'S COUNTDOWN TO FALL BREAK WITH A FUN SPIRIT WEEK.*

**Monday November 13,2023 -Fall Colors**

*(Wear fall colors such as red, brown, green, purple, or orange)*

**Tuesday November 14,2023- Class Colors** 

*(Wear your class voted color)*



**Wednesday November 15,2023-**

**Workout Wednesday** *(Wear your favorite workout outfit)*



**Thursday November 16, 2023- Sports Day**

*(Rock your favorite team's colors, t-shirt, or jersey)*



**Friday November 17, 2023- Funky Friday**

*(Wear your craziest mixed match outfit and hairstyle)*

Hello Parents,

I want to personally thank all the families who have already participated in our SchoolStore fundraiser! We are on our way to reaching our goal, but we need everyone's help to make sure our teachers get the essential tools they need to help our students succeed.

If your family has not participated, there's still time!

This safe and easy fundraiser is 100% online so there is no face-to-face selling, collecting money, or delivering products. Your child will receive a prize just for participating, and more prizes will be awarded when goals are reached.

Please help now. It really will make a difference.

Go to <https://www.schoolstore.net/sid.t?0000010485> to show our valued teachers your support.

Thanks  
Southgate Elementary School

P.S. Family participation is the key to our success, and we are counting on you!

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**
2. 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.**

1. 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 línea, 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.**

1. Escanea el código QR o ve a [schoolstore.net](http://schoolstore.net) 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 a nuestra escuela.**

1. Haga una donación 100 % deducible de impuestos al salón de clases de su hijo con la compra de una tarjeta de regalo de [CaringForClassrooms.org](http://CaringForClassrooms.org) para que el maestro de su hijo la use para útiles y equipos del salón de clases.
2. 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 compra.
3. 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**