



SINCLAIR STARGAZER

Sinclair Elementary Newsletter

May 2018

A Message from the Principal

Parents

In a few short weeks the 2017-2018 school year will be coming to a close and our May calendar is very busy, so please take a few minutes to look over the events that we have planned as I'm sure you don't want to miss being on campus to celebrate and support your child's accomplishments this year.

With so many visitors expected to be on campus the last weeks of school, I'm asking that we all please be patient and keep the safety of all children in mind. Visitors will be expected to follow procedures for signing in and be expected to follow posted parking and traffic regulations. Please be respectful of our neighbors and travel with the mindset that a few minutes added to your time as you drive a bit slower, adhere to parking ordinances or wait a few minutes in line to sign in is an easy price to pay to ensure the safety of all our students.

The decision has been made to have Kidventure as the after school provider in the upcoming school year. Information about registration, pricing, extra classes and all that Kidventure offers will be forthcoming. Please keep on eye on our website for information about our new after school provider.

On a personal note I would like to extend my sincere gratitude to all parents and students. Each morning as I stand at the door and welcome our students I'm filled with pride and joy to be able to once again be part of Sinclair Elementary. It is a true pleasure to be able to work with such a dedicated staff, to have such giving parents and to share my days with student's whose generosity of spirit makes me smile every morning. Thank you parents and students for welcoming me back and granting me the opportunity to once again serve the Sinclair Community.

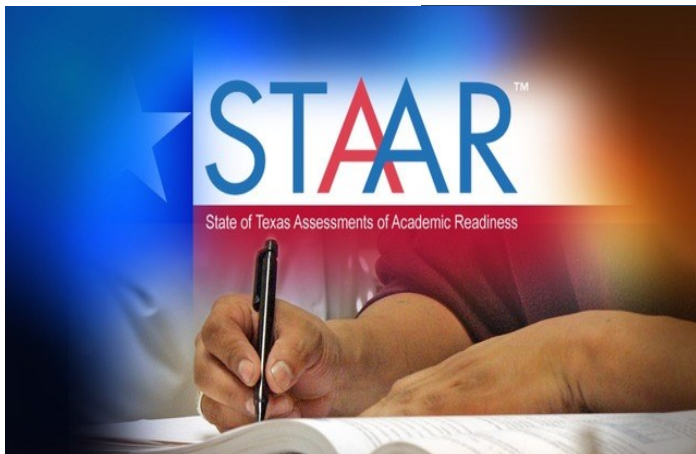
L. Mashburn, Principal Sinclair Elementary

*In the depth of
winter, I finally
learned that
within me there
lay an invincible
summer.*

*-Albert
Camus*

*Green was the
silence, wet was
the light,
the month of
June trembled
like a butterfly....*

~Pablo Neruda



STAAR Testing :

May 14th	3rd and 4th Grade Math
May 15th	3rd and 4th Grade Reading
May 16th	5th Grade Science

Please make sure students arrive on campus by 7:45.
Campus will be closed to visitors on STAAR testing

MAY-JUNE

EVENT HIGHLIGHTS

May 4th

Kinder Field Trip
Miller Outdoor Theater

May 4th

Cinco de Mayo Dance Performance
6:00PM @ Cafeteria

May 7th-May 11th

Teacher Appreciation Week!

May 7th

Jr. Cheer Squad Party
3:30PM-5:30PM

May 9th

Sr. Cheer Squad Party
3:30PM-5:30PM

May 11th

Spirit Afternoon—KONA ICE
3:30PM-5:30PM @ Sinclair parking lot

Jump rope for Heart

6:00PM-8:30PM @ Sinclair Fields

May 13th

Happy Mother's Day!

May 14th

3rd-4th Gr. MATH STAAR TEST

5th Gr. MATH STAAR RETAKE

NO VISITORS ON CAMPUS

May 15th

3rd-4th Gr. READING STAAR TEST

5th Gr. READING STAAR RETAKE

NO VISITORS ON CAMPUS

May 16th

5th Gr. SCIENCE STAAR TEST

NO VISITORS ON CAMPUS

May 17th

2nd Grade Field Trip
Main Street Theater

Spirit Night!

4:00PM-8:00PM @ Chick-Fil-A on 610

May 18th

Field Day!

8:30AM-2:30PM @ Sinclair Fields

May 22nd

4th Grade Field Trip

Museum of Natural Science

May 24th

Spring Program/PTO Meeting

6:00PM @ Cafeteria

May 25th

Superstar Showcase!

Pre-K-1st Grade

2:00PM-3:00PM

May 28th

Memorial Day-No School!

May 29th

Awards Ceremony | 1st-4th Grade

8:20AM-10:00AM @ Cafeteria

5th Grade Field Trip

Kemah Boardwalk

May 30th

Superstar Showcase!

2nd-5th Grade

2:00PM-3:00PM

May 31st

Class EOY Celebrations

Pre-K-4th Grade

Awards Ceremony

Pre-K & Kinder

8:20AM-10:00AM @ Cafeteria

June 1st

5th Grade Ceremony

9:00AM-10:00AM @ Cafeteria

Report Cards—All Grades

Magnet/Vanguard Coordinator Message

Our Superstar Showcase is scheduled on Friday, May 25th for Pre-K—1st grade. Projects will be on display in the hallways and classrooms from 2:00 pm to 3:00 pm. 2nd—5th grade is scheduled for Wednesday, May 30th. Projects will be on display in the hallways, classrooms and in the cafeteria from 2:00 pm—3:00 pm. Parents are invited to be on campus to help celebrate our student's work.

Our 5th grade students recently took a field trip to United Airlines Hub at Hobby Airport. Students were given a tour of hangers, planes and got to see behind the scenes up close. This was all made possible because of a SuperStar parent, Mr. Mamoon Khawaja. Thank you Mr. Khawaja for taking the time to make this trip happen!

Please feel free to reach out to me at Rebecca.Nielsen@HoustonISD.org with questions/concerns regarding any of these communications.

A message from the PTO

Thank you to Alexandra Berry of Greenwood King Realtors and everyone who helped to make the spring book fair and campus movie night an overwhelming success!

All teachers were able to have their library wish lists fulfilled and then some.

Save the date for our next PTO meeting on Thursday, May 24 at 6pm just before the spring program. Pizza and other snacks will be available for purchase prior to the meeting.

Please help us in welcoming our newly elected PTO officers for the 2018-19 school year:

President - Adrienne Thorp

Vice President - Colin Taylor

Secretary - Kim Ludlow

Treasurer - Traci Riley

Have an idea? We'd love to hear it!

Email us, President@sinclairpto.org