

Congratulations to our 8th Grade Team for their hard work and achievements for the Teacher Incentive Allotment Designations; Ms. Sdao- Master Teacher, Coach G- Recognized Teacher and Mrs. Cat- Exemplary Teacher.



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*"If you look behind
every exceptional
person there is an
exceptional teacher."*

- Stephen Hawking



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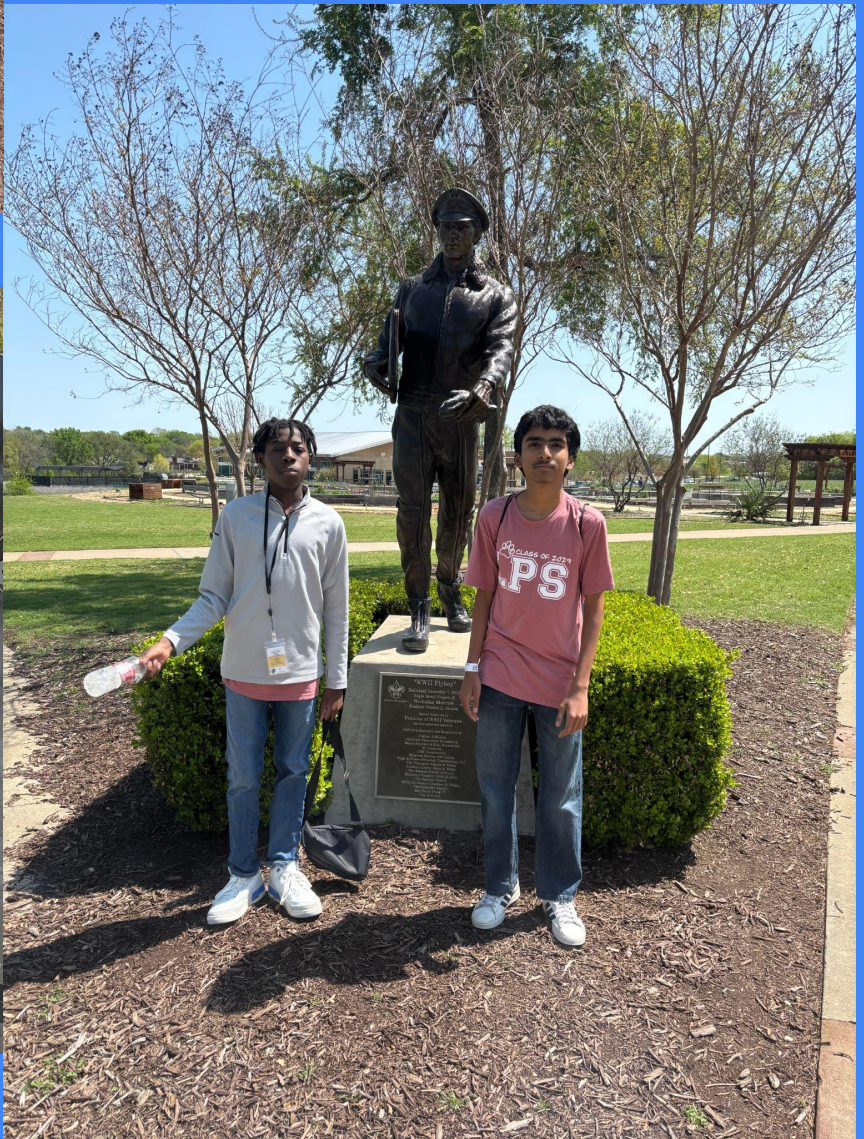


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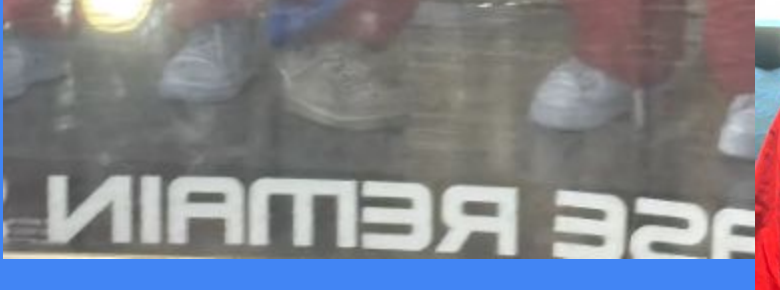














ELAR: Tori Sdao tsdao@LPSFrisco.com

We are now in our last unit of the year. Both the on-level and advanced classes are reading historical fiction novels about World War II. We will be reading, analyzing, researching, and writing. The advanced class will be creating museum exhibits that will be visited by the other 8th grade ELAR classes. On the DC/NYC trip, we visited the American Holocaust Museum. Their website will be used for research on information.

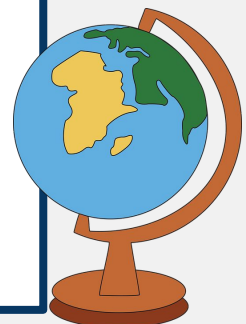
**Math:** Vendetta Hardy vhardy@lpsfrisco.com

We will be working on STAAR review with a focus on Geometry and measurement

On level) Staar Review with a focus on linear functions Algebra 1

**SS:** Christyn Gossett cgossett@LPSFrisco.com

We will be going over the STAAR for our History STAAR test. Please make sure your student is getting enough rest before the test. We are almost there to the end of our finish line, let's keep going on strong!



Science: Stephanie Catalan scatalan@LPSFrisco.com

Students will identify how global patterns of atmospheric movement influence local weather using weather maps that show pressure and frontal systems. "A change in the weather is sufficient to recreate the world and ourselves." - Marcel Proust



Electives



Band: Michael Stone mstone@LPSFrisco.com

Please email me if you have any questions about what we are doing in class!

Theatre: Brianna Lewallen blewallen@LPSFrisco.com

Students will work on their storytelling skills using their voice, and body language. They will explore children's stories, commercials, and newscasts to help their exploration.

Art: Brooklynn Houston bhouston@lpsfrisco.com

Continuing with fiber art, they will now be sewing hacky sacks! This will develop their hand/eye coordination and fine motor skills. We will take the skills they learn from this and apply it to learning how to sew little stuffed animals!

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PRINC A/V (7/8) DIGITAL ART & ANIM : Jared Dubose jdubose@lpsfrisco.net

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FUND COM SCI (7/8) PRINC A/V (6-8): Parag Mahalley pmahalley@lpsfrisco.com

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Reminders/Important Info

- Stay up to date with LPS Activities by checking out their Calendar that is on the LPS Website! [Linked here.](#)
- Please check the Big Rocks Calendar for due dates and school events! This is in your child's Google Calendar.
- [Please refer to the Parent/Student Handbook.](#)
- If your child has not finished any MAP test or class quizzes/tests please have your child attend tutoring!
- Please check your child's chromebook. They should NOT be taking the case off. Nothing should be touching the computer except for the case. Any stickers need to be ON the case. No wrappers, sticky notes, or pictures should be under the case.
- [Student Ascender Portal Linked Here](#) (To See Grades!)
- [Parent Ascender Portal Linked Here](#) (To See Grades!)

Helper Helper

- Please read the Helper Helper guidelines in the Parent Student Handbook (pp.87-90).
- If your student is new to LPS this year, then please have them send their full name and grade from their school email address to helperhelper@lpsfrisco.net. When the student's Helper Helper account is set up then they will receive an email to their school email account from info@helperhelper.com with a temporary password.
- Questions? Please email helperhelper@lpsfrisco.net


LPS Calendar of the next 2 weeks

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
20	21 4:30p - 7:00p + HS Volleyball Tryouts 7:00p - 8:30p + Varsity Boys Baseball Game (Away #163)	22 Math STAAR & Algebra I EOC - Secondary + 5:00p - 6:00p + Middle School Baseball Game (Away #168)	23 4:30p - 7:00p + HS Volleyball Tryouts	24 Progress Reports Posted + 5:00p - 6:00p + Middle School Baseball Game (Away #184) 5:00p - 6:00p + Varsity Boys Baseball Game (Away #183)	25 Regional Track Meet +	26 Heartland Music Festival +
27	28	29	30	1	2	3
	E.O.Y. Map Window +					
	Senior DOL Presentations +					
				Class Shirt & + Jeans Day - Secondary + Spring Pep + Rally + 5:00p - 6:30p + Varsity Boys Baseball Game (Away #161)	Staff + Development - No School + 7:00p - 9:00p + "HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL" PRODUCTION	Track State + Meet + 12:00p - 2:00p + "HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL" PRODUCTION + 6:00p - 8:00p + "HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL" PRODUCTION

LPS Calendar [Linked here.](#)

Dresscode

- [Please refer to the Parent/Student Handbook.](#)

Shirts 5th-12th		Short and long sleeve shirts must be white, navy or forest green collared shirts. High school students may also choose a black collared shirt. Shirts must be solid in color with no insignia or logos except for the LPS logo. If a long sleeve undershirt is worn under a short sleeve shirt, it must be solid white, navy or forest green.
Pants		Pants and shorts for all students (and capris for girls) are to be khaki-colored or navy and made of cotton twill material (no yoga, cargo, joggers, or athletic-type pants). A solid black or brown belt must be worn if there are belt loops. Shorts may be no more than 2 inches above the knee. Pants are to be worn at the natural waistline and hems of pants must not touch the floor. No pajamas or pajama bottoms are allowed.
Skirts/Skorts/ Jumpers		Girls may also wear khaki or navy skirts/skorts, and girls in K-4 may wear khaki or navy jumpers as well. The length must be no shorter than four inches above the floor when kneeling, and solid navy modesty shorts are to be worn underneath skirts/skorts/jumpers at all times.

Any jackets, sweatshirts, etc are NOT allowed to have hoodies attached.

Any outerwear is also NOT allowed to have any logos.

If your child is wearing a skirt please make sure it is no shorter than 4 inches above their knees.

Dresscode (continued)

Socks/Tights		<p>If socks are worn, only solid white, black, or navy socks may be worn. Girls may also wear solid white or navy tights or leggings underneath skirts/skorts/jumpers. Tights must be from toes to waist. Leggings can go the ankle if worn underneath skirts/skorts/jumpers.</p>
Shoes	 	<p>Shoes must be worn at all times. Only closed-toed, closed-heel shoes with non-marking soles are allowed. Shoes must be predominantly white, black, brown, grey-or navy (can be athletic, loafer style, or dress shoes). Shoes with shoelace holes must have shoelaces. Shoelace color must be white, navy or neutral and in good repair. No flip-flops, sandals, slippers, clogs, crocs, wheelies, light up shoes, platform shoes, wedges, or boots of any kind are allowed. Tennis shoes must be worn in PE. Heel height shall not be more than 1 inch.</p>
Outerwear		<p>Sweaters, sweatshirts or jackets worn indoors must be in keeping with the school's color scheme (solid white, navy or khaki [or forest green in grades 5 and up]) or black or gray. They must not have any lettering or logos other than the LPS logo. No outerwear with hoods will be allowed to be worn indoors (Hoodies are not allowed). Spirit crew neck sweatshirts may be worn with uniform shirt collar visibly worn outside of the sweatshirt.</p>

Dresscode (continued)

Jean Day Guidelines

The Principal may occasionally designate casual clothing days (uniform free). Casual clothing or jean day dress must meet the requirements of the LPS dress code.

- Pants must be worn at the natural waist.
- Shorts must be the same length as uniform shorts.
- Clothing must not be worn too tightly or oversized.
- No midriffs or short skirts.
- No shirts with logos or words as specified under Uniform Guidelines.
- No tank tops or spaghetti straps.
- No flip-flop sandals, no open-toed/open heel shoes, no heel height of more than 1 inch
- No puffy jackets/vest.
- Rules from handbook regarding jewelry, makeup, and hair apply.
- Students should wear only blue denim jeans, shorts or skirts. There should not be any printed logos or emblems on jeans.
- Torn jeans or jeans with holes are not acceptable.
- Leggings may only be worn under uniform skirts.