

6th Grade Newsletter

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Please email me for details on what we will be doing in class!



Math: Caley Kays ckays@LPSFrisco.com
On level-
Unit 3: Operations with Positive Fractions &

Decimals

<u>Advanced</u>- Unit 3: Understanding Rational Numbers & Unit 4: Operations with Rational Numbers.

<u>Optional</u>: If your child would like extra support/practice they are welcome to take textbook pages home. They will need pages 59-88.

SS: Paul Strickland pstrickland@LPSFrisco.com
Good day LPS Family. For the next weeks students will be and have already started on Unit 2. The focuses are U.S. and Canada geography features, government structures for each countries, and history/economic influences. As always check students Google Classrooms for due and upcoming assignment. Feel free to email me with any questions or concerns you may have. Have a great day!



Science: Brent Knudtson bknudtson@lpsfrisco.com
Over the next three weeks my sixth grade science students will be investigating and identifying the physical properties of matter. They will also be distinguishing the difference between pure substances, homogeneousness mixtures (solutions) and heterogeneous mixtures. First quarter test will given at the end of the three weeks.



Electives



Students will be competing in the Lion games! They will be in small groups competing in various active challenges. Points from each event will be tallied up throughout the games and the winning group will be receiving a fun prize! The lion games will be emphasizing teamwork and building a strong sense of community and sportsmanship.

Teen Leadership: Reanna Leblanc <u>rleblanc@LPSFrisco.com</u>
Students will understand the difference between a growth and a fixed mindset. Students will be able to explain the value of a growth mindset and create an action plan for applying maximizing paradigms about themselves to a challenging situation.

Theatre: Brianna Lewallen <u>blewallen@LPSFrisco.com</u>

We will be continuing our study of stage directions and blocking. This will lead us into learning how to act using monologues and acting in a scene.

Tech Apps: Raymond Jaksa rjaksa@LPSFrisco.com

Computational thinking--foundations. The student explores the core concepts of computational thinking, a set of problem-solving processes that involve decomposition, pattern recognition, abstraction, and algorithms.

Reminders/Important Info

- Stay up to date with LPS Activities by checking out their Calendar that is on the LPS Website! <u>Linked here.</u>
- 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 |
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| 22 | 23 5:00p - 6:00p + MS C VB Game (Home) 5:00p - 6:00p + MS A VB Game (Away) 6:00p - 7:30p + Varsity Boys VB Game (Home) 6:00p - 7:00p + LPS School Board Meeting 6:00p - 7:00p + JV VB Game (Away) 7:30p - 9:00p + Varsity Girls VB Game (Away) | 24 5:00p - 6:00p + MS B FF Game (Home) 6:00p - 7:00p + MS A FF Game (Home) 6:00p - 7:30p + Varsity Syls Syls VB Game (Home) 7:00p - 8:00p + JV FF Game (Home) | 7:10a - 7:40a + See You at the Pole 6:30p - 8:00p + Varsity Boys VB Game (Away) | 26 5:00p - 6:00p + M5 C VB Game (Away) 5:00p - 6:00p + JV FF Game (Home) 5:30p - 6:30p + M5 B VB Game (Away) 6:00p - 7:00p + Varsity FF Game (Home) | 27 Staff + Development - No School 5:30p - 6:30p + JV VB Game (Home) | 28 6:30a - 12:30p+ HS VB Community Outreach |
| 29 | New Student + Orientation 5:00p - 6:00p + MS C VB Game (Away) 5:00p - 6:00p + MS A VB Game (Away) 5:30p - 7:00p + Varsity Boys VB Game (Away) 6:00p - 7:00p + JV VB Game (Away) 7:30p - 9:00p + Varsity Girls VB Game (Away) | Tentative + Homecoming Pep Rally 5:00p - 6:00p + MS B FF Game (Home) 5:30p - 6:30p + JV FF Game (Away) 6:00p - 7:00p + MS A FF Game (Home) 7:00p - 8:00p + Varsity FF Game (Home) | PSAT/NMSQT + (10th/11th Grade) Custodian + Appreciation Day 5:00p - 6:00p + MS C VB Game (Home) 5:00p - 6:00p + MS B VB Game (Away) 6:00p - 7:30p + Varsity Boys VB Game (Home) 6:00p - 7:30p + Varsity Girls VB Game (Away) | g Week Bring Your + Bible to School Fall Picture + Day (5th-11th) 5:00p - 6:00p + MS A FF Game (Away) 5:30p - 6:30p + JV VB Game (Away) 6:00p - 7:00p + Varsity FF Game (Away) 7:00p - 8:00p + JV FF Game (Away) | 8:00p - 9:30p + Varsity Boys VB Game (Away) | Homecoming + Dance |

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. |
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| 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 | 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. |
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| Shoes | 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. |
| Outerwear | 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. |

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.