

FRANKLIN COUNTY R-II SCHOOL DISTRICT

September Newsletter

September 2019

GRANDPARENTS' DAY

TREND will sponsor Grandparents' Day again this year. Your children's grandparents or a special person are cordially invited to attend on Friday, September 13. K – 4 grandparents are scheduled from 8:15 to 9:15 a.m. and 5 – 8 grandparents are scheduled from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. Please encourage grandparents to attend. They will enjoy refreshments and a few games of Bingo with the grandchildren.

STUDENT PLANNERS

PTO has purchased a student planner for students in 1st – 8th grades. Teachers for all grades are required to check and sign student planners on a daily basis. All teachers require students to have their planner signed by a parent. This is an excellent form of communication between the home and school. Please ask for your child's planner each night and sign or initial after you have checked for homework.

PARENT PARTICIPATION

Volunteers must have annual approved background checks on file with the Franklin County R-II School District before volunteering at school. This includes all parents who attend class field trips. We will not accept background check forms after Friday, September 6.

NO SCHOOL MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 2 – LABOR DAY

PICTURE DAY IS THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3

TITLE I BACK TO SCHOOL MEETING

Parents of students who receive services from the Title I teacher are invited to an informational meeting about the Title I program on Tuesday, September 24, at 5:30 p.m. If your child has been selected to receive Title I services, you will receive a note from the Title I teacher, Mrs. Mense, inviting you to attend the meeting. Refreshments will be provided. Please plan to attend.

FAMILY READING NIGHT

Join us for our annual Fall Family Reading Night, Tuesday, September 24, at 6 p.m. and have a PAWSITIVELY great time! We will be joined by some amazing dogs to share our love of reading. As always, refreshments will be provided and every child will receive a FREE book courtesy of Franklin County R-II PTO. We will be collecting items for the Franklin County Humane Society as well.

MORNING INSTRUCTION

We are implementing a new plan to work with individual students and small groups of students in the morning before school starts. Classroom teachers and Mrs. Mense will work with students and provide instruction that targets students' needs. Teachers will select students to work with each morning. This is meant to be a positive experience for students and teachers. Snacks will be provided and students may take a breakfast tray to take to the classroom. Please contact your child's classroom teacher if you have questions.