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THE 7 HABITS OF HAPPY KIDS

Students have been learning the 7 Habits of Happy Kids to help them become better leaders of themselves and others!

These are the same 7 habits that you may know as an adult- Be Proactive, Put First Things First, Begin with the End in Mind, Seek First to Understand, Then Be Understood, Think Win-Win, Synergize and Sharpen the Saw. These habits are studied by many business leaders, and at many schools around the country. Students as young as four can begin to learn and form these positive habits that will help them succeed in school and in life. Ask your kids what they know about the 7 Habits.

Here are some quick definitions:

Be Proactive:

I take initiative. I choose my actions, attitudes and moods. I do not blame others for my wrong actions.

Begin with the End in Mind:

I plan ahead and set goals. I do things that have meaning and make a difference. I set priorities, make a schedule, and follow my plan. I am disciplined and organized.

Seek First to Understand, Then be Understood:

I listen to others without interrupting. I try to see things from their viewpoint. I am confident in voicing my opinions.

Think Win/Win:

When conflict arises, I look for third alternatives.

Synergize:

I seek out other people's ideas to solve problems because I know that by teaming with others we can create better solutions than anyone of us alone.

Sharpen the Saw:

I take care of my body by exercising and eating right. I spend time with family and friends.

UPCOMING EVENTS: MARCH

Spring break 14-
18

Spring pic-
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Holiday 25

STAAR Test- 29
4th writing,
5th math

STAAR Test- 30
5th reading

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Carnation Sales

The Bagdad PTA will be selling carnations **February 9, 10, 11 and 12, 7:20-8:00 am** in the front hallway for \$1 each. Carnations make a great Valentine's Day gift for teachers, parents and grandparents and 100% of the proceeds go to Bagdad PTA!

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Volunteer Appreciation

This month we want to be sure and let all of our volunteers know how much they are appreciated! We could not do all of the great things we do without you! A special thanks to our PTA board members for their numerous contributions!

 We love our volunteers! 

Update Your Information

Are you getting Bagdad emails? If not, you may need to update your email address with us. You can logon to TXConnect to make changes yourself, or call our registrar, Martha Hinojosa at 512-570-5913.

Have you ordered a yearbook yet?

It's not too late to order your yearbook. See Ms. Sanchez in room 410 to order a full-color yearbook for \$20! Yearbooks will be delivered in May, but you must order now before it's too late!

February

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Counselor Appreciation Week.	1 2 No school for students Feb. 1 and 2		3 Science Fair - 5:00-6:30 PM	4 5 Please note there is no tutoring or enrichment this week		6
7 Volunteer Appreciation Week	8 After school tutoring DI Practice (after school)	9 Carnation Sales	10 Carnation Sales	11 Carnation Sales After School Enrichment	12 Carnation Sales Valentine's Parties (see teacher for times)	13
14 Valentine's Day	15 After school Tutoring DI Practice (after school) Battle of the Bluebonnets 4:00 Reed	16	17 Progress Reports Home	18 After School Enrichment 1st Grade Evening Show 7:00 PM	19 1st grade Show 8:30 AM	20
21	22 DI Practice (after school) After School Tutoring	23	24	25 After School Enrichment	26	27
28	29 DI Practice (after school)					