February 2019

Kindergarten registration for fall 2019 begins.

Feb 6    Fall 2019 Kinders – Visitation Day
Feb 7    FACE to FACE Meeting with dinner: 6:00pm
Feb 8    Spirit Day – Crazy Hair Day! (note the change!)
Feb 18   No School: President’s Day
Feb 21   Class Pictures
Feb 25   Awards Ceremony: 2:35pm
Feb 26   3rd Grade Field Trip to Rialto Theater
Feb 25-28 Parent/Teacher Conferences – Look for papers coming home.
Feb 28   No School for students

March 2019

Mar 1    No School for students
Mar 5    Spring Music Program K-5, TVHS, 6:00pm
Mar 15   Spirit Day – Mismatch Day!
Mar 15   5th Grade Field Trip to Denver Museum of Nature & Science

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Please don’t make any appointments for April testing times!

CMAS ELA & Math testing will occur at Sarah Milner the week of April 1 through April 5.

CMAS Science and Social Studies testing will occur the week of April 15 through April 19.

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Go to thompsonschools.org > Community > Get Involved > Volunteer

Online registration for fall 2019 has started.

Kindergarten –

Current families: Log into Parent Portal and click “Add a Student”

Families new to Thompson School District will need to log into www.thompsonschools.org > Enroll Now

February 6, 8am-6pm Kindergarten Visitation Day. If you have questions or need help registering, we welcome you to come to school during this time. Please bring birth certificate.

(Fall 2019 kindergarten students must be 5 years old on or before 10-1-2019.)

All other grades –

Your student will automatically roll over to the next school year. You do NOT need to do an Open Enrollment form to stay at Sarah Milner.

Current fifth grade students will automatically roll over to their attendance area middle school. If you want to go to a middle school other than what your home address dictates, you will need to fill out an online Open Enrollment form at www.thompsonschools.org. Contact the school you want your child to go to.
**Upcoming Spirit Days:**

February 8: (Note this change!) Crazy Hair Day

March 15: Mismatched Day

April 19: Inside Out Day

May 17: Blankets and books

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**Collection Showcase**


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**If the temperature is above 15 degrees, we will be OUTSIDE. Please dress appropriately.**

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Dear Parents,

The safety of our students and families are a top priority. The traffic and pedestrian flow around Sarah Milner during student drop off and pick up has reached the point where the police department is going to step up patrols and will be enforcing traffic laws. For the safety of students, we are asking you to:

- Obey traffic rules
- Be attentive when driving in school zones Speed Limit is 20MPH
- Observe and follow no parking signs
- Turn off your cell phone in school zones
- Encourage your student to cross the street in designated crosswalks or use a drop off that doesn't require crossing the street
- Be a good role model for your student and others

According to law enforcement, the most common traffic violations occurring around Sarah Milner include speeding in a school zone, impeding traffic, parking further than 12" from the curb and parking in reserved parking areas. The fine for a parking violation is $25; the fine for impeding traffic is $75 plus a $10 surcharge and SPEEDING in a school zone can carry heavy penalties - the fine TRIPLES in a school zone + 3-point violation on your driver's license.

As the weather changes, roads can become even more dangerous. Please slow down and be aware of students walking and biking. We appreciate your cooperation and your help in creating and maintaining a safe environment for our students, staff and families!

Traffic Safety Reminder

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What you can find at:

www.thompsonschools.org

› Link to Sarah Milner website
› School district calendar
› School supply lists
› Register to be a volunteer
› Link to Parent Portal
› Update family information
› View report cards
› Lunch menus
› Apply for free/reduced lunch
› Pay student fees/lunch account
› Health forms

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