

2/13/25

Good Afternoon, Gust Families,

Please be good neighbors and do not park in front of our neighbor's driveways. Drop-off for all 1st-5th grade students is on Irving. Use the drop-off lane, and do not drop off on the opposite side of the street. Every time you drop off on the street's other side, you risk your child's safety.

As a reminder, there is no school for students on Friday, February 14th through Monday, February 17th.

Check out our <u>Facebook</u> and <u>Instagram</u> pages to see all the fun activities happening at Gust.

## **Operations**

<u>SchoolChoice Round 1</u> is open until 4 p.m. on Tuesday, Feb. 18. This annual enrollment process is for any student who wants or needs to attend a new school next year, particularly incoming ECE-3, kindergarten, sixth- and ninth-grade students.\*

To submit your application, create an account or use your Parent Portal username and password to <u>log in to SchoolChoice</u>. Rank up to 12 schools in order of preference and submit by Tuesday, Feb. 18. You'll be notified of your results in late March.

Family Breakfasts in the classroom are back in March. Here are the scheduled dates below. Check the schedule and RSVP <u>here</u>! Teachers have some great things planned. We look forward to seeing everyone at family breakfasts.



Grade-Level	Date	Time
ECE	3/21	7:30-8:00
Kinder	3/21	7:30-8:00
1st	3/14	7:30-8:00
2nd	3/14	7:30-8:00
3rd	3/14	7:30-8:00
4th	3/7	7:30-8:00
5th	3/7	8:30-9:00

Yearbooks are Now on Sale! Reserve yours today on your My School Bucks Account.

## **Instruction**

Invite your families to the Multilingual Education District Advisory Committee (MLE DAC) on Wednesday, Feb. 19 from 9-10:30 a.m. The meeting will be held virtually via Zoom. Our topics this month are School PACs, MLE programs and DPS parent supports. Interpretation will be provided. Share the <u>event flyers</u> with your MLL families. Attendees are encouraged to <u>pre-register here</u>. For the link to the online meeting, please visit the <u>MLE website</u> or contact Olga Olivas at 720-423-3058.

## **Equity**

The DPS Substance Use Prevention Program is excited to have the DPS Family and Community Engagement (FACE) team joining us on Wednesday, Feb. 19 for our monthly webinar. This session will provide participants with valuable information about how FACE can assist students and families in accessing essential resources. Register to learn how FACE can help you or your family navigate available support systems! Spanish interpretation will be available.

Have a great weekend,

Kathleen Marucheau and Jill Ellis

