



PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Happy Friday Rose Hill families.

This week brought both a time change and modification in our masking policy. Students have adjusted seamlessly to both changes have been doing a wonderful job respecting the masking choices of their peers. We remind you to please keep your child home from school if they are not feeling well or displaying symptoms of illness.

Elementary Student Return Verification

Dear Rose Hill Families:

At this time each school year, we ask for our elementary families with students in grades K-4, to complete an "Elementary Student Return Verification" form. This is a quick online form that lets us know whether or not your student will return to our school next fall. By completing this form, you are helping us with our enrollment projections for the coming year. Having accurate enrollment projections allows us to hire the necessary staff to support our students in the next school year. If you don't complete this form, you may receive a phone call to verify your student's attendance for the 2022-23 school year. You do not need to complete this form if your student is currently in 5th grade.

Please complete your form online **by Monday, March 21 at 4:00 pm** by clicking the link below:

<https://www.lwsd.org/schools/elementary/elementary-student-return-verification>

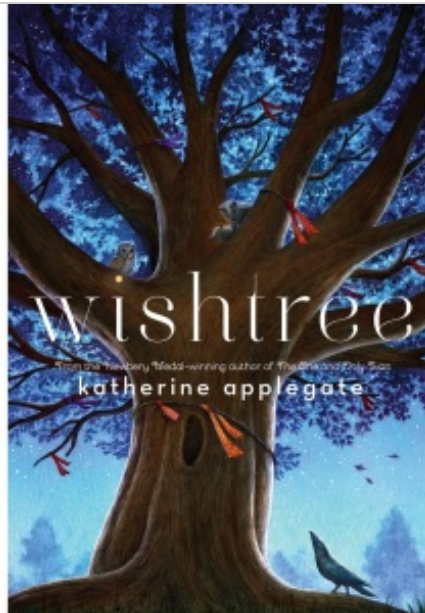
We appreciate your assistance with providing this important information. If you have any questions about the form, please let me know.

Thank you!

One School, One Book

Students began reading *Wishtree* by Katherine Applegate in their classes this week. We encourage family participation!

- **In the Classroom:** Students will read the book and engage in dialogue and activities to enhance understanding.
- **At home:** Families are invited and encouraged to read along at home to continue the conversation and build on the learning. Please see the [reading schedule](#) and visit the [Flipgrid](#) to see staff read the chapter aloud.
- **As a community:** May 2nd - Wish Day culminating event



LIBRARY NEWS

Amazing Reading Challenge

Congratulations to the Star Readers for coming in 3rd place in the semifinal round of the Amazing Reading Challenge! Thank you, Desiree, Diya, Aditi, Khoumudhi and Grace for representing Rose Hill. Great job girls!

Rose Hill Bookfair

Mark your calendars for Saturday, April 23rd for our school bookfair. This year we are partnering with Barnes and Noble in Totem Lake, and we have the honor of being the first school bookfair in their store! The bookfair may be attended in person or books may be purchased online. Please stay tuned for more details as we head into April.



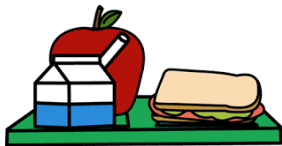
IMPORTANT INFORMATION TO NOTE

Class Picture Day



Class photos have been rescheduled to **Friday, March 25th** during school hours.

Free and Reduced Meal Application



Several benefits come with filling out a School Meal Application; not just meals

Even though meals are free this year, we strongly encourage all parents/guardians who might be eligible for benefits to submit an application. Completing an application takes less than 10 minutes, and parents only need to complete one application per family.

Filling out the School Meal Application may help provide:

- Healthy & Nutritious Meals
- Additional Funding for School Programs
- Fee Waivers for ASB Cards
- Fee Waivers for Athletic Participation & Extracurricular Activities
- Health and Wellness Services

- Fee Waivers for College Applications & Admissions tests
- College Scholarships

School Counselors can help connect you with benefits that you may be eligible for if you qualify for free and reduced meals.

Applications may be completed online at <http://www.myschoolapps.com/> or downloaded from our website ([English](#) | [Español](#)).

For more information, please visit our website: <http://www.lwsd.org/pathway-forward/grab-go-student-meals>.

Lost and Found

Our lost and found is growing and growing! Please make sure to write your child's first and last name in their sweater/jacket. We have a very large pile here at school and having names would help us distribute them back.

Every Wednesday around 1:35, the school will be bringing out all the lost and found items by the main entrance. We encourage families to stop by and look to see if any jackets can be claimed. You are also welcomed to come any time during school hours to check the lost and found area. Any items left unclaimed by Friday, April 1 will be donated during Spring Break.

Covid Information

We have been getting questions about students missing class for vaccine appointments or for students staying home due to side effects after the shot. See below for guidance on when to stay home. All absences related to COVID-19 will be excused. Let us know if you have any questions.

I just got vaccinated and have side effects that are similar to COVID-19. Do I have to stay home?

[Is it COVID-19 or a vaccine reaction? \(wa.gov\)](#)

You may return to work/school and not quarantine within a few days of vaccine administration, IF:

- You HAVE NOT been in contact with someone with COVID-19 AND
- You feel well enough and are willing to perform normal activities such as work or school AND
- You do not have a fever AND
- Symptoms are LIMITED ONLY to those observed following COVID-19 vaccination: Pain, Redness, Swelling, Fatigue, Muscle Aches, Diarrhea, Nausea, or Headache.



BUSINESS MATTERS

ATTENDANCE - Parents must alert the school office if their child is going to come in late or miss school for any reason. **Please email RoseHillESAttend@lwsd.org or call 425-936-2681** to report any absences/late arrivals. Any questions you may contact our school registrar, Shawn Vasco at svasco@lwsd.org.

INCLEMENT WEATHER RECESS - Please remember we send students out to recess on rainy days unless it is raining very heavily. Be sure to dress your child appropriately with well fitted boots (if they have them) and jackets with hoods. Any clothing borrowed from the health room should be laundered and returned to the school office as quickly as possible.



CALENDAR

APR 4-8 NO SCHOOL - SPRING BREAK



Quick Links:

Rose Hill Elementary: <http://rosehill.lwsd.org/>

LWSD: www.lwsd.org

PTSA: <http://rheptsa.org>

Peachjar: [Community eflyers](#)





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