The Sussex Star

Principal's Message

As a reminder, the end of Marking Period 1 is quickly approaching. Marking Period 1 will end on Wednesday, November 11 and report cards will be available on the Parent Portal on Wednesday, November 18th.

dates to Remember

10/28-BOE Meeting @ SMS @ 7:00 p.m.
11/3-Election Day-**All Virtual Day**
11/5-11/6-School Closed-NJEA Teacher's Convention
11/11-End of MP 1
11/18-Report Cards Available on Parent Portal
11/20, 11/23, 11/24-Parent/Teacher Conferences-Early Dismissal Schedule
11/25-Early Dismissal
11/26-11/27-School Closed Thanksgiving Break

HELLO! It's Conference Time!!!

Information regarding virtual parent teacher conferences will be disseminated within the next few weeks.

Thank you!

For your safety and ours, masks are required while on these premises.
Thank you!

Thank you to all staff, students and parents/guardians for helping to keep our school safe by wearing your mask properly and social distancing.

Absentee Line

attendance MATTERS

If your child is going to be absent from school for any reason, please call the absentee line at 973-875-4138 option 1 and leave the reason for your child's absence.

PTO

Please consider joining our District ParentTeacher Organization. It is an extremely active organization that has had a profoundly positive impact on our district.

BOARD OF EDUCATION PUBLIC MEETING

Our Board of Education will hold a meeting at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, October 28th at Sussex Middle School in the gymnasium. Everyone is welcome!

Parking At SMS

When parking in the middle school parking lot, please utilize the parking spaces provided and adhere to New Jersey regulation 39 4-138 regarding the fire lane.

As a reminder, currently the school day begins at 8:40 a.m. and ends at 3:29 p.m. Students walking to school are asked to arrive no earlier than 8:15 a.m. and are to report to the auditorium upon their arrival. Students who are dropped off by a parent/guardian should be dropped off at the doors in the solar panel parking lot on Loomis Avenue between 8:15 a.m. and 8:35 a.m. Please refrain from utilizing the main entrance parking lot to drop your child off. Thank you for your assistance in keeping our students and staff members safe.

PaySchools Central

We are excited to announce that we now offer a new online payment system called PaySchools Central. PaySchools Central provides all parents in our district with an easy way to manage lunch and breakfast accounts. This can all be done in the convenience of your own home through an easy-to-use online portal: www.payschoolscentral.com Or while on the go with a convenient mobile app. You will need to register at the link above. Additional information can be found on our school website in the department section under the food service tab or in the parent portal. If you need help along the way, please contact PaySchools Central at 1-877-393-6628 or email them at: psc_help@payschools.com.

Free Breakfast & Lunch

In order to ensure safe nutritious meals are available to children, the USDA has approved free breakfast and lunch for ALL children enrolled in the Sussex-Wantage Regional School District for a limited time period. For Cohort A/B, all students will get meals in school. Grab and go breakfast and lunches for Full Remote students and for A/B Cohort students while on virtual days can be picked up at Sussex Middle School. Please complete the order form on our website swregional.org by Wednesday for pickups Tuesday or Wednesday the following week. Details for ordering and the pickup schedule can be viewed on our website swregional.org.

Nurse's Corner

Sixth grade students are required by NJ law to have the Tdap and Menactra vaccines in order to attend school. If you have not yet done so, please forward proof of vaccination to the school nurse, Mrs. Silletti-Cayer.

Parent Portal

To access the Parent Portal, please use the following: http://fridayparentportal.com/sussexwantage. Once here, please enter the portal code, username and password. Additionally, you can access the parent portal by logging into our district website swregional.org. Once here, click on "Parents" and scroll down to Realtime Parent Portal. Enter the portal code, username and password.