



September 5, 2025

SILVERLAKE ELEMENTARY STAR STATEMENT

Groovy Minds, Bright Futures



SCHOOL HOURS

- Grades PK-4 7:55 AM - 3:15 PM
- Front Doors Open 7:15 AM
- Breakfast Served 7:15 - 7:50 AM
- Students Enter Class 7:45 AM
- Class Begins 7:55 AM

*Students must be inside the building by 7:55 AM. Students entering the building after this time will be tardy. If a student is tardy, parents are required to park and come into the lobby to sign them in.

IMPORTANT LINKS:

- [Absence Reporting Link](#)
- [Staff Shout-Outs](#)
- [Café Menu](#)
- [Silverlake Elementary Contact List](#)
- [Pearland ISD Calendar](#)
- [School Supply Lists](#)
- [Dress Code](#)
- [Back to School Newsletter](#)
- [Silverlake Student & Parent Handbook](#)

UPCOMING DATES:

- 9/8-9/12 Grandparent Lunches
- 9/15-9/18 Start with Hello Week
- 9/19 Staff Development Day
(No School for Students)
- 9/21 Butterfly Garden Work Day
- 9/25 Fall Picture Day
- 9/26 PTO Game Bight @ iCode
- 9/29 APEX Fundraiser Kick-Off
- 10/2 National Custodian Appreciation Day
- 10/8 1st & 2nd Author Visit
- 10/9 Career Day
- 10/10 APEX Obstacle Course



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Vacation Planning

Its never too soon to start looking forward to small vacations! To maximize our time with your children, we've compiled the dates of our student holidays as you think about planning time away.

Attendance Matters. We look forward to a fantastic year!



Student Holidays & Staff In-Service

- September 1, 2025*
- September 19, 2025*
- October 13 & 14, 2025**
- November 3, 2025*
- January 19, 2026*
- February 16, 2026*
- April 3 & 6, 2026**

*Three Day Weekend
** Four Day Weekend



Thanksgiving Break

November 24 - 28, 2025



Winter Break

December 22, 2025 - January 6, 2026



Spring Break

March 9 - 13, 2026



Last Day of School

May 21, 2026

www.pearlandisd.org/attendance



STAFF SHOUT OUTS!



Has a Silverlake staff member made an impact for you or your child?

Click [HERE](#) to provide a positive affirmation for that staff member!

HAPPY GRANDPARENTS DAY

To celebrate Grandparents' Day, we are inviting our Silverlake grandparents to come visit their STAR for lunch the week of September 8-12!

To help with seating space, we have designated days by last name. If the assigned day does not work for your child's grandparent(s), they are welcome to join us any day that week.

****Grandparents must be listed under Family or Emergency Contacts in Skyward****

****Please remind grandparents that they need to bring their ID to sign in.****

Monday 9/8	Tuesday 9/9	Wednesday 9/10	Thursday 9/11	Friday 9/12
Last Names A-E	Last Names F-J	Last Names K-O	Last Names P-U	Last Names V-Z

FAST PASS

To avoid the long check-in lines at lunch time, stop by the front reception desk during our Fast Pass hours so we can scan your ID and print your visitor badge ahead of time.

FAST PASS HOURS

Sept. 8-12

8:15-10:00 AM & 1:15-2:30 PM

**If you are unable to take advantage of the FAST PASS hours, come early to make sure you are checked in prior to your STAR's lunch time.*

SEPT. 15-18

START WITH HELLO!

This week at Silverlake Elementary, our Stars will join in fun activities that spread kindness and build new friendships! By simply saying "Hello!" and starting conversations, students will help make our school an even more welcoming and inclusive place for everyone.

MONDAY

9/15

WEAR GREEN
TODAY! PRACTICE
SAYING "HELLO" IN
DIFFERENT
LANGUAGES

Bonjour



Hola

你好

TUESDAY

9/16

WEAR MISMATCHED
CLOTHES AND
INVITE A 'STAR' YOU
DON'T KNOW TO
PLAY AT RECESS



HELLO!

こんにちは

WEDNESDAY

9/17

ALOHA!
IS A WAY TO SAY
HELLO, WEAR A
HAWAIIAN SHIRT
OR LEI



THURSDAY

9/18

WEAR PAJAMAS
AND DREAM OF ALL
THE WAYS YOU CAN
BE KINDER
TO OTHERS

Ciao



SEE
SOMEONE
ALONE

REACH OUT
+ HELP

START with
Hello



Bess Kalb

Author of NYT Bestseller, "Buffalo Fluffalo" and new release, "Buffalo Fluffalo and the Puffalo"

AUTHOR VISIT

Bess Kalb

Silverlake Elementary is excited to welcome Bess Kalb, author of *Buffalo Fluffalo* on October 8th to speak with our 1st and 2nd graders! Bess will read her newly released sequel, "*Buffalo Fluffalo and the Puffalo*". Signed books are available for purchase at the link below!

Please order your signed copy by **September 22nd** to ensure availability. All sales will be closed after October 5th.

BUY
SIGNED
BOOK



Please email Mrs. Riley with any questions!

RESPECT

Family Newsletter

PurposeFULL
People

Respect Overview

This month's focus is Respect. One way to think about Respect is "seeing value in all people and things & treating them with care." Many people feel Respected in different ways. We hope this month inspires discussions with your family about what Respect means to you and how you can practice it together!

Respect is 1 of 3 traits we will focus on throughout the year that helps students **Be Kind**. Across grade levels, students will be developing skills like perspective-taking, conflict resolution, and leadership.

Conversation Starters



- Can you share or show what Respect means?
- What is 1 way you have practiced Respect lately?

PurposeFull Pursuits

Have some fun connecting as a family this month while practicing Respect. Here are 2 "PurposeFull Pursuits" you can complete together!

#1

A fun way to remind students to show Respect to others is to create a non-verbal cue. As a family, come up with a non-verbal way to cue your student to remember to show Respect to others. An example of this would be anytime you raise the "Respect Rooster" on your hand by closing the middle 2 fingers and bringing your pointer finger and pinky finger up, your student would be reminded to practice living out Respect.



#2

Review Respect as a family! In our lessons we are teaching that Respect means to see value in people and things and treat them with care. Agree as a family to set aside a certain time each day this week to unplug from devices and plug into family time. It shows Respect to practice being present in the moment without the distractions that can come from technology. Debrief and discuss this challenge afterward. Consider to embracing this practice at least 1 day each week!