

Superintendent's Weekly Message

December 12, 2025



Merry Christmas and Happy Friday :)

We've had another great week of events in SFISD! Thank you again to our teachers and staff for creating such a positive and welcoming **holiday environment** for our students. Our campuses and classrooms are so inviting.

Please take a moment to congratulate our **Santa Fe Junior High Band** students. Their performance this past week was standing room only! Kudos to our dedicated Band Directors and band students for all your hard work this year. Outstanding job.

We also want to thank Mrs. Payne, Mrs. Savell, Mr. Aguirre, Mr. Jones, and all of our **SFISD Fine Arts and Music** staff. They have organized a variety of holiday performances this month, and they never fail to impress. We appreciate our Fine Arts staff in SFISD!

Finally, we would like to give a huge shout-out to our amazing **STRIVE program**. We were able to recognize our STRIVE students yesterday as they officially completed and graduated from the University of North Texas (UNT) Virtual Pre-Employment Transition Services Program. We are so proud! A special thanks to Tiffanie Pitre and our STRIVE staff members. We are blessed to have you in SFISD :)

We've got **Girls' Basketball** and **Boys' Soccer** teams both playing here at home tonight. As always, we invite you to come out and support our athletes. Let's GO Indians!!

Only one more week of school to go 😊 We wish all of you a safe and restful weekend,

~ KB

Upcoming District Events

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| 12/12 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Black Light Pep Rally 2:15• Lady Indian Basketball HOSTS Terry 9A - 4:30 JV - 5:45 VARSITY - 7:00• Men's Soccer HOSTS Dobie - SCRIMMAGE JV - 5:00 PM Varsity - 7:00• Basketball -Varsity Tournament through Saturday |
| 12/13 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• SFHS Band - Wreaths Across America - Alvin Cemetery 12:00• JH Girls Basketball 7th grade @ Clute Tournament• Soccer - Lady Indians HOSTS Dawson - PRESEASON JV 10:00 Varsity 12:00 |
| 12/15 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• RJW House Rally 2:15 |
| 12/16 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Barnett Choir, 6:00• Christmas Cluster Concert, 6:30 SFHS Auditorium |
| 12/19 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Early Release for all SFISD campuses for the Christmas Holidays :) |

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Superintendent's Weekly Message

December 5, 2025



Merry Christmas, SFISD!

December has arrived, and we only have two more weeks of school until the **Christmas Break**. Thank you to everyone who has taken time to connect and engage with our SFISD families this holiday season. All of the school decor, classroom doors, and campus hallways look great!

Our **Junior High Basketball** teams began their regular season games this past week. Both of our SFJH Boys' and Girls' teams took away some hard-earned victories. Great job to ALL of our SFJH coaches and athletes.

We also have our **SFHS Boys' and Girls' Basketball** teams traveling to out-of-town tournaments today and tomorrow. We want to wish them safe travels. Good luck to all of these athletes. **Let's GO Indians!!**

Please give a big shout-out to our **SFHS "Pride of the Tribe" Band**. Their Christmas Program was outstanding last night. As always, thank you to Mr. Raines, Mr. Sholmire, Mr. Cassidy, and Mrs. Henderson for all your hard work with these students. Well done :)

We have our SFJH and SFHS **Cheer Showcase** tomorrow at 10:00 a.m. in the SFHS Gym. We invite you to come watch our Cheerleaders perform! Thank you Coach Plite and Coach Hovey for all you do to grow our Cheer program :)

And lastly, we have lots of students participating in the Annual Santa Fe **Christmas Parade** tomorrow night. We hope you can come out and show your support. Stay warm and have a blessed weekend,

~ KB

Upcoming District Events

12/5

- Boys' Basketball Tournaments
- Lady Indians' Basketball, Friendswood Tournament
- SFHS Winter Wonderland Dance, 7:00-9:00

12/6

- SFJH and SFHS Cheer Showcase, 10:00-12:00 SFHS Gym
- JH Girls Basketball 8th grade @ Lake Jackson Tournament
- Santa Fe Chamber of Commerce **Christmas Parade**, 5:30 p.m.

12/8

- JH Boys Basketball 7th grade @ Lake Jackson - 5:00/B, 6:00/A
- JH Girls Basketball 7th grade hosts Lake Jackson - 5:00/B, 6:00/A
- Kubacak Choir Concert, 6:00

12/9

- SFJH Band Christmas Concert 6:30 @SFHS Auditorium

12/19

- Early Release for all SFISD campuses for the **Christmas Holidays** :)

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