



EAGLE EXPRESS

CHALLENGER ELEMENTARY

March 1, 2026

Integrity | Perseverance | Respect | Courage | Excellence

SCHOOL HOURS

Grades PK-4.....7:55 AM – 3:15 PM
 Front Doors Open.....7:15 AM
 Breakfast Served.....7:15 am – 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](#)
- [PISD Volunteer Form](#)
- [School Cafe' \(Add money to student meal account\)](#)
- [Cafe Menu](#)
- [Challenger Student Handbook](#)
- [Staff Shout Outs](#)

Upcoming Dates to Remember:

- 3/2-6 Read Across America
- 3/3 Spring Picture Day
- 3/3-4 3rd & 4th Grade Math STAAR Simulation
(Closed to Visitors)
- Spring Individual Picture Day
- 3/9-13 Spring Break
- 3/19 PTA Meeting @ 6:30pm
- 3/28 Big Art Day 10am- 2pm



TELPAS Testing & Math STAAR Simulation

March 3rd & 4th
 3rd / 4th Grade
 Math Simulation

We will be closed to visitors, including lunch guests, on these days in order to provide a quiet testing environment.



We need your help!

We are still collecting regular size Pringles cans!
 PTA is collecting cardboard egg cartons, paper towel rolls
 and/or toilet paper rolls.

Send with your student or drop off at the front desk

STAFF SHOUT OUTS!



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

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

Read Across America

This week we will celebrate stories, authors, and illustrators all across our great country!

Thursday, March 5
California
Dress ready to go fishing!

Friday, March 6
Hawaii
Hawaiian Day

Wednesday, March 4
Oklahoma
Wear your favorite team jersey.

Tuesday, March 3
New York
Dress your Best.

Monday, March 2
Massachusetts
Wear your Dr. Seuss accessories!

DON'T TRUST FISH
NEIL SHARPSON
DAN SANTAT

ALOHA EVERYTHING

Clack, Clack! SMACK!
A Cherokee Stickball Story
Traci Sorell
Illustrated by Joseph Erb

MY DADDY IS A COWBOY
Illustrated by

Character Strong

This month's focus is Cooperation. One way to think about Cooperation is "working together to reach shared goals." As a family, talk about how this definition applies to how you work together at home. What are some goals you share? Cooperation is a trait we will focus on throughout the year that helps students Be Kind. We all experience conflict in life. Whether we are frustrated with a friend or in an argument with a family member, we need tools to help us navigate conflict successfully. Here are some tips to help when you are practice cooperation:

- * Identifying if the problem is big or small.
- * Big problems require help from an adult, which usually means someone is being hurt.
- * Small problems can be solved on their own.

It's that time again!



Spring Pictures

**Tuesday,
March 3rd**



1st Photo will be on campus
taking spring individuals.
2-3 weeks after picture day, a
proof will come home to order
the photos. No money will be
collected on picture day.

1st
PHOTO

Challenger Elementary

BIG ART DAY

MARCH

28

10 A.M. - 2 P.M.

Join us for a FREE Under the Sea Adventure
Pearland ISD's Big Art Day
Pearland Town Center: 11200 Broadway St
Fun for the Whole Family!

Live Chalk Art | Student Artwork
Make & Takes | Student Performances
Face Painting | DJ
Door Prizes | Food Trucks
and More!

