



THE FALCON FLYER



News and Highlights – Week 6: 9/21/2026

Principal's Notes:

Hello Figarden Families,

Happy Saturday! Fall officially arrives on Tuesday, and I am looking forward to cooler weather, changing leaves, caramel apples, pumpkins, and all the wonderful things that come with the season. I hope you are too!

Thank you to all the families who have already completed the Confidential Family Survey. With Mrs. Camacho's support, we have achieved 59% participation. Our goal is 90% completion, with the surveys remaining open through Friday, September 25th. As a reminder, families who complete the survey during this first round will receive their free student Fresno Fair tickets at the beginning of October.

Thank you as well to the parents who submitted nominations for School Site Council. Our office staff will be contacting nominees on Monday to confirm their interest. Ballot links and paper ballots will be distributed on Tuesday, and voting will take place throughout the week. Ballots will be counted during the first School Site Council meeting on Tuesday, September 29th.

Progress Reports were sent home with General Education students on Friday. Please take a few moments to review your child's report together and reach out to your child's teacher if you have any questions.

We are also excited about the possibility of hosting our annual Figarden Trunk-or-Treat during the last week of October. To make this event a success, we are looking for parent volunteers to help plan and support the event, decorate car trunks for candy distribution, and donate candy. Please be on the lookout for additional information coming soon through Parent Square.

We are excited to get our Falcons on their paths so that we can all *Achieve Our Greatest Potential*. Let's have an impressive week of learning!

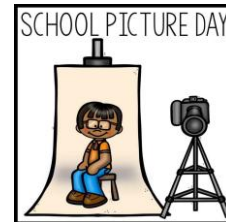
Have a wonderful weekend and GO

FALCONS! 🦅 *Mrs. Lopez*



Confidential Family Surveys

The Confidential Family survey window is open and will be open until Friday, September 25th. The families who are required to complete the survey will be sent letters and personalized links through the parents' preferred form of communication (text message, personal email, or Parent Square). We are currently at 59% completion. Please check to see if you have a survey to complete. The survey information is utilized to help our school attain additional funding and additional support for our students. Families who have completed surveys will receive one free student ticket to the Fresno Fair Ticket.



Fall picture day is here!

Wednesday, September 23rd

All students will be photographed. Ordering information will be sent out after pictures are taken.



**SCHOOL SITE
COUNCIL MEETING**

Tuesday, September 29th at

3 p.m. in the Figarden Library.

Agenda will be posted on Parent Square

Dates in the Future



Sept. 8-25:
Sept. 22-26
Sept. 23:
Sept. 24

Sept. 28
Sept. 30
Oct. 2

Confidential Family Survey #1

SSC Voting Open

Fall Picture Day

Flag Football & Girls' Volleyball @ Figarden

SSC Meeting at 3:00 p.m.

Orange Shirt Day

Student Job Fair 2:15-2:50 p.m.



Figarden Elementary

Office Hours 7:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Please call to make an appointment.

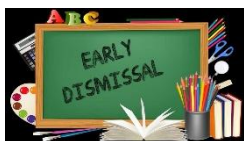
Principal: Cari Lopez Vice Principal: John-Michael De La Cerda

Office Manager: Trisha Hogaboom Office Assistant: Monique Mitchell

MONDAY 9/21

Hurry, hurry! Don't be late! School Begins at 8:00 a.m.

Confidential Survey Window #1 Open through 9/25



TUESDAY 9/22

Early Dismissal

TK/K Dismissal @ 1:00 p.m.

Grades 1-6 Dismissal @ 2:00 p.m.

School Site Council Ballots Open through 9/26



WEDNESDAY 9/23

Fall Picture Day



THURSDAY 9/24



Flag Football & Girls' Volleyball @ Figarden



FRIDAY 9/25

Figarden Spirit Day: Wear something navy blue, light blue, or white.

September Character Trait: **TRUSTWORTHINESS**



We are Falcons!

F= Focused Learners

A=Always Work Hard

L=Lead by Example

C=Character Counts

O=Outstanding Effort

N=Never Give Up

