

Mountain View Newsletter

March 29, 2017

Tuesday, March 28.....Parents and Pastries Meeting, 8:30 in the CLC
Monday, April 10-Friday, April 14.....No School, Spring Break

Principal's Message

One of the beautiful things about great schools is that the folks working in schools are always looking for ways to make the educational experience of their students better. When you recently filled out a survey during parent/teacher conferences, for example, you helped us learn what you noticed about what is going well, and ways we can improve.

Another tool we use to determine our effectiveness is to administer End of Level assessments. These assessments help us to see what students have learned over the span of the entire school year. As educators we look at the data the results of these tests provide to determine what we should focus on to improve our instruction and help students learn all they need to know to be successful.

The End of Level assessment window has already begun, and will continue through April and May. For students to be able to do their very best on these assessments they will need plenty of rest every night. For children in elementary school, ten hours is the appropriate amount of sleep. They will also need a good breakfast. We happily have that covered at school as we provide breakfast for every student every morning. It is also more important than ever that every student arrives to school on time every day. Thank you all for your help to make sure all students are ready to do their best every day.

Mountain View Art Contest

This spring we are holding an art contest. The theme of our art contest is "Live the Golden Rule." The Golden Rule is to treat others the way you want to be treated. Students can enter art in the following categories: dance, choreography, literature, music composition, photography, and visual arts. Students will enter one of two divisions, pre-k through second grade or third through fifth grade. To enter, students must submit their artwork to their classroom teacher by the end of the school day on May 12th. We want everyone to know about it now so they have adequate time to work on their entry. If you need more information, or another copy of the requirements you may see Mr. Elliott in Room 102 or you may inquire at the main office.

Mountain View Scientists Represent Their School

We would like to thank and congratulate Belcy Penate, Lupita Robles, and Valeria Avile for representing Mountain View at the regional science fair. You made us proud! Go Eagles!