

WEEK AT A GLANCE

Latest news and updates from Flat Rock Middle School



LOOKING AHEAD

Spring Break April 5th-9th
No School

Monday, April 12, 2021

Tuesday, April 13, 2021

Track Meet 5pm @ SCHS
Parent Milestone Academy @ 6:30pm [via ZOOM](#)

Wednesday, April 14, 2021

PTO Meeting @ 6:30pm [via ZOOM](#)

Thursday, April 15, 2021

Friday, April 16, 2021

Saturday, April 17, 2021

Missing Assignment Assistance Session
10-12pm, [sign up here](#)

A MESSAGE FROM OUR PRINCIPAL

Dear Flat Rock Parents/Guardians,

I hope you and your families are safe and well. We have managed to navigate well this year, in spite of the current situation with COVID-19 cases and all that comes with maintaining a safe environment. Thank you for your patience and support in this area.

I wanted to share that there has been a recent increase in behaviors of horseplay that has resulted in damages to our restrooms. Unfortunately, some of our young men have begun to engage in destructive activities in the last few weeks and we've seen this occur in boys bathrooms throughout the building. Our custodial staff works diligently to maintain the cleanliness of Flat Rock, and their efforts are ruined by students choosing to act in a disrespectful manner. I believe that all students deserve to learn in a safe and clean environment. Consequently, every student should be able to go to the restroom, wash and dry their hands, and return to the classroom without incident. This behavior is not a reflection of the far majority of students at Flat Rock, nor are these choices ones the Eagle family condones. I am requesting that you help us in reminding our students that this is not how we should conduct ourselves, and to report it immediately if they walk into a restroom with damage. The administration will be taking serious disciplinary action with any student who participates in vandalism in any area of our school.

As we approach Spring break, my hope is for all of our faculty and friends to take time for yourselves and families. We ask that you continue to practice safe procedures while you vacation or simply spend time with others. We look forward to seeing everyone back on April 12th as we prepare for the final activities of the school year.

Enjoy your spring break and be safe!

Jade Bolton, Principal

In honor of National School Social Workers Week, we would like to thank Ms. Eulene Paulk for all she does. Ms. Paulk is also the recipient of the "Going Above and Beyond Customer Service Award". We appreciate your dedication and commitment to always help our Flat Rock families.



PTO MEETING

Join us for our monthly PTO meeting [via ZOOM](#) at 6:30pm on Wednesday, April 14th.

Leadership Word of the Month for March

SELF-DISCIPLINE

Having a strong sense of self-control in order to reach a desired goal or to rise to your commitments or principles.

Leadership Trait of the Week

March 29th - April 2nd

“Willpower”

Strong determination that allows one to do something difficult

“Student of the Week”

Farqad Noori



No matter what is happening around him, he has the willpower to stay focused, do his best, and stay kind in situations where others may not be. He never complains when things get difficult and uses his willpower to be a great leader to his peers. Congratulations Farqad!

COUNSELORS CORNER

"No matter what your personal feelings on high-stakes testing are, there is no escaping the reality that these assessments will be an important part of your child's academic experience. And, everyone wants to see their student experience success in the classroom. So, what's the best way to help your child prepare for high-stakes tests—and keep a healthy mindset while doing so? Here are eight simple tips for parents to help your student perform his or her best on testing days."

<https://blog.edmentum.com/8-tips-help-your-child-prepare-high-stakes-tests>

COVID-19 WEEKLY REPORT

Fayette County Public Schools posts a weekly report each Friday to its website and social media accounts showing the number of positive cases and quarantines per school for the week. Please note that the update is a snapshot in time (not a real time report) and that positive cases and/or quarantines may be added after the report is posted. Click [here](#) to access the report.

NATIONAL JR BETA CLUB INDUCTION



We are so proud of our new National Jr Beta Club inductees! These scholars worked tremendously hard all year to complete community service projects and maintain academic excellence! Thank you to their parents, administrators, and community leaders for the overwhelming support!

MAAS SESSION SIGN UP

If you would like to sign your student(s) up for our **Missing Assignment Assistance Session (MAAS)** taking place, Saturday April 17th from 10am-12pm [click here](#). This is a great opportunity for students with missing assignments to get them completed in a distraction free school environment supervised by our teachers.



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ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION
CENTER STUDENT EARTH DAY
ART EXHIBITION:
EARTH EXPLORERS**

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UNTIL APRIL 12TH, 2021

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YOUTH MTB CLUB**





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April 1st

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FLAT ROCK MIDDLE SCHOOL
invites you to our

**PARENT
MILESTONES
ACADEMY**

**TUESDAY, APRIL 13TH
6:30-7:30PM VIA ZOOM**

Learn how to help your student prepare for the milestones.

For questions, contact Brenda Cannington at cannington.brenda@mail.fcboe.org

UN VISTAZO DE LA SEMANA

Últimas noticias y actualizaciones de Flat Rock Middle School



PROXIMA SEMANA

Break de Primavera Abril 5-9
No hay Escuela

Lunes, Abril 12, 2021

Martes, Abril 13, 2021

Reunion de Track 5pm @ SCHS
Academia para Padres de las Pruebas
Milestones @ 6:30pm [via ZOOM](#)

Miércoles, Abril 14, 2021

Reunion de PTO @ 6:30pm [via ZOOM](#)

Jueves, Abril 15, 2021

Viernes, Abril 16, 2021

Sabado, Abril 17, 2021

Sesion de Asistencia para Tareas Pendientes
10-12pm, [Registrese aqui](#)

UN MENSAJE DE NUESTRA DIRECTORA PRINCIPAL

Estimados Padres/Tutores de Flat Rock,

Espero que usted y sus familias estén bien y saludables. Hemos logrado navegar bien este año hasta ahora, a pesar de la situación actual con los casos de COVID-19 y todo lo que conlleva mantener un entorno seguro. Gracias por su paciencia y apoyo en esta área.

Quería compartir que ha habido un aumento reciente en los comportamientos de bromas de los estudiantes que ha resultado en daños a nuestros baños. Desafortunadamente, algunos de nuestros jóvenes han comenzado a participar en actividades destructivas en las últimas semanas y hemos visto que esto ocurre en los baños de hombres en todo el edificio. Nuestro personal de conserjes trabaja diligentemente para mantener la limpieza de Flat Rock, y sus esfuerzos se ven arruinados por los estudiantes que eligen actuar de manera irrespetuosa. Creo que todos los estudiantes merecen aprender en un ambiente limpio y seguro. En consecuencia, todos los estudiantes deben ir al baño, lavarse y secarse las manos y regresar al salón de clases sin incidentes. Este comportamiento no es un reflejo de la gran mayoría de los estudiantes de Flat Rock, ni estas opciones son permitidas en la familia Eagle. Le solicito que nos ayude a recordar a nuestros estudiantes que no es así como debemos comportarnos, y que reporten de inmediato si entran al baño y está con daños. La administración tomará medidas disciplinarias serias con cualquier estudiante que participe en actos de vandalismo en cualquier área de nuestra escuela.

A medida que nos acercamos a las Vacaciones de Primavera, espero que todos nuestros profesores y amigos se tomen un tiempo para ustedes y sus familias. Le pedimos que continúe practicando procedimientos de seguridad mientras está de vacaciones o simplemente si pasa tiempo con otras personas. Esperamos verlos a todos el 12 de Abril mientras nos preparamos para las actividades finales del año escolar.

¡Disfrute de sus vacaciones de primavera y esté seguro!

Jade Bolton, Directora

En honor a la Semana Nacional de Trabajadores Sociales Escolares, nos gustaría agradecer a la Sra. Paulk por todo lo que hace. Agradecemos su dedicación y compromiso para ayudar a nuestras familias de Flat Rock.



REUNION DE PTO

Únase a nuestra reunión mensual de PTO [a través de Zoom](#) el Miércoles 14 de Abril a las 6:30 pm.

Palabra de Liderazgo del Mes de Marzo

AUTODISCIPLINA

Tener un fuerte sentido de autocontrol para alcanzar una meta deseada o estar a la altura de sus compromisos o principios.

Atributo de Liderazgo de la Semana

Marzo 29 - Abril 2

“ Fuerza de Voluntad ”

Fuerte determinación que le permite a uno hacer algo difícil.

“Estudiante de la Semana”

Farqad Noori



Sin importar lo que esté sucediendo a su alrededor, él tiene la fuerza de voluntad para mantenerse concentrado, hacer las cosas de la mejor forma posible y ser amable en situaciones donde otros pueden no serlo. Nunca se queja cuando las cosas se ponen difíciles y usa su fuerza de voluntad para ser un gran líder para sus compañeros. ¡Felicitaciones Farqad!

ESQUINA DE LOS CONSEJEROS

"No importa cuáles sean sus sentimientos personales sobre las pruebas de alto riesgo, no hay forma de escapar de la realidad de que estas evaluaciones serán una parte importante de la experiencia académica de su hijo. Y todos quieren ver que su estudiante tenga éxito en el aula. Entonces, ¿Cuál es la mejor manera de ayudar a su hijo a prepararse para los exámenes de alto riesgo y mantener una mentalidad saludable mientras lo hace? Aquí hay ocho consejos sencillos para que los padres ayuden a su hijo a rendir al máximo en los días de exámenes".

[Haz clic aquí](#)

INDUCCIÓN DEL CLUB NACIONAL DE JR BETA



¡Estamos muy orgullosos de nuestros nuevos miembros del Club Nacional de JR Beta! ¡Estos estudiantes trabajaron muy duro todo el año para completar proyectos de servicio comunitario y mantener la excelencia académica! ¡Gracias a sus padres, administradores y líderes comunitarios por el gran apoyo brindado!


REPORTE SEMANAL DE COVID-19

Las Escuelas Públicas del Condado de Fayette publican cada Viernes un informe semanal en su sitio web y redes sociales, en donde informan el número de casos positivos y cuarentenas por escuela durante la semana. Tenga en cuenta que la actualización se hace en un instante de tiempo (no es un informe en tiempo real) y que se pueden agregar casos positivos y/o cuarentenas después de que se publique el informe. Haga click [aquí](#) para acceder al informe.

REGISTRO PARA LA SESIÓN DE MAAS

Si desea inscribir a su(s) hijo(s) en nuestra Sesión de Asistencia para Tareas Pendientes que se llevará a cabo el Sábado 17 de Abril de 10a-12p, [haga click aquí](#). Esta es una gran oportunidad para que los estudiantes completen las tareas pendientes en un ambiente escolar libre de distracciones y supervisado por nuestros maestros.





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LA ESCUELA FLAT ROCK MIDDLE

Los Invita a Nuestra

ACADEMIA PARA PADRES SOBRE LAS PRUEBAS MILESTONES

MARTES, 13 DE ABRIL
6:30 - 7:30PM VIA ZOOM

Aprenda cómo ayudar a su hijo a prepararse para los Milestones.

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