

# SCHEDULE OF UP COMING EVENTS

- March 4-15 Kindergarten Registration/ 8:00a.m.-2:30 p.m
- March 5 3rd & 4th Grades Link UP Musical / Field Trip
- March 5 PTO meeting 2:30 p.m.
- March 5 Math & Science Night / 5:00—6:45p.m.
- March 6 Wacky Wednesday dress up
- March 6 Pre-K Fall registration / 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
- March 10 Daylight Savings Time Begins/ Spring Ahead
- March 12 Spring pictures
- March 14 End of the 3rd nine weeks
- March 15 Students out (Teacher Work Day)
- March 18-22 SPRING BREAK / No School
- March 27 Report Cards go Home
- April 2 PTO Meeting / 2:30 p.m.
- April 2 4th Grade FSA Writing
- April 3rd & 4th 3rd Grade ELA FSA Testing
- April 4 SAC Meeting / 5:00 p.m.
- April 8 Honor Roll Assembly  
4th Grade / 8:15 a.m.  
3rd Grade / 9:00a.m.
- April 19 Morning with MOM / 7:15-8:00 a.m.
- April 19 Early Release / 11:50 a.m. / no Pre-K
- April 23 Interim Reports go home
- May 1 & 2 4th Grade ELA FSA Testing
- May 3 AR "Cool Cat" Cut off
- May 7th & 8th 3rd & 4th Grades Math FSA Testing
- May 16 4th Grade Spring Concert / 6:30 p.m.
- May 29 Last Day of School



**FREEPORT ELEMENTARY**  
**Kristin Lewis, PRINCIPAL**  
**Gay Pannell, Assistant Principal**

892-1210 or 892-1211 / fax 892-1219

**Walton County School District**  
**Voluntary Pre-Kindergarten Program**  
**2019-2020**  
**Fall Registration**

Parents **MUST** register students at the school the students will be attending in the Fall or Spring. Registration will be held from 9:00 am – 1:00 pm on March 6th.

Program dates and hours are dependent upon options offered at your school choice.  
 Full-Day program for 1 semester – FREE – Fall or Spring for 6 1/2 hours per day.

Fall Semester – August 2019 to December 2019  
 Spring Semester – January 2020 to May 2020

Full-Year Half-Day program – FREE – for 3 1/4 hours per day

For full-year, half-day students, schools will be offering Extended Child Care Services for \$50.00 per week per the Walton County School District Calendar. This program offers parents the free 3.25 hours of VPK and additional hours of paid child care services.

Parents will be notified of their child's enrollment status following the enrollment period.

**Must have the following documents to register:**  
 VPK Child Eligibility and Enrollment Certificate from the Early Learning Coalition – Contact (850) 833-3672 for information or <http://www.elc-ow.org>  
 Original Birth Certificate (child's birthday must be from 2/2/14 – 9/1/15)  
 Florida School Ready Physical (less than 1 year of your child's school entry date)  
 Florida Immunization Record on Form 680  
 Proof of Florida Residency.

*For more information, call (850) 892-1111*

**Kiwanis Students of the Months:**

**February: Alyssa Loubriel and Laken Henley**

**March:**

**Kennya Hernandez and Shanne Sparks**



# FREEPORT ELEMENTARY NEWS FOR MARCH 2019

## Title 1 School

### KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

Kindergarten registration for the 2019- 2020 school year will be on March 4th—March 15th from 8:00 a.m.—2:30 p.m.. **Students must be registered at their zoned school.** When you register your child, you will need to have the following:

- Official birth certificate: child must be 5 years of age on or before September 1st of the current school year.
- Florida Certificate of Immunization: must have 2 measles immunizations (preferably MMR) and Hepatitis B immunization.
- Physical Examination signed by a licensed examiner: must be dated within 12 months prior to enrollment / registration.
- Social Security Number: desired, but optional.
- Registration must be complete in order for student to begin school in August.
- 1 proof of Walton County Residency.
- Student will not be registered until all documents are completed.

### Parents-WE NEED YOUR HELP! School Improvement Survey

Your opinion matters to us. Parental input allows us to make important decisions to help us plan for the school's programming and improvement, as well as meet school accreditation requirements. With your assistance, we are able to create annual goals for Freeport Elementary School.

Please take a few minutes to respond to the survey located at:  
<http://www.advanc-ed.org/survey/public/1832523>

### STUDENT SAFETY

For the safety of our students, please drop students off in the front drop off lane to staff personnel. Please do not let students out across the road in front of the school.

### Dr. Seuss's Birthday

We will be celebrating Dr. Seuss's birthday at FES during the week of March 4-8. Wednesday is a special dress up day. In honor of his book, *Wacky Wednesday*, students may dress in mismatched, backwards, and inside out clothes.

### Title 1

### Parent Involvement Surveys

Thank you for completing the Part B survey sent home with report cards. Of the approximately 747 surveys sent home, we received 383 (51%) back. We value your input and opinions. We will use the data to assist with our school improvement efforts.

Gracias por completar la parte B de la encuesta que enviamos a casa con el reporte de calificaciones. De las aproximadamente 747 encuestas que enviamos, recibimos 383 (51%) de regreso. Valoramos sus opiniones y usaremos los datos para ayudar con nuestros esfuerzos para mejorar la escuela.

### Head Start/Early Head Start Applications

Head Start/Early Head Start is a child and family development program. Head Start /Early Head Start offers education, health, nutrition, family support, transportation assistance, and disability services. Children with disabilities are encouraged to apply. For more information call [www.tricountyheadstart.com](http://www.tricountyheadstart.com) or call administration: (850) 548-9900. Walton: (850) 892-7635, Early Head Start (850) 951-0464.

### PARENT TIPS FOR FSA:

#### **Be rested and on time for school!**

**Please make sure your child:**

- Get a good night's sleep during testing.
- Eats breakfast each morning.
- Is at school each day and on time.
- Checks his/her answers during testing.
- Puts forth his/her best effort on the tests!

#### **Sugerencias para los Padres durante el FSA**

- Se duerma temprano la noche antes del examen.
- Almuerce cada mañana.
- Que no falte a la escuela y que llegue a tiempo.
- Que revise sus contestaciones durante el examen.
- Que haga el esfuerzo de hacer lo mejor que pueda!

