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Fort Zumwalt School District
Flint Hill Elementary

April 19, 2021

Dr. Bernard J. DuBray | Mrs. Debbie Mueller | Ms. Kathleen Bahan
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Notes from the Principal

Sometimes, we all have to do things that are hard. In life, we face the hard and the easy, the ebb and flow, and the happy and sad.

There are situations our kiddos are having to face right now when a teacher says, "Open up the computer and you will take this test called the MAP assessment. I want you to do your best! I can't help you, but I want you to know it will be okay."

OR

There may be a life choice when we must decide whether we opt to stand up for a friend because it is good and right! However, we may lose 5 other friends because they disagreed with what we did.

We may have a job that moves us far away from our family, but it was so good to grow us as a human.

There are those times when you have a great family to work with, but you have decided to retire and your boss calls you with your replacement. You are happy and sad all at the same time. You are excited, but scared. You are nervous, but okay. I think I am really feeling more like a kid at heart today. I have many mixed emotions!

I will miss you, but know you will be in good hands! **Welcome Mrs. Redding!** Flint Hill Elementary is a special place to be!

I am grateful for you and all of our families!
Mrs. Mueller

Six very important weeks remain in play at Flint Hill Elementary! We have some 3-5 testing to complete. YES we do. However, we have important learning in the classrooms each and every day. There is no stopping us now! These Firebirds are in person and making the most of each moment. We do not do count downs; we do not talk about the end of school approaching, WHY? We have too much to do! As the mascot of the school, I do not want them to go! I want them to stay all year long. So, I do not allow them to talk about leaving!

Please try to always schedule any appointments whenever possible outside of the school day so that we can make the most of the learning. Also, if you (as parents) can keep the count down on the "no talk" list that would be AWESOME! We will pick a special time to talk about that... at the very end of school.

MAP Testing Information

Students in grades 3-5 will participate in the Missouri Assessment Program, commonly known as the MAP Test, in April and May. Virtual students' families have already started some of their testing. In-person students will test on the following dates:

Fifth Grade: 4/23, 4/28, 5/3, 5/5, 5/7, 5/12, and 5/13


Fourth Grade: 4/26, 4/28, 4/30, 5/7, 5/10, and 5/11

Third Grade: 4/30, 5/3, 5/5, 5/11, 5/12, and 5/13

Students will need headphones, a good night's sleep, and a healthy breakfast each day. Please contact Ms. Bahan if you have any

questions about MAP testing.

MAP Testing
April 13-May 14
Grades 3, 4, and 5
Virtual and In-Person Students will test at FHE



Please try to avoid scheduling appointments, etc. on these dates.

FHE MAP Testing Schedule

First Grade Writing in the Outdoor Classroom

Mrs. Steger's first graders spent some time writing in the outdoor classroom this week. Thanks to our FHE families and our PTC for making this space available to our students.





2021-2022 Calendar is online

The school calendars for the 2021-2022 AND 2022-2023 are now posted on the district website. You can access them from the website using the [Quick Calendar](#) button in the ribbon at the bottom. Let the Google Sheet load and use the tabs at the bottom of your screen to move from year to year.



Board of Education welcomes new member

The Board of Education met April 15 for the regular monthly meeting and to reorganize after the April 6 election. Tommy George, Jr., (left) was sworn in for a second term and Gabriel Helms (right) was sworn in as a new member. Regular meetings are scheduled for the third Monday of each month, with some exceptions.



Lifelong learning. This episode, the FORTITUDE podcast highlights just one of the many St. Charles County agencies that works with our families and staff. The St. Charles County Ambulance District @sccadems partners with all five county school districts on initiatives such as Halloween and Fireworks safety, but they also offer scads of opportunities for residents of all ages to learn more about health and safety. Tune in to hear from Community Relations Director Kyle Gaines about opportunities to learn about everything from car seat installation to careers in this FORTITUDE podcast.

FZSD offering several Summer options

Did you know Fort Zumwalt is offering in-person and online Summer sessions?

What: In-Person Summer Reading

Who: Students recommended by their school

When: 8:30 a.m. – 12 p.m., June 7 -24

Where: Lewis & Clark/St. Peters, Mount Hope, Pheasant Point, and Rock Creek Elementary. Students may choose which location to attend when registering for in-person learning options.

What: In-Person Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts and Math (STEAM)

Who: Rising 2nd – 5th graders

When: 8:30 a.m. – 12 p.m., June 7 – 17 and June 21 – July 1

Where: Lewis & Clark/St. Peters, Mount Hope, Pheasant Point, and Rock Creek Elementary. Students may choose which location to attend when registering for in-person learning options.

What: Virtual Enrichment opportunities through Springfield Launch

Who: rising 1st – 5th graders

When: June 7 - 30 (Session 1) and July 7 - 30 (Session 2) 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. daily (includes whole group meetings, small group support, and independent work time focused on the course's theme and content).

What: Students can choose from National Parks Adventure; Route 66 Road Trip; and Earth Explorers (July only).

What: Virtual Enrichment opportunities through Learning Academies

Who: Rising 6th graders

What: Four courses to choose from. Escape, Game On!, Operation Innovation, and Outdoor U.

What: Virtual Enrichment opportunities through Learning Academies Math and Reading enrichment

Who: Elementary Students

What: Virtual Enrichment opportunities through Learning Academies Coding

Who: Rising 3rd graders and above

Register at <https://go.fzsd.us/Summer> There you will learn more about learning options, course descriptions, and the registration process. Students may participate in multiple courses to provide a customized learning experience. The district will provide Chromebooks for students. Parents just have to indicate their technology needs on the registration form or contact their in-person school. Parents should follow our 5 simple steps to understand and apply for Summer School learning opportunities. Summer School registration is open now!

Check out FZ's summer programs

go.FZSD.us/Kindergarten

Will your child be 5 on or before July 31? It's time to register for kindergarten. Visit go.FZSD.us/Kindergarten today!

Calendar

April 19: E Day

April 20: A Day; 4th Gr. Virtual Students MAP Writing

April 21: B Day

April 22: C Day; 4th Gr. Virtual Students MAP ELA

April 23: D Day

April 26: E Day

April 27: A Day; 5th Gr. Virtual Students MAP Science

April 28: B Day

April 29: C Day

April 30: D Day; Mid-point 4th Quarter

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Weekly COVID Updates

Daily Wellness Check

Flint Hill Elementary | [587 Mexico Rd, Wentzville, MO 63385](https://www.fzsd.us) | 636.542.7095 | Office open 7:30 a.m. - 4:15 p.m.



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