

NOVEMBER

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

WESTERN

Elementary School



WE LOVE OUR COMMUNITY

BATMAN VISITED 1ST GRADE
THANK YOU FOR COMING!

Mr. Tawse, from the Gorman Nature Center, talked to the 1st grade students about bats.

Upcoming November

Events

Nov. 5



PTO Meeting

The PTO meeting will take place at Western starting at 7 pm.

Nov. 8

Veteran's Assembly @ 2:15 pm

3rd Grade Students will share in a musical presentation of honoring our veterans. All are welcome to attend.

Nov. 13

Picture Retake Day

Students who need their pictures retaken will have their pictures retaken in the morning.



Nov. 14 & 19

Parent-Teacher Conferences

Evening conferences can be scheduled by contacting your student's grade level teacher.

Nov. 21

One Hour Early Release

Don't forget to mark your calendar! Students will be released from school at 2:15 pm.

Nov. 27-29

Thanksgiving Break

Enjoy your break, and we will see you back in school on Dec. 2.

PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES

We are planning Parent-Teacher Conferences for our elementary students on the evenings of November 14 & 19. Parent-Teacher Conferences are a valuable opportunity for teachers and parents to discuss your child's progress. When teachers and parents have open lines of communication both parties can learn how they can best help your child reach their full potential. Conferences are recommended for all parents of elementary students.

Conferences will be held each night from 4:30 P.M. - 7:30 P.M. Each conference will be fifteen (15) minutes per student. If your child received a Third Grade Reading Guarantee (TGRG) Letter, the conference could last up to thirty (30) minutes long. The time will be used to explain the TGRG and to develop a reading plan for your child.

Conferences are normally scheduled with your child's homeroom teacher. If you would like to meet with any other teachers your child has, please indicate this when you call your child's homeroom teacher and additional times will be set up. If your child has a teacher, other than the homeroom teacher, who feel that a conference is needed, a note from that teacher will be sent home requesting that you meet with them also.

We would also like to emphasize that conferences are for both mothers and fathers and urge that both parents attend. Please call your child's teacher to schedule a conference. If you are unable to call, please write a note to the teacher for an appointment listing times that are convenient. A confirmation note will be sent home.

