



WHITFIELD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

OCTOBER NEWSLETTER
2016 - 2017



**WELCOME
FALL!**



TAKE NOTE! IMPORTANT DATES:

- 10/4 - WSA Meeting 6:30p (cafe)
- 10/4 - School Store 8:15-8:35a (grades K-2)
- 10/6 - School Store 8:15-8:35a (grades 3-5)
- 10/10 - NO SCHOOL for students
- 10/12 - Picture Re-Take Day
- 10/31 - Fall Fest - Early Dismissal @ 11:45 am



REPORT CARDS

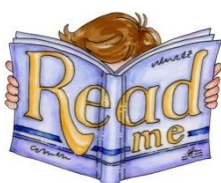
1ST Quarter report cards will be visible through Family Access starting on the evening of November 9. A reminder that report cards will only be accessible to parents through the Skyward Family Access site. If you have any questions, please contact the school office.



**NOVEMBER 13-19, 2016
AMERICAN EDUCATION WEEK**

UPCOMING DATES FOR PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES

Please note that parent teacher conferences will be held November 21, 22 and 23. Your child's homeroom teacher will be in touch in the coming weeks with more information and specific times.



READING INITIATIVE

Our focus this year is going to be on having students *Read to Self* or *Read with Someone* depending on grade level throughout the school day. Please help us by encouraging your son/daughter to bring "Good Fit" books along to school with them each day. Thank you!

**FIRE PREVENTION
WEEK**

OCTOBER 9-15, 2016



SKYWARD - UPDATE FAMILY INFO

If you have not already done so, please log in to your Skyward account and update the family information as soon as possible. If you need help with your Skyward information, please feel free to stop by the office with photo ID and we can print your information for you. If you know your Skyward access information and just need help completing these steps, please call the office at 610-670-0180 ext. 1610 or 1611 and we can try to assist you.

www.wilsonsdsd.org – Skyward Access – Student Access



ARRIVING TO SCHOOL ON TIME...

Students are considered late if they are not in their classroom by 8:50 am. Students **must** be accompanied by a parent when they arrive late. The parent will be asked to sign the student in and the student will be given a tardy slip to show their teacher that they checked in with the office before arriving in their classroom. Please help your child start the day right by encouraging them to arrive for school on time. Although students should arrive before 8:50 am each day, we strongly encourage them to be at school by 8:35 am.



NON-SCHOOL SPONSORED TRIPS

All non-school sponsored trips **must** be approved before the trip takes place. You can obtain a trip form by contacting the school office at ext. 1610 or 1611. If the form is not submitted before the trip, the child's absence will be marked as unexcused. Thank you in advance for your cooperation!