

# East Side Elementary

FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER

2020

*Student Council will be selling chocolate roses before school from Feb. 7-Feb. 14 (or until they run out) for \$1 each. Students can make purchases outside of Mrs. Sutherland's classroom. If a student chooses, they may have a chocolate rose delivered to another East Side student or staff member on Valentine's Day!*



## ***Beat the Winter Blahs Dress Up Days***

**Friday, February 7:**

***Beach Day (no swimsuits)***

**Friday, February 14:**

***Wear Pink & Red & Valentine Accessories***

**Friday, February 21:**

***Dress as a Favorite Disney Character***

**Friday, February 28:**

***Dress as a Favorite Book Character***

***Planned eLearning Day***

***Wednesday, February 12***

***Students will work from home.***



**The School Day**

**7:55-2:30**

**Doors open at**

**7:30 a.m.**

**Breakfast begins at**

**7:30 a.m.**

**Tardies**

**Parents are strongly encouraged to make sure that students arrive between 7:30-7:55 a.m. If a student is late, they must be signed into the office by an adult.**



**KINDERGARTEN VIP DAY**  
**FEBRUARY 14**

*Our kindergarten students will be enjoying a special time with a “very important person” on February 14. VIPs will be able to join students for a time of activities in the classroom at 11:15. Guests and students will then enjoy a time of lunch together at 12 noon. More information will be sent home with kindergarten students.*



*Please see important 2020 Census information attached to this newsletter.*



**All East Side Students are currently taking the winter NWEA. Please be sure students are in attendance and on time, so they may complete the assessment with their class. Thank you for your assistance!**

Clay Community Schools  
Attendance Policy

A student enrolled in Clay Community Schools is expected to attend school each day. School attendance is compulsory under Indiana law IC 20-33-2. Clay Community Schools intends to uphold vigorously the Indiana statutes relating to school attendance.

After any illness, parents or guardians are required to send a brief note or phone the school stating the reason for the absence. A phone call on the day of the absence is preferable. If a student's absence will exceed two days, parents should contact the school office and request assignments. If the absence exceeds 3 days, a physician's statement will be required. Please see the student handbook for further attendance information.

School Phone: **812-448-8755**

Information regarding absences may be emailed To the following email:

[johnsonb@clay.k12.in.us](mailto:johnsonb@clay.k12.in.us)



If at anytime during the school year you have a phone number change, please contact the school immediately. It is vital that we be able to reach parents/guardians due to emergency or for other important reasons.

## SCHOOL CALENDAR

- Now-2/28 Winter NWEA Testing
- 2/3 T-Shirt/Sweatshirt Orders Due!  
PTO Meeting, Conference Room, Noon
- 2/5 Student Council Lunch Meeting  
Robotics Club (after school until 3:30)
- 2/6 5th Grade Chicago Parent Trip Meeting 3 p.m. or 6 p.m.
- 2/7 The NED Show in Assembly
- 2/11 Kindergarten Field Trip to Dr. Staadt's Office (Walking)
- 2/7-2/14 Chocolate Rose Sales 7:30 a.m.-7:55 a.m.
- 2/13-2/14 Kids Heart Challenge in P.E.
- 2/12 Planned eLearning Day (Students Work from Home)
- 2/13 5th Grade Mental Math (after school until 3:30)
- 2/15 Science Fair at Northview High School
- 2/17 Great American's Day\* (No School Unless Needed for Snow Makeup Day)
- 2/19 Robotics Club (after school until 3:30)
- 2/26 Big Brothers/Big Sisters
- 2/27 5th Grade Mental Math (after school until 3:30)
- 3/3 5th Grade Field Trip to Indiana Repertory Theatre
- 3/23-27 Spring Break
- 3/16-4/3 IREAD Testing For 3rd Grade
- 4/10 Good Friday- No School
- 4/20-5/15 ILEARN Testing for Grades 3, 4, 5
- 5/4-8 Teacher Appreciation Week
- 5/21 Last Day of School\*

