

Simpson Middle School Newsletter

Dear Simpson Eagle Families,

We hope everyone had a wonderful and restful Spring Break, but we are so excited to see everyone back in the building! We have entered the home stretch with just under 7 weeks remaining for this school year. As we are in the full swing of Spring, it's understandable that the students can get a little restless, so we want to give everyone a few reminders about expected behaviors.

We all know that middle school can be hard and sometimes our young people test boundaries with inappropriate behavior. Please know that unkind behavior, harassment, and bullying is not something that we tolerate here at Simpson. Likewise, it is imperative that our students understand the importance of always keeping their hands and feet to themselves. If students make antisemitic or disparaging statements on the basis of disability, race, ethnicity, gender, religion, creed, or physical characteristics, or refuse to keep their hands and feet to themselves, they will have to face administrative consequences. Our top priority is keeping everyone safe, which includes physical, emotional, and psychological safety. So, we kindly ask that you take a moment this week to talk with your students to remind them of these expectations and that if they see something, to please say something.

Sincerely,

Dr. LaEla Mitchell



Save the Date! The next Principal Coffee & Chat will be held on Tuesday, April 18th! Dr. Mitchell will be sharing good to know information for EOGs (Milestones), why they are important to take, and class placement for next school year. The CCSD Milestones schedule is attached for your review.



Kindness Reminders - As we interact with others, not only is it important to connect through the things we have in common, but also to place value on the things that make us different. See the attached flyer for Kindness Reminders.



Field day t-shirts are on sale this week until Thursday April 13th. T-shirts will cost \$7.00 and can be paid on your MyPaymentsPlus account or by cash or check at school. PE teachers will be collecting payments in the Atrium from 8:50a-9:10a each morning before Homeroom. We will need to know your child's size (Adult small-Adult XXL) and their homeroom teacher when taking orders.

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Upcoming Event

4/24 - 5/2 - 8th Grade EOG Testing
 5/3 - 6/7/8 Orchestra Concert @ Lassiter 6:30p
 5/3 - 5/5 - 7th Grade EOG Testing
 5/4 - 6/7/8 Band Concert @ Lassiter 6:30p
 5/5 - 6th Grade Field Day
 5/8 - 5/10 - 6th Grade EOG Testing
 5/12 - 7th Grade Field Day
 5/18 - 8th Grade Dance 6:30p-9:30p
 5/19 - 8th Grade Field Day
 5/22 - 5/23 - Early Release @ 1:30p
 5/24 - Last Day of School - Early Release @ 1:30p

PTSA SPIRIT NIGHT

Thursday, April 13 from 5p-8p
 at Lassiter Chick-Fil-A

Tell them you are with Simpson and a portion of the proceeds will come back to the school.
 THANK YOU FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION!



It's hard to believe how fast this school year has flown by, and that it's time to start thinking about school supply shopping already! We are excited to announce a NEW partnership with 1st Day School Supplies for all your school supply needs. The Simpson PTSA has also worked closely with administration to streamline the school supply list for next year. You will need both the grade level and connections supplies for your student.

Click here to [Order your kits now!](#) They are going to save us up to 30% over shopping at big box stores like Target, Walmart and Amazon. Better yet, they are the undisputed leader in custom kitting school supplies. Providing us with only brand names you trust and respect like Ticonderoga, Crayola, Elmer's and Clorox. So, what are you waiting for? [Buy early and save!](#)

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PTSA ANNOUNCEMENTS

National Humor Month Contest (3/15-4/12)

The Health & Wellness committee is looking for your jokes to showcase during April's National Humor Month! Top prizes for Best Group, Best Individual and Overall Funniest Video. See attached flyer for details.

Motivation Monday PTSA Health & Wellness chair Shonda creates affirmative messages to support our students and families' wellbeing. Visit the [Health & Wellness page](#) for more information. See attachment for this week's message.

National PTA School of Excellence final survey (deadline 4/14)

We are ONE step away from submitting the final application in the National PTA School of Excellence certification process. Please [complete this survey](#) by April 14 (includes a few questions to help us plan for next year).

8th Grade Yard Signs

Show your rising high school student how proud you are of your soon-to-be Simpson graduate! We have both personalized and non-personalized sign options available. All proceeds will go to fund 8th grade end of year activities.

ORDER HERE: <https://www.simpsonptsa.org/8thgradesigns>

Connect with Simpson PTSA to stay informed about activities, initiatives, spirit nights, volunteer opportunities, etc.

- **Follow** us on [Facebook](#)
- Sign up for **Remind text messages** (Text your child's grade code to 81010 Grade Codes: 6th Grade - @29eagle, 7th Grade - @28eagle, 8th Grade - @27eagle)
- Visit the **PTSA website** www.simpsonptsa.org
- Receive the **monthly PTSA newsletter**
- **Email** president@simpsonptsa.org



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