



FCS Pre-K-4 News

From the Principal

It is Read Across America Week, which means we are having a lot of fun celebrating reading and remembering Dr. Seuss. Our school has been celebrating different Dr. Seuss books this week with a theme for each day: Green Eggs and Ham, I Can Read with My Eyes Shut, Fox in Sox, Cat in the Hat, and Oh, the Places You'll Go. Reading is an important skill and our kids need to know how much we value reading and how much fun it can be! Ask your child what their favorite Dr. Seuss book is!

Dr. Butler

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Important Dates in March

March 2- Hat Day! Dr. Seuss' Birthday

March 2- PTO meeting (6:30 in the media center)

March 3- Pajama/ College Attire day

March 10- No School

March 23, 24, & 25- HS Musical

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Soaring Eagles Club is Growing!

Here is a list of our February 2017 inductees into the Soaring Eagles Club!

Abigail Earley
Grace Clark
Amy Majoros

February Behavior Prize Winners

#1 Maverick Beardsley
#2 Aiden Freeman
#3 Kallie Pastorius
#4 Damon Potter
#5 Tenlee Miller

A Parent's Guide to ENCOURAGING A GROWTH MINDSET

What is a growth mindset?
Growth mindset is a concept developed by Carol Dweck, a Professor of Psychology at Stanford University. It is the belief that a person's abilities and intelligence can be developed through practice, hard work, dedication, and motivation.

What is a fixed mindset?
A fixed mindset is the notion that intelligence and talent alone will lead to success. People with a fixed mindset believe that these things are "fixed" and cannot be developed or improved upon. They believe that you are either born with it or not, and nothing can change that.

Why is having a growth mindset important?

Research has shown that children who have a fixed mindset are more likely to:

- Fear failure
- Give up on tasks they feel are too difficult
- Ignore feedback
- Avoid challenges
- Feel threatened by the success of others

Children who have a growth mindset are more likely to:

- Learn from their mistakes
- Be motivated to succeed
- Put forth more effort
- Take challenges head on
- Take risks
- Seek feedback
- Learn more
- Learn faster

Schoolhouse Kids

Oh the places you'll go,
Today is your day!
Your mountain is waiting,
So get on your way!

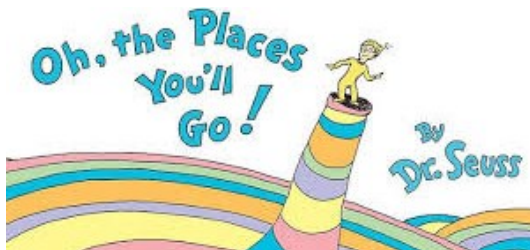
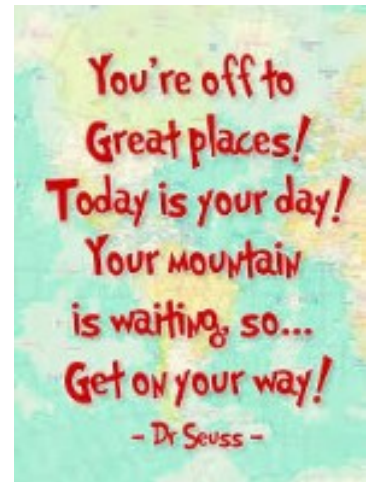
--Dr. Seuss

The MORE that you READ,
The MORE things you will KNOW.
The MORE that you LEARN,
The more PLACES you'll GO.

-Dr. Seuss

Dr. Seuss and a Growth Mindset

As we celebrate Read Across America, I re-read the book Oh, The Places You will Go. This book is a great reminder of having a growth mindset in everything that we do. We must celebrate with our children and help them be the best they can be. We need to embrace the power of YET and help students move forward!



"You have brains in your head.
You have feet in your shoes.
You can steer yourself
any direction you choose.
You're on your own.
And you know what you know.
And YOU are the one
who'll decide where to go..."

-Dr. Seuss. Oh, the Places You'll Go!



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Enter to Learn; Go Forth to Serve.



Please remember to send a note or call the school **before 1:00 p.m.** if your child/ children will have a change for the end of the school day.



Important Reminders

Reminders about Entering the Building

- Students are not to be dropped off at the back of the building and entering the building through the loading dock— **Please use the new student drop off circle.**
- Families should not go to the afternoon UPK classroom until 12:15.
- Mrs. Reed will let 3PK families in the building at 12:15 at the designated entrance.
- Families who arrive before 12:15 for afternoon preschool should wait in the front of the building until 12:15 to reduce distractions for other classrooms..

Closings/ Delays

In the event of a school delay or closing, FCS will use Power Announcement to call families. However, please continue to listen to the radio or watch TV for announcements (in case there are any issues with Power Announcement). Also, please be sure to let the office know if you have a change in your phone number so we can keep our system up to date.