

Belleair Elementary School Newsletter

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UPCOMING EVENTS

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November 6th
Picture Day
November 23rd-27th
No School
Thanksgiving Break

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Hello Belleair Families,

November is a wonderful month to reflect on what we are grateful for in life. Belleair Elementary has much to be grateful for this year. We have wonderful families who support their children and their education. Our staff is one in a million! They work together and go above and beyond each day to meet the needs of each and every scholar. Together, we all work together for one common goal: scholar success! Thank you for all you do to support Belleair!



Please remember that during the Covid-19 times, all staff and students are required to wear face masks. Your child should arrive at school with a face mask on. Thank you for helping us with this.

Just a reminder that our school hours are 8:45 - 2:55 each day. If your child is not in class by the 8:45 bell, they are being marked tardy. This includes our online students as well. Please ensure your child is getting to school on time each day. Learning begins right away and we want all of our scholars to have every opportunity to start their day off right.

Once again, we thank you for allowing us to educate your child.

Educationally yours, Kelly Austin Principal

FORTIFYFL

Report a Safety Concern

Pinellas County Schools has partnered with Sandy Hook Promise to offer the Say Something Anonymous Reporting System. Say Something allows you to submit secure & anonymous safety concerns to help—identify and intervene upon at-risk individuals BE-FORE they hurt themselves or others. Tips made to the Say Something Anonymous Reporting System are passed along to the appropriate law enforcement agencies and school officials.

Visit the Say Something Anonymous Reporting System

Additionally, the district utilizes FortifyFL, a school-related suspicious activity reporting tool that allows Florida students and the community the ability to instantly relay information anonymously concerning unsafe, potentially harmful, dangerous, violent or criminal activities, or the threat of these activities, to the appropriate law enforcement agencies and school officials. FortifyFL was created and funded by the 2018 Florida Legislature as part of the Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School Public Safety Act.

Visit the FortifyFL website

What to Do When Your Child is Ill?

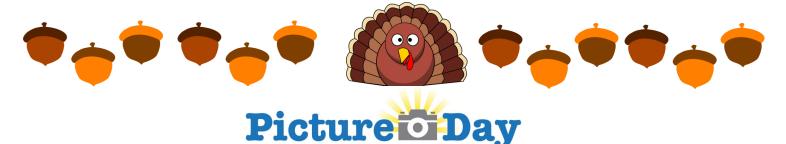
Please follow one of the three options:

- 1 A written diagnosis from a doctor that states illness is not Covid related. Student should be free of symptoms from the diagnosis written by doctor. Bring in the documentation to the school nurse.
- 2 Student tested negative on a PCR Covid Test. Bring in the documentation to the school nurse.
- 3 If no doctor diagnosis or Covid test is administered, the student can return to school after 10 days have gone by since the symptoms began, <u>AND</u> student has been fever-free for 24 hours without the use of medicine, <u>AND</u> the student's symptoms have improved.

Should you have further questions, please call the office and ask to speak to Nurse Deanna. Her hours are 8:00 - 3:30 p.m.



Please remember that students and parents are required to wear a mask when on campus. No visitors are allowed on campus at this time.



Picture day is Friday, November 6th. Please make sure your child is wearing approved uniforms and dress code. Approved uniform colors are:

- 4 different color collared shirts
- * Yellow * Navy Blue * Light Blue * White
- 2 different color pants/shorts/skirts
- * Navy Blue * Khaki

Have a wonderful Thanksgiving Break!

Thanksgiving Break is November 23rd –27th

Homework Hotline Information



Pinellas County Schools Homework Helpline, (727)547-7223, offers free homework help for students in grades 1-12. The Homework Helpline is staffed by teachers certified in math, science, language arts and social studies. Help is available from 5 to 8 p.m., Monday through Thursday, on all school days, except when there is no school the following day.