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Independent School District 2897
Redwood Area School District
Redwood Valley Elementary School
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Subject: RVES Principal's Weekly Message
Week of: November 16th – November 20th 2026
To: Students and Parents

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*****REMINDER - There is NO SCHOOL on Friday (11/20)*****



More Forward and Backward Number Word Sequence Ideas for at Home

- Have your child start counting from any number until you say stop.
  Example: Start them at 38 and stop them at 51.
  Then count backwards like this too.
  Example: Start them at 38 and stop them at 27.

- Sing some multiplication skip counting songs that 3rd and 4th graders are learning as a family.

Multiplication Skip Counting Songs

2's – Skip Count by 2's or use double facts.

3's – Tune of Twinkle, Twinkle Little Stars – 3 and 6 and 9 and 12, 15, 18, 21, 24, 27, 30, and 33. Now we've sung our twinkle 3's, next time won't you sing with me?

4's – Tune of Row, Row, Row Your Boat – 4, 8, 12, 16, 20, 24, 28, 32, 36, and 40

5's – Skip Count by 5's, think of nickels, or numbers on the clock.

6's – Tune of Old MacDonald – 6, 12, 18, 24, 30, 36, 42, and 48, 54, and 60. With 66 here and a 72 there. Here a 6, there a 6, everywhere a 6, 6. Old MacDonald had a 6 e-i-e-i-o.

7's – Tune of Mary Had a Little Lamb – 7, 14, 21, 28, 35, 42, 49, 56, 63, 70

8's – Tune of Are you Sleeping – 8 and 16, 24, 32, 40, and 48, 56, and 64, 72, 80

9's – Tune of Hokey Pokey – You put your 9, 18, 27, 36, 45, 54, and 63, your 72, 81, and 90. That's what it's all about!

10's – Skip Count by 10s or think of dimes.

NEW INFORMATION & IMPORTANT REMINDERS

Parent-Teacher Conferences
Our Fall Parent-Teacher conferences are quickly approaching!

Dates and times are below:
Monday, Nov. 23rd = 3:45 - 6:45 pm
Tuesday, Nov. 24th = 3:45 - 6:45 pm

Sign-up information will be coming from your classroom teachers sometime this week!

RASD Winter Apparel Store is Open!
The Winter apparel store is now open! **All orders are due by Monday, Nov. 16!**
Winter Apparel Store



Forgot About School Pictures? There's Still Time!

Still need to order pictures? Strawbridge's NEW Code Lookup Tool is now available. Scan the QR code and follow the directions to access your child's picture ordering gallery.

No need to contact Customer Service for an access code! ***Student last name and lunch number will be required for data security.***

1. Go to **www.strawbridge.net/picture-day-lookup** or **scan the QR code**
2. Enter the school name, select the state and click **"Submit."** Choose your school from the list provided
3. Select "**Get Code**" next to the picture day you need the code for
4. Enter your child's last name and student ID number and click "**Submit**"
5. Click on the student code to access your student's image gallery!

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4. Ingrese el apellido de su hijo/a y el número de identificación de estudiante y haga clic en "**Submit**"
5. ¡Haz clic en el código de estudiante para acceder a la galería de imágenes de tu estudiante!

ESCANEAR CÓDIGO QR

1st Qtr. Report Cards Sent Home

Please be on the lookout for 1st Qtr. Report Cards. They were sent home with students last Friday! If you have questions, please contact the RVES Office at (507) 637-0250.

GENERAL REMINDERS

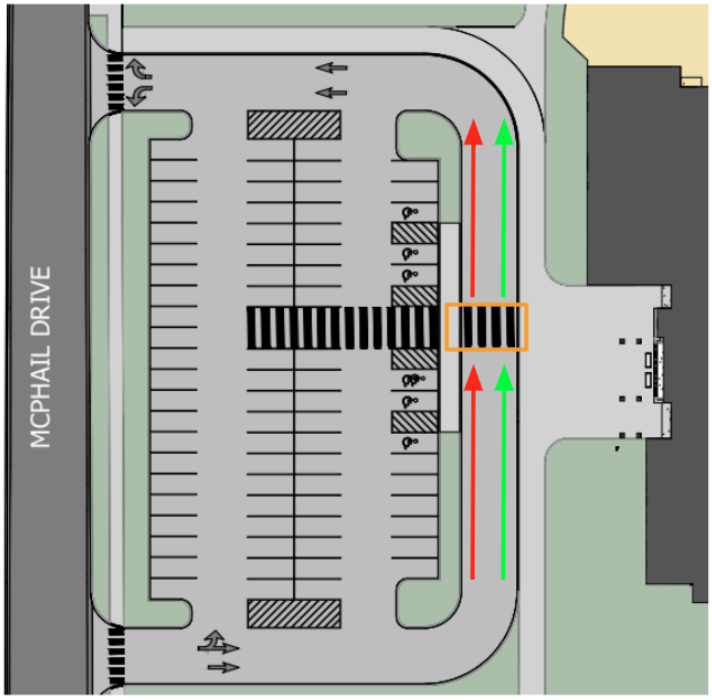
Outdoor Recess & Planning

As the weather turns, please plan accordingly for your students to be outside! We will continue to be outside in the morning and for recess regularly. This will include going outside on cold and windy days. Students should bring appropriate clothing for all weather!

Using the Parent Drop-Off Loop

When using the parent pick-up and drop-off loop - cars should not park in the left lane! The left lane is to be left open for cars to exit as they are able. This will allow our flow to continue seamlessly and avoid bottlenecks of cars. If using the parent loop, all cars should park on the right side against the curb towards the school.

Please be alert to the cross walk right by the main entrance. This is patrolled by our School Patrol students to help students and families safely cross but it does not take away your responsibility to drive safely and attentively!



RED Arrows = No parking; transit only
GREEN Arrows = Parking permitted
YELLOW Box = Student/Family Crosswalk

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Congratulations to our Cardinal Shout Outs for GRATITUDE from last week!

Often throughout our day, we often get busy and we don't always see the good things that are happening in our lives. Our emotions help us recognize Gratitude. When you feel happy, take a moment to look around for someone or something that you can feel Grateful for.

It's always a GREAT day to be a Cardinal!!!

*Be Respectful*Be Responsible*Be Safe

#RedwoodValleyElementary #CharacterStrong #AlwaysTheCardinalWay

#Gratitude #WopeedaBehdoohey

Important Dates:

November 23rd & 24th = Parent/Teacher Conferences

November 25th = Early Dismissal - Half Day (RVES Dismisses @ 11:50)

November 26th & 27th = No School (Thanksgiving)

December 11th = RVES Holiday Concert

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Robert Elwell

RVES Principal