



September

A Message from Mr. Baxley and Mrs. Cain:

We have had a great start to the 2026–2027 school year!

Please be sure to read all the pages of our newsletter.

Thank you, parents and guardians, for taking the time to fill out all the required paper work at the beginning of the year.

It is vital we have up to date contact information from you at all times in the event of an emergency. We have started PMI Testing (Progress Monitoring). Students will take these assessments three times a year with the goal of showing student growth by PM3 at the end of the year. Parents & Guardians, YOU are so important to your child's academic career. Please be diligent in checking your child's folder, classwork, and tests. If you have any concern, do not hesitate to contact your child's teacher.

Welcome, September! Let's make this month full of love, growth, and happiness.



September Important Dates

- **September 2 -11 Book Fair**
 - **September 7 - Labor Day - No School**
 - **September 2 - K-2 PM1 make up testing**
 - **September 3 - 3rd Grade PM1 ELA**
 - **September 4 - 3rd grade PM1 Math**
 - **September 4 - Grandparents Day at the Book Fair 8:30-1:30 (grandparents must bring ID and check in at the front desk)**
 - **September 5 - 5th Grade Science PM1**
 - **September 8 - Family Night at the bookfair 3PM-7Pm**
Open House 5:00-6:00 PreK-2nd 6:30-7:30 3rd-5th grade
 - **September 8 - 4th PM1 ELA**
 - **September 9 - 4th Grade PM1 Math**
 - **September 9 - Midterms**
 - **September 10 - 5th Grade PM1 ELA**
 - **September 11 -5th Grade PM1 Math**
 - **September 14 - 3rd-5th grade PM1 Makeups**
 - **September 14 - Cookie Dough Fundraiser Begins**
 - **September 15 - "Dot Day" Celebrate the book by Peter H. Reynolds. Make your Mark! Dress up in Dots! See Flyer attached.**
 - **September 15 - Raising Cain's Spirit Night**
 - **September 15 - 5th Grade PM1 Science**
 - **September 22 - 5th Grade Parent Meeting 5:30pm**
 - **September 28 - Cookie Dough Fundraiser Ends**
 - **October 1 - ESE Parent Meeting 8:30 Cafeteria**
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5th grade will not visit classrooms on this night, but are welcome to come shop the book fair.

There will be a 5th grade parent meeting on the 22nd. More information will go out about this meeting soon!



OPEN HOUSE & ANNUAL TITLE I NIGHT

5:00pm-6:00pm
PreK-2nd

6:00-7:00
3rd-4th grade

Join us for our Title I Open House Night! You will have the opportunity to visit with your child's teacher and see what they have been up to! Be sure to visit the Media Center to purchase some books from our bookfair.

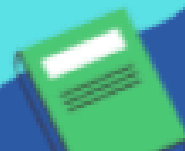
Proceeds help fund our library!

SEPTEMBER 8, 2026



VISIT OUR
BOOKFAIR
STARTING AT
3:00PM

WE HAVE SCATTERED THE TIMES BECAUSE WE KNOW PARKING IS LIMITED!. IF YOU HAVE CHILDREN IN BOTH AGE GROUPS, PLEASE TRY TO COME CLOSER TO 6 TO HELP WITH PARKING.





Celebrate International Dot Day!

Tuesday, September 15th

*International Dot Day is based on the story, **The Dot**, by Peter Reynolds. It is a story of a caring teacher who dares a doubting student to trust in her own abilities by being brave enough to “**make her mark.**”*

As a way to celebrate, we are going to have some special activities!

- **Wear Dots!** All students are encouraged to wear dots on September 15th!
- **Listen & Learn:** Students will have an opportunity to listen to the reading of *The Dot*.

Please help us celebrate students' abilities and encourage your child to “make their mark”. Have fun and create a dot together to display at home!

Thank you so much for your support!



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JOIN OUR FUNDRAISER



at 

September 15th, 2026, 4:00pm - 8:30pm

5110 N. 9th Ave Pensacola, FL 32504

Mention the fundraiser at the Restaurant or apply code **RCFUND96** to online or app orders at checkout and Cane's will **donate 15% of Net Sales*** to:

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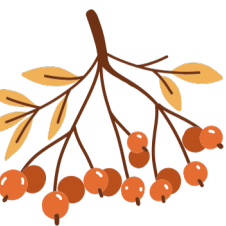
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The School Public Accountability Report (SPAR) is a report that contains several types of data (indicators) designed to inform parents and the general public about the progress of Florida's public schools. This report meets public reporting requirements and provides certain additional information of interest on the status of Florida's schools. The SPAR can be found on our school website and in the Parents' Right to Know notebook located in the front office.

Please view our School Improvement Plan on our school website or at the front desk in our Title I notebook. If you have input, please email Mrs. Cain @ cainj1@santarosa.k12.fl.us





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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
6		1 RED DAY	2 ORANGE DAY	3 YELLOW DAY	4 GREEN DAY	5
	7 HOLIDAY	8 BLUE DAY	9 INDIGO DAY	10 VIOLET DAY	11 PINK DAY	12
13	14 RED DAY	15 ORANGE DAY	16 YELLOW DAY	17 GREEN DAY	18 BLUE DAY	19
20	21 INDIGO DAY	22 VIOLET DAY	23 PINK DAY	24 RED DAY	25 ORANGE DAY	26
27	28 YELLOW DAY	29 GREEN DAY	30 BLUE DAY			

