

SOUTH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

SCHOOL NEWS

April 2026

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Focus on four traits that create upstanding students

While children are born with unique personalities, their character—the choices they make and the values they hold—is shaped by their experiences and the lessons they learn.

To guide your child's character development, focus on teaching:

1. **Kindness.** Teach your child to imagine how others might feel and to treat them with consideration. Make caring for others a priority in your family.
2. **Flexibility.** Encourage your child to listen to the opinions of others. Teach and model the power of negotiation and compromise.
3. **Responsibility.** Let your child know that responsibilities are like promises. They are things that must be done—especially when others are counting on your child.
4. **Self-control.** Explain that while people can't control others' actions, they can control their own behavior. Encourage your child to always think before acting.



~ The Parent Institute, April 2026

Dates to Remember

Wednesday, April 1 — Early Dismissal, 1:45

April 2—April 6 – No School, Spring Break

Tuesday, April 7 - School Resumes

Wednesday, April 22— Early Dismissal, 1:45, School Improvement Day

Friday, April 24 — Progress Reports

Monday, April 27 — 2nd Grade Spring Choral Concert, 6:00 p.m.,
Jr. High Performing Arts Center



REMINDERS

- ◆ If your child's after school plans need to be changed, we ask that you send a note or call the school office (826-5411). No changes will be made after 2:00 p.m.