

Happy Teacher Appreciation Week! We Appreciate our Teachers and Staff!

FW GOVERNING BOARD APPROVES END OF YEAR CALENDAR

The Governing Board has approved the end of school year calendar for 2018. The revised calendar includes additional instructional days to account for days in which District schools were closed. Please see the images at the bottom of this edition of the FW Insider for details about elementary, FWJH, and FWHS calendars. Please remember that all certified and support staff members are expected to work the additional days. If you are unable to work those days, you may take leave time, or if you do not have leave time, you may submit a PAR for leave without pay. If you have any questions, please ask your principal or director, or call the Human Resources office at 696-8822.



THUMBS UP!

You may have noticed the "thumbs up" feature in the new version of Outlook online. This is a good way to approve or show your "like" to an email from a colleague. Of course, you can send them a reply email, but a "thumbs up" is a kind gesture when you are in a hurry!

FLOWING WELLS HIGH SCHOOL **End of Year Calendar 2018** SENIORS LAST DAY OF SCHOOL IS STILL MAY 18TH MONDAY AND TUESDAY MAY 21 AND MAY 22 FULL SCHOOL DAYS MAY 23 - MAY 25 HALF-DAY FINALS

TUESDAY MAY 29 HALF-DAY FOR MAKING UP MISSED FINALS OR COMPLETING PROJECTS

FOUR NEW DISTRICT HIRES!

We are excited to announce four people who will be moving into new District positions:

Director of Transportation

Our new Director of Transportation is **Santos** "**Luis**" **Greer**! Luis joins us from the Douglas School District and he brings with him a wealth of experience. Luis will be a great addition to both Transportation and administrative teams!

Interim Principal at Hendricks

The interim principal at Hendricks Elementary School starting in November 2018 will be **Tabetha Finchum!** In November, Mr. Alan Schmidt will be deployed for one year to serve our country in the Middle East. During this time, Tabetha will serve as the principal at Hendricks. Tabetha is a valued member of our Professional Development team, and we are confident that she will be an outstanding leader in the land of the Hawks. Congrats, Tabetha!

<u>Administrative Assistant to Dr. Baker and</u> <u>Governing Board</u>

The new administrative assistant in Dr. Baker's office will be **Jennifer Rodriguez**! Jennifer is transferring from Walter Douglas and we know she will do a wonderful job learning her responsibilities in this new role!

District Reading Specialist

Our new District Reading Specialist is **Jenny DeFilippis**! Jenny has been a teacher and Reading Specialist at Hendricks for ten years. In her new role, she will contribute her vast knowledge and enthusiasm to advance student growth in reading across the District!



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BENEFIT ME



Have you seen the commercial with the duck who hands out money to people who have been hurt in an

accident? Flowing Wells offers a similar supplemental insurance for accident and/or critical illness through *Assurity* at a reasonable cost to you. An accident or critical illness policy can help alleviate financial worries by paying a lump-sum benefit when you are injured or diagnosed. If you would like more information, Assurity is hosting four webinars: Tuesday, May 15 at 3:00 pm and 5:00 pm, and Wednesday, May 16 at 3:00 pm and 5:00 pm. If interested, please contact Elaine in HR for login instructions for the webinar. All who participate in the webinar will be entered into a raffle to win a \$75 Visa Gift Card Raffle!

STAY CONNECTED THIS SUMMER!

If you still haven't "liked" our District Facebook page, we encourage you to join the fun! Our page is a great place to learn valuable information, celebrate the wonderful things happening across Flowing Wells, and stay connected to the District this summer. If we haven't told you lately, we like you a lot. Now we need you to "like" us too on Facebook!



FLOWING WELLS ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS End of Year Calendar 2018

MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY May 21 - May 25 Full School Days

TUESDAY MAY 29 HALF-DAY SCHEDULE FOR END OF YEAR ACTIVITIES

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