

R.B. STEWART MIDDLE SCHOOL

Community Connections



MONDAY,
OCTOBER 12, 2015
INFORMATION SESSIONS:
5:30 P.M. – 7:30 P.M.



(20-minute sessions starting every half hour, with the last session starting at 7:15.)

eSembler - Learn how to use *eSembler* to keep track of your student's progress.

- Times: 5:30, 6:15, 7:00

Adolescent Transitions - The transition from being a child to a teenager can be rough. Join us to learn some strategies that will make the transition smoother.

- Times: 6:00, 6:30, 7:15

Fall Container Garden - No place for you to dig a garden? Learn how to grow a Fall container garden.

- Times: 5:30, 6:30

ALEKS – Parents: Do you want to learn more about a free online math resource available to your child to get the help in math they really need? ALEKS is an individualized program that will support students in three ways: basic facts, prior grade level weaknesses, and current grade level practice. Come join us to learn more about this exciting program that your child has already started using!

- Times: 6:00, 7:00

Science Projects - Learn the latest information on Science Projects. Topics include: Science Projects at RBSMS, School and District Science Fair information, and what you can do at home to best take advantage of the Science Fair opportunity.

- Time: 7:00 – 7:30

Amplify - Current Amplify students will join Language Arts teachers and an Amplify Representative in the Media Center for an information session unveiling the Amplify program and student expectations.

- Times: 5:30 - 6:15 (6th grade presentation), 6:30 - 7:15 (7th grade presentation)

AVID - These sessions are reserved for those with students in the AVID Elective Course. Our session will discuss the purpose of the organizational binder. We will look at time management skills and how to assist your child in successfully managing his/her time this school year. We encourage everyone in the AVID Elective to participate in this exciting workshop.

- Times: 5:30, 6:30

Infinity - This session is reserved for students currently in the Infinity Academy. Infinity Parents & Students are invited to attend an informational session that will cover parent accounts for Canvas, our tiered system of support, pacing requirements and binder requirements. Please bring your student's laptop and binder to help facilitate our discussions & make sure you know the log in information for your student's computer.

- Time: 5:30 – 6:15

PARENT CONFERENCES: 4:00 – 8:00 P.M.

Parents who are interested in scheduling after hour parent conferences should complete the Conference Request form at the bottom of this letter and return it to the back office ASAP. At least two teachers from each team will be present for our Parent Conferences and they will be able to share grade/behavior information for your child's classes in twenty-minute blocks. Parent Conferences will take place in the cafeteria and they will begin at 4:00 pm. and will end at 7:50 p.m. You **MUST** register ahead of time to schedule a conference and a confirmation letter will be sent to you with the time your conference is scheduled. If you have questions about scheduling a conference, please contact Robyn Herndon, RBSMS Parent Involvement Coordinator at 813-794-6510.

Parent Conference Request Form

Parent/Guardian Name _____

Phone Number _____ E-mail _____

Child's Name _____ Team _____

Circle Top **Three** Preferences for Parent Conference Time:

4:00 4:30 5:00 5:30 6:30 7:00 7:30

Each team is limited to seven conferences. The school will contact you if your request for a Parent Conference can be honored. If you are in need of translation services, please let us know.