

R.B. STEWART MIDDLE SCHOOL

Community Connections



THURSDAY,
MARCH 3, 2016
INFORMATION SESSIONS:
5:30 P.M. – 7:30 P.M.



(20-minute sessions starting every half hour, with the last session starting at 7:00.)

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: 5:30, 6:30

FSA Testing - Parents: Interested in knowing more about the new state test called the Florida Standards Assessment (FSA)? Stop by to learn more about the dates, subjects tested, content included, and item types on the FSA.

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

Test Anxiety - Strategies to help your student reduce test anxiety.

- Times: 6:00, 7:00

Gardening: Wildflower Seed Balls - Imagine your backyard filled with wildflowers, bees buzzing in and out, and butterflies stopping by to enjoy the abundance of colors. In this session you'll learn to make seed balls to help make this possible or to brighten your garden box or indoor pots.

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

AVID - Session 1: 6:00pm - This session is reserved for our current AVID Elective students. We will review successes from the past school year as well as discuss the option of continuing on in the AVID Elective.

Session 2: 6:30pm- Are you a 6th or 7th Grader interested in AVID? This session is for you! In this session we will explore what is AVID and how to apply.

Infinity - 5:30pm - This session is reserved for students currently in the Infinity Academy. Discussions on testing expectations, canvas parent accounts, user agreements and field trip recap.

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.