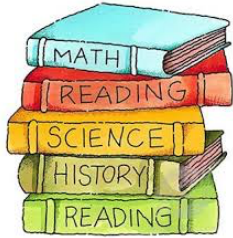


R.B. STEWART MIDDLE SCHOOL

Community Connections



SEPTEMBER 26, 2019
INFORMATION SESSIONS:
5:00 P.M. – 7:30 P.M.

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



myStudent: Parents will receive step-by-step directions for accessing the program, as well as how to navigate the site. All families are encouraged to participate. **5:30 pm, 6:30 pm**

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 to best take advantage of the Science Fair opportunity. **6:00 pm**

AVID First Year Families: *This session is reserved for those with students in the AVID Elective Course who are new to AVID this year.* We will discuss how to assist your child in successfully managing his/her time this school year. **5:30 pm**

AVID Second Year & Beyond Families: *This session is reserved for those returning to the AVID Elective Course for a second or third year.* Our session will review the expectations of AVID students outside the classroom. We will be focusing on community service and how we can help others in our community. **5:00 pm**

RBSMS PTO Outreach: Are you interested in volunteering and help our school PTO? Come learn about opportunities for you to support your child's school. **5:00 pm, Media Center**

Bulldog College Team: Is your student easily frustrated or discouraged? Help your student get "unstuck" and develop a "Growth Mindset". Together we will look at how to "train our brains" and learn that our failures are simply opportunities for learning and growth. Remember, "whether you think you can or you think you can't...you're right!"

(This session is Reserved for Students on the Bulldog College Team)

Infinity Team: The Infinity Team will be holding a presentation for any Infinity parent that would like to learn more about how to navigate our myLearning platform in order to better monitor their student's progress. **7:00 pm**

Parenting Tips for Teenagers: Helpful tips for steering your teen through the tough years of adolescence. **5:30 and 6:00pm**

Binder Session: Are you struggling to organize your school work? This session will show you how to organize your materials so that everything is easy to find. **FREE BINDER SUPPLIES** will also be available to help you get everything organized. Be sure bring your book bag and binder with you! **6:00 pm, 6:30 pm**

Maker Space Creations: Come check out the newest learning space at RBSMS. This space will be used throughout the year for students to make projects and connect with their learning. It increases student engagement by placing an emphasis on project based learning and giving students more choice in how to show mastery of content standards. Stop by the school's new makerspace to explore the latest educational technology hands on and explore the possibilities. Stations include: 3D pens, Merge Cubes, Sphero Robotic Cubes, Little Bits, and more. Open 5:30-7:00

PARENT CONFERENCES: 4:00 – 7:50 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 p.m. 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, Lynette Washburn, 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.