

Third Grade Newsletter – September 13, 2019

It was great to see so many of you at Back to School Night. If you were unable to attend, please Back to School Google Slide presentation. We are looking forward to a great year together!

Word Study

Word study is an alternative to traditional spelling instruction. It is based on learning **word patterns** rather than memorizing unconnected words. This work is completed in a composition book, and the daily homework assignment is glued inside the front cover. Students study a feature each week, and are tested on their knowledge of the feature by spelling words with that feature each Friday.

Conferences

We are excited to meet with you next month to discuss your child's progress. Look for more sign-up information on the blog soon. If you want to meet with your child's math teacher, please email her directly.

Reminders

- **Extra sweater/jackets** are a great idea to keep at school. Our classrooms can be a little chilly.
- **Assignment books** should be reviewed and signed by an adult each night.
- **Please subscribe to our blog!** In third grade, we communicate with parents through blog posts. To make sure that you are receiving important classroom and grade level updates, please subscribe to the blog. To subscribe, simply visit our blog and enter your email in the subscribe box. Our blog address is listed in the important date box below.

Important Dates

September 18-----Picture Day (individual only)
All students will have pictures taken for the yearbook

October 5-----Fall Carnival

October 10-----Parent Teacher Conferences
(evening hours)

October 11-----Parent Teacher Conferences
No school

October 14-----Fall Break
No School

Classroom Blog

<http://blogs.fredericksburgacademy.org/thirdgrade/>

- **Falcon Club**

- Before-school Care is offered daily from 6:30 to 8:30 a.m.
- After-school Care is offered daily from 3:30 to 6:30 p.m.
- Early Dismissal Care is offered on days the school dismissal is at 11:55 a.m. and runs until 6 p.m.. These days require a separate registration and fee.
- School Closed Care is offered on Faculty Professional Days, Teacher Work Days, and Conference Days from 7 a.m. until 6 p.m.. These days require a separate registration and fee.
- Hourly Coupon Cards - Coupon cards are for those who use Falcon Club on an occasional basis. \$9/hr
- Drop-Ins - \$12/hr rate will apply to anyone who has not pre-purchased care (Full Year, Half year, Coupon Cards)
- How to find more information: go to FA website, hover over Lower School on homepage, then click Falcon Club

- **Enrichment**

- Six different sessions this year that correspond to the various school breaks, aka
 - Session II is from Fall Break to Thanksgiving
 - Session III is from Thanksgiving to Holiday Break
 - Session IV is from January to Winter Break
 - etc
- over 40 programs that fall into these topics:
 - Arts
 - Music
 - STEAM
 - Athletics
 - Dance
 - Yoga
 - Outdoor
- online registration
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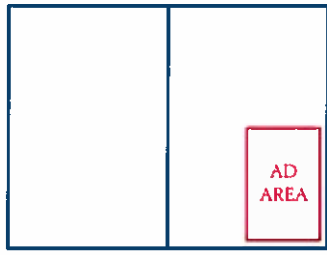
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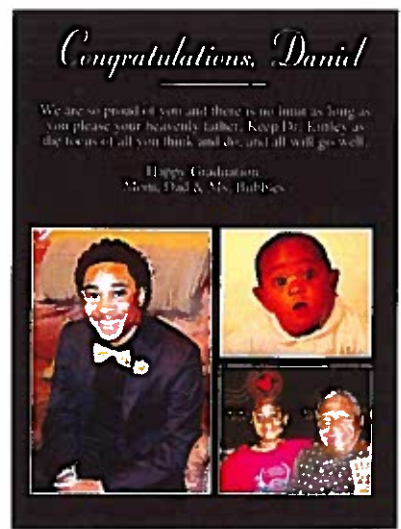
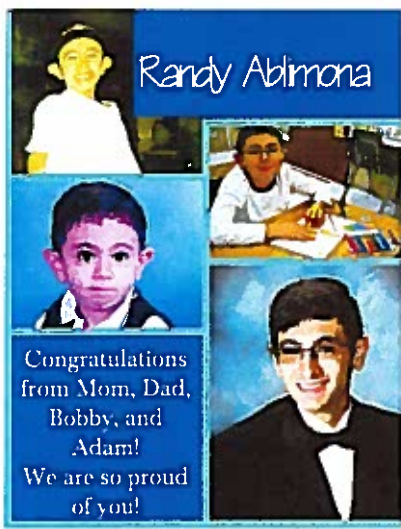
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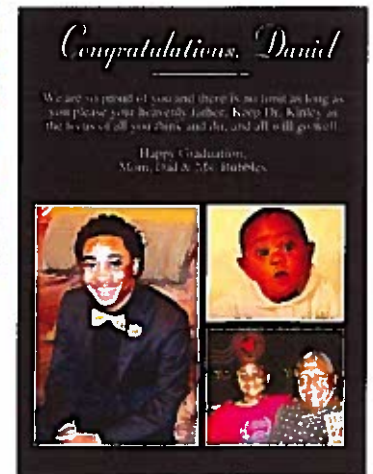
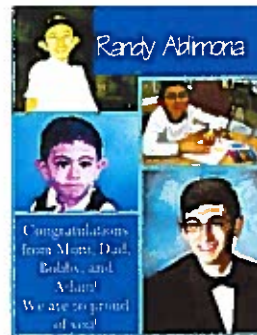
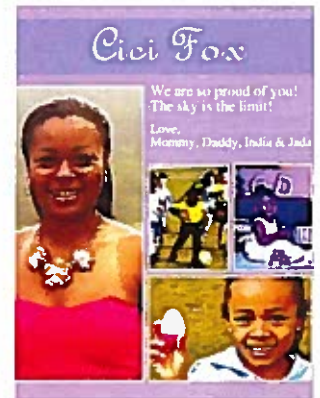
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